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CRM (A) 610 of 2022

In re : An Application for **anticipatory bail** under Section **438** of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Berhampore** Police Station Case No. **FIR No. 1159** of **2016** dated **30.11.2016** under Sections **22(c)/29** of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

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In the matter of : **Md. Zakir Hossain**
... ..**Petitioner**

Mr. S. S. Sarkar,
Ms. Indrani Chakraborty,
Ms. Tanushri Chandra,
Ms. Sarda Saha, Advocates
... .. For the Petitioner

Mr. Saibal Bapuli, Ld. APP
Mr. Bibaswan Bhattcharya, Advocate
... ..For the State

Petitioner renews the prayer for anticipatory bail.

There are orders dated November 10, 2017, December 12, 2017 and July 31, 2020 rejecting the prayer for anticipatory bail.

The Court is informed that there is a proclamation of warrant of arrest issued against the petitioner.

Considering the long absconsion of the petitioner and considering the gravity of the offence and the involvement of the petitioner therein and considering the fact that there is hardly any change in circumstances subsequent to the earlier order of rejection, we are not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Prayer for anticipatory bail is **rejected**.

CRM (A) 610 of 2022 is **dismissed**.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Bibhas Ranjan De, J.)