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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Case No. : Bail Appln./2896/2023

MANJURA KHATUN
W/O- SORHAB ALI, VILL.- DOLAIGAON PART-III, P.S. AND DIST.
BONGAIGAON, ASSAM, PIN- 783378.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM
REPRESENTED BY THE P.P., ASSAM

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. A M AHMED

Advocate for the Respondent : PP, ASSAM

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE MALASRI NANDI

ORDER

04.01.2024

Heard Mr. AM Ahmed, learned counsel for the accused-petitioner. Also heard Ms. S Jahan, learned Additional Public Prosecutor, Assam appearing for the State respondents.

This is an application under Section 439 of the Cr.PC., seeking for bail of the

accused-petitioner, namely, **Manjura Khatun**, in connection with **Special (Nar) 76 (BNG) of 2023** arising out of Bongaigaon P.S. Case No.10/2023 under Section 20(ii) (C) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act 1985, read with Section 4 of the Assam Ganja and Bhang Prohibition Act, 1958.

Scanned copy of the LCR is received.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the matter may be disposed of with a direction to the learned trial court to dispose of the matter at the earliest since the petitioner has been in custody for more than one year.

I have heard the learned Additional Public Prosecutor, Assam as well as considered the submissions of the learned counsel for the parties and also perused the LCR.

Considering the length of detention of the accused-petitioner in custody, this bail application is disposed of with a direction to the learned Special Judge, (NDPS Act) Bongaigaon to dispose of the matter at the earliest, preferably, by giving day to day hearing to the parties within three to four months.

The bail application, accordingly, stands disposed of.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant