(2026:JHHC:21742)

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

B.A. No. 6855 of 2026

Mukesh Kumar, aged about 33 years, son of Baleshwar Prasad Mehta, resident of Village-Sayal Khurd, P.O.-Ratanpur, P.S.-Ichak, Dist.-Hazaribag (Jharkhand)

… Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand ··· Opposite Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR CHOUDHARY

For the Petitioner : Mr. Shailendra Jit, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Shree Prakash Jha, Addl. P.P.

Order No.02 Dated- 23.07.2026

Heard the parties.

The petitioner has moved this Court for grant of bail in connection with Ichak P.S. Case No.91 of 2026 registered for the offences punishable under sections 111(2)/317(5) of the B.N.S., 2023 and under Section 21(b)/22(b)/29 of the N.D.P.S. Act.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the allegation against the petitioner is that the petitioner was involved in sale and purchase of brown sugar, which is also known as *Heroin* and from the possession of the petitioner 6 grams of brown sugar was recovered while from the co-accused persons altogether 52 grams of brown sugar was recovered; which comes under intermediate quantity. It is further submitted that the allegations against the petitioner are all false. It is next submitted that the petitioner has been in custody since 21.05.2026 after being remanded in this case, as has been mentioned in paragraph no. 16 of the bail application. It is further submitted that the petitioner undertakes to cooperate with the trial of the case and further undertakes that he will not annoy or disturb the witnesses of the case in any manner during the trial of the case. It is lastly submitted that the co-accused person with similar allegation has already been admitted to bail by this Court vide order dated

21.07.2026 in B.A. No.6788 of 2026. Hence, it is submitted that the petitioner be admitted to bail.

The learned Addl. P.P. opposes the prayer for bail.

Considering the submissions of the counsels and the fact as discussed above, I am inclined to enlarge the above-named petitioner on bail. Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned Sessions Judge-cum-Special Judge N.D.P.S. Act, Hazaribagh, in connection with Ichak P.S. Case No.91 of 2026 with the condition that the petitioner will co-operate with the trial of the case and will furnish his mobile number and photocopy of the Aadhar Card with an undertaking that he will not change his mobile number during the trial of the case, with further condition that he will not annoy or disturb the witnesses of the case in any manner during the trial of the case.

(Anil Kumar Choudhary, J.)

23.07.2026
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