IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL APPEAL (SJ) No.3030 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC010788092026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-30 Year-2024 Thana- DARAUNDA District- Siwan

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Dhan Kumar Singh S/o Chandradev Singh R/o Village - Sawan Bigrah(Ram Gadhi), P .S - Daraunda, Dist. - Siwan.

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Versus

1. The State of Bihar Bihar
2. Sita Devi W/o Brajesh Ram R/o Village - Itahwa, P.S. - Itahwa, Dist. - Barshihar(Uttar Pradesh) at present R/o Village - Sawan Bigrah Tole, Ram Gadhi, P.S. - Daraunda, Dist. - Siwan.

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Appearance :
For the Appellant/s : Mr.Rakesh Mohan Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Rabindra Kumar, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA

ORAL ORDER

3 06-11-2026 1. Heard learned counsel for the appellant and learned A.P.P. for the State Mr. Rabindra Kumar.

2. This is an appeal under Section 14-A(2) of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 (hereinafter referred to as the "SC/ST Act") against the refusal of prayer for regular bail vide order dated 13.02.2026 passed by the learned District & Additional Sessions Judge, 1st -cum-Special Judge S.C./S.T. (POA) Act, Siwan in connection with Daraunda P.S. Case No. 30 of 2024 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 341, 323, 307, 427 and 120(B) of the Indian Penal Code as well as

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Sections 3(1)(r)(s), 3(2)(va) of the SC/ST Act and Section 27 of the Arms Act.

3. Learned counsel for the appellant submits that the appellant has antecedent of two cases, it is next submitted that petitioner had earlier moved this Court seeking regular bail by filing Criminal Appeal SJ No. 1099 of 2026 and the same came to be rejected by an order dated 08.05.2026. Learned counsel for the appellant next submits that similarly situated co-accused Ankit Kumar Singh @ Ankit Singh had approached this Court seeking regular bail by filing Criminal Appeal SJ No. 2681 of 2025 and the same came to be allowed by an order dated 25.09.2025 passed by learned Co-ordinate Bench. It is thus submitted that based on parity regular bail be granted to the appellant.

4. Learned A.P.P. for the State Mr. Rabindra Kumar opposes the prayer for regular bail of the appellant and submits that from perusal of the order dated 25.09.2025 in Criminal Appeal SJ No. 2681 of 2025, It would manifest that the learned co-ordinate Bench while granting the privilege of regular bail to Ankit Kumar Singh had recorded that as per allegation in the FIR, Ankit is alleged to have fired causing injury on leg of the son of the informant when son of the informant had injury on

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stomach, it is thus submitted that this perhaps created doubt in the mind of the learned Co-ordinate Bench while granting the privilege of regular bail to Ankit Kumar Singh, as such the case of the appellant is not akin or similar to the case of Ankit Kumar Singh, it is next submitted that there is specific allegation against the petitioner of firing causing injury on chest and leg of Jai Shankar, it is also submitted injury on leg of Jai Shankar was found.

5. Considering the submissions made by the learned APP for the State, the Court is not inclined to release the appellant on regular bail.

6. Accordingly, the instant regular bail application stands rejected.

(Satyavrat Verma, J)

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