

21.09.2020

Item no. 50

Court No.16

CHC

Allowed

C.R.M. No.5784 of 2020
C.R.A.N.1 of 2020 (Old No. C.R.A.N.4192 of 2020)
(Via Video Conference)

In Re:- An application for anticipatory bail under section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Pradhan Nagar Police Station Case No. 93 of 2020 dated 20.02.2020 under Sections 25(1)(a)/27 of Arms Act.

And

In the matter of:-

Abhijeet Paul Chowdhury

... Petitioner

Ms. Minoti Gomes

Mr. Mounick Ghosh

.. for the petitioner

Mr. Aditi Sankar Chakraborty, Ld. A.P.P.

..for the State

The petitioner undertakes to affirm and stamp the petition/application as per Rules within one month of resumption of normal functioning of the Court. Subject to such undertaking, the application is taken up for hearing through video conference.

Having considered the materials on record and keeping in mind the extent of complicity of the petitioner and in the light of the submission that no fire arm was recovered from his possession, we are of the opinion that custodial interrogation is not necessary. We are inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Accordingly, we direct that in the event of arrest, the petitioner be released on bail upon furnishing a bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) with two sureties of like amount each, to the satisfaction of the arresting officer and also be subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

The application for anticipatory bail and connected application, are, thus, disposed of.

(Kausik Chanda, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)