

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 628 of 2025

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Somlal Besra	Versus	 Appellant
1. The State of Jharkhand		
2. Sanjay Kumar Yadav		 Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PRASAD

For the Appellant	: Mr. Saurav Kumar, Advocate
For the State	: Mrs. Amrita Kumari, A P. P.

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I.A. No. 8705 of 2025

05/11.08.2025 This Criminal Appeal has been filed through Jharkhand High Court Legal Services Committee.

2. Heard learned counsel for the appellant and learned counsel for the State.
3. The instant I.A. No. 8705 of 2025 has been filed under Section 5 of the Limitation Act for condoning the delay of 39 days in filing the instant Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 628 of 2025.
4. It has been submitted by the learned counsel for the appellant that there is delay of 39 days in filing the Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 628 of 2025. It is submitted that due to financial crunch, the appeal could not be filed within time and the instant appeal has been filed through DLSA, Deoghar and thereafter DLSA, Deoghar has referred this appeal to Jharkhand High Court Legal Services Committee and as such, delay of 39 days in preferring the instant Criminal Appeal may be condoned.
5. Learned counsel for the State raised no objection.
6. Having heard learned counsel for both the sides and also in view of the averments made in para- 5 to 11 of the instant I.A. No. 8705 of 2025 and taking lenient view, the delay of 39 days in preferring the instant Cr. Appeal (SJ) No. 628 of 2025 is, hereby, condoned.

7. Thus, I.A. No. 8705 of 2025 is allowed and stands disposed of.

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8. Admit

9. Call for the scanned copy of the Lower Court Records.

10. Learned counsel for the appellant is directed to implead the Informant as respondent no. 2 in this case during course of the day.

11. Office is directed to issue notice upon the respondent no. 2 by Speed Post with A/D.

12. Prayer for bail will be considered after receipt of the Lower Court Records.

13. Learned counsel for the State prays for time to file objection of I. A. No. 8707 of 2025.

14. Put up this case after four weeks.

15. In the meantime, learned counsel for the State must file objection and must serve the copy of the same upon the learned counsel for the appellant.

(Sanjay Prasad, J.)

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