IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

Criminal Appeal (D.B.) No.1303 of 2026

Dula Di @ Dula Baske, aged about 40 years, wife of Budhan @ Chaman @ Lambu Manjhi, resident of village-Belatand, P.O. & P.S.-Pirtand, District-Giridih, Jharkhand .... **Appellant**

Versus

The State of Jharkhand .... **Respondent**

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rongon Mukhopadhyay
Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ram Sharma

For the Appellant : Mr. Sahay Gaurav Piyush, Advocate
For the State : A.P.P.

02/Dated: 27th October, 2026

I.A. No.14094 of 2026

1. Heard Mr. Sahay Gaurav Piyush, learned counsel for the appellant and learned A.P.P.

2. This application has been preferred by the appellant for condoning the delay of 17 days in filing the appeal.

3. Having been satisfied with the reasons assigned in the instant application, the same is allowed and the delay of 17 days in filing the appeal is hereby condoned.

4. I.A. No.14094 of 2026 stands disposed of.

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1. This appeal is directed against the order dated 04.07.2026 passed by the learned Additional Sessions Judge-I, Giridih in connection with M.C.A. No.1121 of 2026 arising out of Nimiaghat P.S. Case No.69 of 2021, whereby and whereunder the prayer for bail of the appellant has been rejected.

2. It has been alleged that on a secret information the police had reached the place of occurrence where an IED bomb was recovered and deactivated.

3. Submission has been advanced by the learned counsel for the appellant that the appellant has been implicated only on the basis of a secret information and there are no other materials which would be suggestive of the involvement of the appellant in planting an IED bomb to cause

damage to the police party. It has been submitted that the appellant is in custody since 01.02.2025.

4. Learned A.P.P. has opposed the prayer for bail of the appellant and has submitted that the appellant has got several criminal antecedents.

5. Regard being had to the manner of implication of the appellant and her period of custody, we while setting aside the order dated 04.07.2026 passed by the learned Additional Sessions Judge-I, Giridih in connection with M.C.A. No.1121 of 2026 arising out of Nimiaghat P.S. Case No.69 of 2021 direct that the appellant above named be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each, to the satisfaction of learned Additional Sessions Judge-I, Giridih in connection with S.T. Case No.451 of 2025 arising out of Nimiaghat P.S. Case No.69 of 2021, subject to the condition that the appellant shall remain physically present before the learned trial court on each and every date till the conclusion of the trial, unless prevented by sufficient cause.

6. This appeal is allowed.

(Rongon Mukhopadhyay, J.)

(Ram Sharma, J.)

Dated 27.10.2026
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