

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL APPEAL (DB) No.531 of 2004

Prakash Mahaldar Son of Sripati Mahaldar, Resident of Village-Siyan, P.S.-
Khalgaon, District-Bhagalpur.

... .. Appellant/s

Versus

The State of Bihar.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Appellant/s : Ms. Archana Meenakshee, Advocate

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Bipin Kumar, A.P.P.

CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HARISH KUMAR

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

6 13-03-2026 Perused the Letter No. 378 dated 19.02.2026 of the Senior Superintendent of Police, Bhagalpur, along with Memo No. 396 of 2026 dated 06.02.2026 of the Police Inspector-cum-S.H.O., Kahalgaon Police Station, wherein it is indicated that during the enquiry it came to light that the sole appellant, namely, Prakash Mahaldar, is dead.

2. In view of the said report and Section 394 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, which corresponds to Section 435 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, and since no near relative has filed any application seeking leave to continue the appeal, the Criminal Appeal stands abated and is disposed of accordingly.



3. Let the Trial Court Records be sent back to the
concerned Trial Court.

(Sangam Kumar Sahoo, CJ)

(Harish Kumar, J)

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