



National Investigation Agency
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NIA arrests key absconding accused Bhajo Hari Singh Munda
in the case of killing of MLA Ramesh Munda

A Team of NIA Raipur today arrested accused Bhajohari Singh Munda, 48 years s/o Mansha Munda R/o Gurubeda, PS Arki District Khunti, in case RC-11/2017/NIA/DLI from village Jojohatu, PS Arki District Khunti.

2. He was absconding for a long time and a NBW was issued against him. He was also earlier chargesheeted on 31.03.2018 by NIA.

3. It was found during investigation that on 08.07.2008, the main accused CPI (Maoist) leader Kundan Pahan got Rs 3 crore advance money from accused Raja Peter for the killing of MLA Ramesh Munda. Out of this Rs three Crore, he handed over Rs. 2.78 Crore to accused Bhajohari Singh Munda who was his associate at that time. The money was given to him for safe custody for subsequent use in furthering Naxal activities in Jharkhand. Remaining Rs 2 Crore as part of the deal of total Rs five crores was given on 11.07.2008 to another accused Balram Sahu by the staff of accused Raja Peter.
