

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

B.A. No. 3375 of 2018

Ramesh Lohra Petitioner

Versus

The State of Jharkhand Opp. Party.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANANDA SEN.

For the petitioner: Mr. Shashi Kumar Verma, Advocate.

For the State: Addl. P.P.

04/30.04.2018. Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The petitioner is an accused in connection with Bharno P.S. Case No. 45 of 2017, corresponding to G.R. No. 705 of 2017, for the offence punishable under sections 376D of the Indian Penal Code and under sections 4,8,12 of the POCSO Act, 2012, pending in the Court of the learned Addl. Sessions Judge-1, Gumla.

The impugned order suggests that out of six charge sheeted witnesses four have already been examined in this case.

In that view of the matter, I am not inclined to release the petitioner, namely, Ramesh Lohra on bail. Accordingly, this application is dismissed.

Trial Court is directed to take all possible steps, so that the trial can be concluded within a period of four months from the date of receipt/ production of a copy of this order.

(Ananda Sen, J)

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