

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**CRIMINAL APPEAL (DB) No.1202 of 2008**

1.Archana Kumari, Wife of Dharmendra Prasad Singh, Daughter of Jamun Choudhary, Resident of Village-Bandhera, Police Station-Khagaria, District-Khagaria.  
2.Girija Devi, Wife of Jamun Choudhary.  
3. Jamun Choudhary, Son of Late Bhujangi Choudhary.  
Appellants No. 2 and 3, Resident of Village-Gangapur Garhel, Police Station-Amarpur, District-Banka.

... .. Appellant/s

Versus

State of Bihar

... .. Respondent/s

**Appearance :**

For the Appellant/s : Mr.Krishna Mohan, Advocate  
For the Respondent/s : Mr.D.K.Sinha, APP

**CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE**  
**and**  
**HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HARISH KUMAR**  
**ORAL ORDER**

**(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)**

7      12-05-2026                      Perused the Letter No. 922 dated 05.05.2026 of the Superintendent of Police, Banka along with the report of S.H.O., Amarpur Police Station dated 02.05.2026, wherein it is indicated that during enquiry it came to light that the appellants Archana Kumari, Girija Devi and Jamun Choudhary have died. Certificate of death of the appellants issued by Mukhiya of Gram Kachahari, Bhadariya, Block-Amarpur, Banka have also been enclosed with the said report.

2. In view of the said letters 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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