

FILE NO. 4241/4/5/2021 – JCD

28.04.2022/24.05.2022

This proceeding was initiated on intimation received from Superintendent SJS (ShahidJubbaSahani) Central Jail Bhagalpur, regarding custodial death of UTP (under trial prisoner) Parmod Kumar Singh, while in custody of SJS Central Jail, Bhagalpur, during treatment at JLNMC (JawaharLal Nehru Medical College and Hospital), Bhagalpur on 15/4/2021.

On receipt of the required report opinion of Dr.Binay Kumar Additional Professor Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology, AIIMS Patna has been called for, which has been received and kept at page 69 – 71/c Dr.Binoy Kumar has opined. Who has that patient died suddenly due to Myocardial infarction (heart attack). He has also opined that no any element of medical or administrative negligence could be fought from available documents. However, of NOK (next of kin) of this UTP has not been received.

In the meantime, Superintendent SJS Central Jail has informed that a similar proceeding relating to custodial death of UTP Parmod Kumar Singh has been closed by NHRC (National Human Rights Commission) and he has also attached a letter of Deputy Registrar in this connection (page 72, 73/C).

From perusal of above letter, it appears that NHRC vide order dated 27/1/2022 pass in case no.2780/4/5/2021 JCD on considering the materials available on the record, come to the following finding:

“The commission has considered the material placed on record including the recommendation submitted by the Investigation Division which reveals that

no negligence or foul play is found in the death of UTP Parmod Kumar Singh. In view of such facts no further intervention of the commission is required. The case is close.”

Considering the opinion of FNT expert Dr.Binay Kumar and also considering the above finding of NHRC in above mentioned proceeding relating to custodial death of UTP Parmod Kumar Singh of NHRC, no Further action is required. Accordingly this proceeding is closed.

CD, if available on record, be returned to the Jail Administration.

(Justice Vinod Kumar Sinha, Retd.)
Chairperson