IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI B.A. No.7978 of 2022

Vijay Kumar Mandal ... Petitioner/Applicant

Versus

The State of Jharkhand ... Opp. Party

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR

For the Petitioner/Applicant : Mr. Rahul Ranjan, Adv. For the State : Mr. S.K. Tiwari, A.P.P.

<u>03/23.08.2022</u>: Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned A.P.P. for the State.

The applicant, who is in custody since 12.06.2022, has approached this Court for grant of regular bail in connection with Jamtara Cyber Crime P.S. Case No.26 of 2022 registered for the offence under Sections 414, 419, 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120B of the Indian Penal Code and Section 66(B), 66(C) and 66(D) of the Information Technology Act.

The applicant is an accused of committing cyber crime.

Innocence has been claimed and participation in the trial has been assured. It has been submitted that motorcycle and mobile phone has been recovered from this applicant. On the above facts, prayer for bail has been made.

On the other hand, learned A.P.P. has opposed the prayer for bail and it has been submitted that the applicant has confessed his guilt and further two criminal antecedents have been reported against the applicant.

Considering the material available on the record, I am inclined to enlarge the applicant on bail. Accordingly, the applicant, above named, is directed to be released on bail, on furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand only) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of the learned Addl. Sessions Judge-1st, Jamtara, in connection with Jamtara Cyber Crime P.S. Case No.26 of 2022 on the condition that the applicant will submit self-attested photocopy of his Aadhaar Card and also submit his mobile number before the learned court below which he will always keep active and will not change it during pendency of this case without prior permission of the court.

(Rajesh Kumar, J.)

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