IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS No.80587 of 2026

CNR No. BRHC011171862026

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-157 Year-2026 Thana- JURAWANPUR District- Vaishali

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Rajaram Rai S/o Late Phagondeo Rai Actual age of petitioner is about 70 years but in the Aadhar Card wrongly his age is mentioned as 45 years, Resident of Village - Raghopur, PS - Jurawanpur, District - Vaishali.

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :
For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ajay Kumar Thakur, Advocate
Mr. Purushottam Kumar, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Surendra Prasad Singh, APP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SOURENDRA PANDEY

ORAL ORDER

2 05-11-2026 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the learned APP for the State.

2. The petitioner seeks bail in connection with Jurawanpur P.S. Case No. 157 of 2026 registered for the offences under Sections 103(1), 3(5) of the Bhartiya Nyaya Sanhita and Section 27 of the Arms Act.

3. As per the prosecution case, the named accused persons including the petitioner had conspired to kill the informant and his father. As far as the petitioner is concerned, the allegation is of exhorting the others to kill the informant.

4. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a seventy years old person and has falsely

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been implicated along with others by just giving his name as order giver. It has further been pointed out that there is no specific allegation of overt act made against the petitioner, in fact, the specific allegation of firing from country made pistol is upon Shyam Nandan Rai. It has lastly been submitted that the petitioner carries clean antecedent and languishing in jail since 17.08.2026.

5. Learned APP for the State has vehemently opposed the prayer for bail of the petitioner.

6. After hearing the parties and considering the fact that there is no specific allegation of overt act against the petitioner, he is directed to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs. 10,000/- (Ten Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate-XIV, Vaishali at Hajipur in connection with Jurawanpur P.S. Case No. 157 of 2026, subject to the following conditions:

(i) One of the bailors will be a close relative of the petitioner;

(ii) the petitioner will remain present on each and every date fixed by the Court below, if so required by the learned Trial Court;

(iii) in case of absence on two consecutive dates or in violation of the terms of the bail, the bail bonds of the petitioner will liable to be cancelled by the Court concerned;

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(iv) the Court below shall verify the criminal antecedent of the petitioner and in case at any stage, it is found that the petitioner has concealed his criminal antecedent, the court below shall take step for cancellation of bail bonds of the petitioner. However, the acceptance of bail bonds in terms of the above mentioned order shall not be delayed for purpose of the same on in the name of verification.

(v) the petitioner is refrained from meeting with the victim or her family members and does not try to influence them.

7. It is made clear that the observations, if any, made in this order, shall be of no bearing during the trial.

(Sourendra Pandey, J)

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