IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No. 8127 of 2024

Amit Kumar, son of Birendra Saw, aged about 24 years, resident of village- Balumath, P.O. & P.S.- Balumath, District- Latehar. … Petitioner

- Versus -

The State of Jharkhand … Opp. Party

WITH

B.A. No. 9764 of 2024

Ujjwal Kumar @ Ujjwal Kumar Singh, aged 27 years, son of late Mahesh Singh, resident of village- Sallaya, P.O.- Sallaya, P.S.- Herhanj, Dist.- Latehar. … Petitioner

- Versus -

The State of Jharkhand … Opp. Party

CORAM: - HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMBUJ NATH

For the Petitioners : Mr. Prashant Kr. Rahul, Advocate
: Mr. Binod Kr. Dubey, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Santosh Kr. Shukla, A.P.P.
: Mr. Rakesh Kumar Sinha, A.P.P.

04/18.12.2024

Both these Bail Applications arise out of same police case. Accordingly, both these Bail Applications are being disposed of by a common order.

Heard the parties.

The petitioners have been made accused in connection with Herhanj P.S. Case No.26 of 2024, for the offences registered under Sections 140(2), 3(5), 61(2) of the B.N.S., 2023, pending in the court of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Latehar.

On 29.07.2024 at about 6:00 P.M., the informant Akhilesh Kumar Yadav and one Girendra Yadav were abducted by petitioners and co-accused persons. They were taken to an isolated place. They were brutally assaulted. Using the mobile phone of the informant, ransom was demanded from his father. It appears that the petitioner Ujjwal Kumar @ Ujjwal Kumar Singh forced the informant to go to a C.S.P. Kiosk and withdraw Rs.1 lakh from there. The proprietor of C.S.P. Kiosk has supported this fact in his statement under Section 180 of B.N.S.S. It further appears that petitioner Ujjwal Kumar @ Ujjwal Kumar Singh had gone to collect ransom from the house of the informant, but in the meantime police arrived and the accused persons leaving the victims fled away. Both the petitioners were apprehended together.

Considering the nature of allegations, I am not inclined to release the petitioners, on bail. Accordingly, their prayer for bail stands rejected.

(Ambuj Nath, J.)

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