



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A No.7586 of 2022**

Manash Behara

..... **Petitioner**

Versus

The State of Jharkhand

..... **Opp. Party**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR

For the Petitioner : None

For the State : Mr. Vishwanath Roy, A.P.P

03/Dated: 01st August, 2022

1. Nobody appears on behalf of the applicant. Learned counsel for the State is present.
2. The applicant, who is in custody since 07.05.2022, has approached this Court for grant of regular bail in connection with Gua P.S. Case No.11 of 2022, corresponding to G.R. No.293 of 2022, registered for the offence under Sections 376(2)(n) and 417 of the Indian Penal Code.
3. It appears that the applicant, aged about 24 years, has been made an accused of committing rape upon the victim, aged about 22 years, on the false pretext of marriage. It further appears that the friendship between the parties was developed through social media platform.
4. Learned counsel for the State has opposed the prayer for bail.
5. Considering the period of custody and the age of the parties, I am inclined to enlarge the applicant on bail. Accordingly, the applicant is directed to be released on bail, on his furnishing bail bond of Rs.10,000/- (Ten thousand) with two sureties of the like amount each to the satisfaction of learned C.J.M., West Singhbhum at Chaibasa in connection Gua P.S. Case No.11 of 2022, corresponding to G.R. No.293 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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