

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No. 10234 of 2025

Avinash Ganjhu @ Vikash @ Dasrath Ganjhu, aged about 40 years, son of late Ramdeo Ganjhu, resident of village- Ekta (Margadda), P.O. and P.S.- Kunda, District- Chatra, Jharkhand ... Petitioner

- Versus -

The State of Jharkhand

... Opp. Party

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMBUJ NATH

For the Petitioner : Mr. Sahil, Advocate

For the State : Mr. Rakesh Ranjan, A.P.P.

02/26.11.2025

Heard the parties.

The petitioner has been made accused in connection with S.T. Case No.73 of 2022 arising out of Balumath P.S. Case No. 182 of 2019, for the offences registered under Sections 25(1-B) (a), 25(1-A), 26(2), 35 of the Arms Act and Section 17 of the C.L.A. Act, pending in the court of learned Additional Sessions Judge-III, Latehar.

On 30.08.2019, the informant, who is Officer In-charge of Balumath Police Station received confidential information that extremists belonging to T.S.P.C cadre had gathered in Balumath forest. On the basis of this information, police party raided the place of occurrence and arrested one Jivlal Ganjhu. From his possession, firearm and naxal pamphlets were recovered. He spelt out of the name of this petitioner and other co-accused persons.

It was submitted that petitioner is in custody for about five years. It was further submitted that petitioner was neither arrested at the spot nor anything was recovered from the possession of the petitioner.

In view of the submissions made above, I am inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail. Accordingly, the petitioner, above named, is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees twenty thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of learned Additional Sessions Judge-III, Latehar, in connection with S.T. Case No.73 of 2022 arising out of Balumath P.S. Case No. 182 of 2019.

(Ambuj Nath, J.)