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CRM (M) 1063 of 2026

In re : An Application for Bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973/under Section 483 of the BNSS, 2023 in connection with Raiganj Women PS Case No. 147 of 2023 dated 22.11.2023 u/s 6 of the POCSO Act (Corresponding POSCSO Case No. 67 of 2023).

-And-

In the matter of : Raj Kumar Sarkar

... Petitioner(s)

Mr. Koushik Choudhury
Mr. Dwaipayan Panda
Mr. Tridib Das

... for the Petitioner(s)

Mr. Ramasish Mukherjee
Mr. Saswata Chatterjee

... for the State-respondent(s)

Learned advocate for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody for two years seven months and there has been no progress in trial. It is also contended that till date only eight witnesses have been examined out of the 10 witnesses cited in the charge-sheet.

I have taken into account the materials appearing in the case diary and the period of detention of the present petitioner.

Having considered the same, without further analyzing the evidence which has been deposed, I am inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail.

Hence, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is **Allowed.**

Accordingly, the petitioner viz, **Raj Kumar Sarkar** shall be released on bail upon furnishing bond of Rs.20,000/-(Rupees Twenty Thousand only), with two sureties of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) each, one of whom must be local, to the satisfaction of the learned Judge, Special Court (POCSO Act), Raiganj, Uttar Dinajpur.

If on bail, the petitioner shall also make himself physically available on each and every date so fixed by the learned trial court and shall not leave the district of Uttar Dinajpur without prior permission of the learned trial court.

Accordingly, CRM (M) 1063 of 2026 is **allowed.**

Report submitted be kept with the record.

Parties to act on a server copy of this order duly collected from the official website of the Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta.

Urgent Photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties subject to compliance with all requisite formalities.

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)

