

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A.B.A. No. 7216 of 2024

Sanwar Mal Agrawal, aged about 60 years, S/O late Gajanand Agrawal, R/O Flat No. – B1 and B2, H. No. – 2/3, Maa Niharika Apartment, near Bank of India, Kalimati Bazar Manifit, Brisanagar, PO – Telco Works, PS – Telco, District – East Singhbhum, Jamshedpur, Jharkhand. **... Petitioner**

Versus

The State of Jharkhand

... ... Opposite Party

CORAM: SRI ANANDA SEN, J.

For the Petitioner(s) : Mr. Anurag Kashyap, Advocate
: Ms. Supriya Dayal, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Rajesh Kumar, APP

05/ 07th July 2025

1. Heard the learned counsel for the parties.
2. This anticipatory bail application under Sections 482 and 484 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, has been preferred by the petitioners apprehending their arrest for offences registered under Sections 21 (c), 22 (c) of the NDPS Act, 1985.
3. It is alleged that some cough syrups and Spasmo – Proxyvon Plus Capsules were stocked by this petitioner which is not reflected in the stock register.
4. Admittedly, after hearing the parties, I find that the petitioner is the dealer of medicine and he has a valid license. A copy of the license was handed over to this Court last week.
5. Today, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State verifying the same, stated that the license is valid till 22nd December 2025.
6. Considering the fact that the petitioner is selling medicines based on valid license, I am inclined to ***allow*** this anticipatory bail application.
7. The petitioner above named, is directed to surrender before the learned court below within four weeks from the date of receipt of copy of this order and on the event of his surrender or arrest, he shall be released on bail on

furnishing bail bonds of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of *learned Principal District Judge, Jamshedpur*, in connection with *Telco P.S. Case No. 106 of 2024*, subject to the condition that one of the bailers should be a close relative of the petitioner and other should be a resident of State of Jharkhand, having sufficient landed property in his name or in the name of his ancestors in which he is having share and to that effect, he has to file an affidavit before the Trial Court indicating his share in the property.

8. Further, petitioner is directed to appear before the Investigating Officer once in every 15 days and will co-operate with the investigation till submission of final report.

9. Accordingly, this anticipatory bail application is *allowed*.

(ANANDA SEN, J.)

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