

BIHAR HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

9, Bailey Road, Patna

File No. BHRC/Comp. 2029/2014

(Suo Motu Cognizance)

Subject: Under trial prisoner found dead with his body hanging on a tree.

My attention has been drawn to a news item published in the Hindustan Times daily in its publication dated 27.6.2014. The matter pertains to death of an inmate in the premises of Shaheed Khudiram Bose Central Jail in Muzaffarpur district. According to the news reports the death has taken place of a 28 year old man and his body was found hanging from a mango tree. The matter appears to be very serious. The Commission instructs Mr. Amitabh Kumar Das, SP, Bihar Human Rights Commission to visit the site and file a report after due inquiry into the matter. Mr. Amitabh Kr. Das is requested to visit the spot as early as possible preferably today. The District Magistrate and SSP Muzaffarpur and the Superintendent of the concerned jail are directed to give full assistance to Mr. Das.

This order be communicated in advance to DM, SSP and Superintendent of the Jail.

Copy of this order and the paper cutting be also furnished to Mr. Amitabh Kumar Das.

A copy of the order be faxed to IG, Prisons also.

Date: 27.6.2014

(Justice Bilal Nazki)
Chairperson