IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
W.P. [Filing] No.14127 of 2025

Devnarayan Mahto. **... ... Petitioner**

Versus

The State of Jharkhand & Ors. **... ... Respondents**

CORAM : SRI ANANDA SEN, J.

05/ 13.04.2026

This matter has been listed before this Court as the same is defective.

2. This Writ Petition has not yet been registered by the Office, in view of the Standard Operating Procedure (S.O.P.) of the High Court as per which, the application will not be registered unless the same is defect free. Non registration of the case means, it is not a pending litigation.

3. In view of the Standing Order No.9 of 2024 dated 09.07.2024 amended by Standing Order of 14 of 2024 dated 03.10.2024, once the defect is pointed out in an application, the same will not be registered and the matter will be listed before the Lawazima Bench where time will be granted by the Lawazima Bench to remove the defects. If in spite of that, the defects are not removed, that petition will be listed before the Bench.

4. In compliance of the aforesaid S.O.P., the matter has been listed before this Bench today. If the matter has not been registered, there is no question of rejecting the same, as it is not a "pending case". Time can be granted to remove the defects by this Bench.

5. Considering the aforesaid fact, two weeks' time is granted to remove the defects in this Writ Petition, failing which, the office will not proceed in this matter in any manner further. The matter will not be placed before the Bench and no action need to be taken in this application and this application will be deemed as if it was not filed.

(ANANDA SEN, J.)

13th April, 2026
Prashant