

21.09.2021
Item no.63.
Court No.32.
AB
(Rejected)

(Via Video Conference)

CRM No. 4546 of 2021

In Re: An Application for Bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure filed on 6.7.2021 in connection with Kaliachak Police Station Case No.776 of 2020 Dated 7.10.2020 under Sections 20(C)/29 of the NDPS Act and Section 27A of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act

And

In the matter of : Bikash Mandal

.....Petitioner.

Mr. Amitabha Karmakar,
Mr. A. K. Bhowmickfor the Petitioner.

Mr. Binay Kr. Panda,
Ms. Puspita Saha,
Mr. Subham Bhakatfor the State.

Commercial quantity of contraband items was allegedly recovered from the petitioner. In view of the restriction in Section 37 of the NDPS Act, we are not inclined to entertain the petitioner's prayer for bail.

However, the petitioner says that he is in custody for over one year. Charge sheet has been submitted.

Learned Advocate for the State is not sure if the chemical analysis report is available.

In the event the chemical analysis report has not yet been obtained, the State shall obtain the same and file the same before the learned Trial Court within four weeks from date. We request the learned Trial Judge to expedite the consideration of charge thereafter and generally bring the trial to an early conclusion to the extent the business of the Court may permit.

C.R.M. No.4546 of 2021 is, accordingly, dismissed.

The Registry shall communicate this order to the learned Trial Court as also to the Director, State Drug Control and Research Laboratory, 2nd Convent Lane, Kolkata – 700 015.

All parties shall act in terms of server copy of the order downloaded from the official website of this Court.

(Bivas Pattanayak, J.)

(Arijit Banerjee, J.)