



Press Release
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Directorate of Enforcement (ED), Ranchi Zonal Office, has provisionally attached immovable property consisting of a two-story house along with land appurtenant thereto, valued at Rs. 1.42 Crore, belonging to Smt. Ramapati Devi, wife of Aditya Narayan Singh, under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA), 2002 on 25.03.2025, in connection with the ongoing investigation in the matter of Pramod Kumar Singh and others.

ED initiated investigation on the basis of FIRs registered by the Anti-Corruption Bureau, Jharkhand, and other authorities, alleging embezzlement of Rs. 6.97 Crore from the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) funds. The accused, Pramod Kumar Singh, who was serving as the Block Account Manager, allegedly committed the embezzlement in conspiracy with the then Medical Officer-in-Charge at Primary Health Centre, Jharia-cum-Jodapokhar, Dhanbad, Shashi Bhushan Prasad (now deceased). Subsequent investigation under PMLA has revealed total embezzlement amounting to Rs. 9.39 Crore.

Earlier, during searches conducted by ED at multiple premises linked to Pramod Kumar Singh and his associates on 04.07.2024 and 19.09.2024, four high-end vehicles were seized. Additionally, one immovable property worth Rs. 1.63 Crore was provisionally attached on 30.08.2024. With the present attachment, the cumulative value of assets seized or attached in this case now exceeds Rs. 3.5 Crore.

Furthermore, Pramod Kumar Singh was arrested by the ED, Ranchi Zonal Office, on 18.02.2025, under Section 19 of the PMLA, 2002, for offences related to money laundering. Further investigation is under progress.