

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
A.B.A. No. 6595 of 2025

Lala Baraik, aged about 31 years, Son of Mahendra Baraik, resident of Village- Tikratoli, P.O. and P.S.- Bero, District- Ranchi

... Petitioner

-Versus-

The State of Jharkhand

... Opposite Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner : Ms. Sanjana Kumari, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Rakesh Kumar Sinha, A.P.P.

02/24.11.2025 Heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioner and learned counsel appearing for the State.

2. The petitioner is apprehending his arrest in connection with Itki P.S. Case No. 68 of 2025, registered for the offence under Sections 132/317(5)/109/3(5) of the BNS and under Rule 54 of Jharkhand Minor Minerals Concession Rules, 2004, Section 4(1)(A) and Section 21 of JMMDR Act, 1957 and Rule 9/13 of Jharkhand Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage) Rule, 2017 pending in the Court of the learned J.M.-X, Ranchi.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner happened to be the driver of Hywa in question. The allegations are made 500cft sand was loaded. She also submits that the petitioner has got no criminal antecedent, as disclosed in para-15 of the petition.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the State opposed the prayer and submits that illegally, sand was being carried in said Hywa.

5. Considering that the petitioner is the driver of the Hywa and petitioner has no criminal antecedent, I am inclined to extend the privilege of anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Accordingly, the above-named petitioner is directed to surrender before the learned Court within three weeks from today and in the event of his arrest or surrender, he will be

enlarged on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (Twenty Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned J.M.-X, Ranchi in connection with Itki P.S. Case No. 68 of 2025, subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023.

(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)

Dated: 24th November, 2025
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