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CRM 6906 of 2021

In re : An Application for **Bail** under Section **439** of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **N 95/20** arising out of Bagdah Police Station Case No. **237/20** dated **29.04.2020** under **Section 21(C)** of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 and Section **51(b)** of the Disaster Management Act, 2005.

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In the matter of : Saddam Mondal
...Petitioner

Mr. Angshuman Chakraborty, Advocate
... .. For the Petitioner

Mr. Prasun Kumar Dutta, A.P.P.,
Mr. Subrato Roy, Advocates
... ..For the State

The petitioner is seeking release in connection with the offences punishable under Section 21(C) of the N.D.P.S. Act read with Section 51(b) of the Disaster Management Act, 2005 arising out of Bagdah Police Station Case No. 237/20 dated 29.04.2020. The charge-sheet has already been submitted in connection with this case and the trial is in process.

Having heard the learned advocates for the petitioner and the State and considering the commercial quantity of narcotics having been seized from the possession of the petitioner, the prayer for bail is rejected being barred under Section 37 of the N.D.P.S. Act. However, we request the learned Special Judge under N.D.P.S. Act to take up the trial as expeditiously as possible taking into the consideration the guidelines embodied by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in **Thana Singh Vs. Central Bureau of Narcotics case (2013) 2 SCC 603**.

Accordingly, CRM 6906 of 2021 is rejected and disposed of.

(Ananda Kumar Mukherjee, J.) (Shivakant Prasad, J.)