

C.R.M. 9142 of 2020

(Through Video Conference)

In Re: - An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Electronic Complex P.S. Case No.35 of 2020 dated 27.05.2020 under sections 376(2)(n)/417 of the Indian Penal Code.

And

In the matter of: Vikash Kumar Gupta

Mr. Santanu Deb Roy

... .. for the petitioner

Ms. Zareen N. Khan

Ms. Ratna Ghosh

... .. for the State

Mr. Bitasok Banerjee

... .. for the de facto complainant

It is submitted that victim is a major lady and had cohabited out of her own volition. It is further submitted that petitioner and the victim propose to marry each other.

In view of the aforesaid development and the nature of allegations, we are inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

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

This application for anticipatory bail is, thus, allowed.

The parties shall act in terms of the copy of the order downloaded from the official website of this court.

(Suvra Ghosh, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)