

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL APPEAL (DB) No.448 of 2013

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-161 Year-2005 Thana- KOILWAR District- Bhojpur

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Jagarnath Singh, S/o Baleshwar Singh, R/o Village- Birampur Kritpura, P.S.-
Koilwar, District- Bhojpur, Ara

... .. Appellant/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Appellant/s : Mr.Rajiva Ranjan, Advocate

For the Respondent/s : Mr.A.Sinha, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HARISH KUMAR

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

4 07-05-2026 Perused the Letter No. 227 dated 15.02.2026 of the Superintendent of Police, Bhojpur, Ara along with the report of S.H.O., Gidha Police Station dated 06.02.2026, wherein it is indicated that during enquiry it came to light that the sole appellant Jagarnath Singh has died. Certificate of death issued by Up-Mukhiya of Gram Panchayat, Birampur, Block-Koilwar, Bhojpur has also been enclosed with the said report.

2. In view of the said letter as also section 394 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, which corresponds to section 435 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, since no near relative has filed any application for leave to continue the appeal, the Criminal Appeal stands abated and



disposed of.

3. Let the trial court records be sent back to the concerned court immediately, if not required in any other case.

(Sangam Kumar Sahoo, CJ)

(Harish Kumar, J)

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