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[Rejected]

C. R. M. (DB) 1497 of 2022

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure filed on 20.05.2022 in connection with Regent Park Police Station Case No. 09 dated 07.01.2017 under Sections 307/302 of the Indian Penal Code.

And

In Re: ***Sridam Biswas***

... .. Petitioner

Mr. Shyamal Kanti Banerjee
Mr. Jayanta Datta
Ms. Nipasri Tagore
Mr. Ashoke Das
Mr. Ujjal Chatterjee
Mr. Ratan Pathak

... .. for the petitioner

Mr. Neguive Ahmed .. Ld. Addl. Public Prosecutor
Ms. Trina Mitra

... .. for the State

It is submitted on behalf of the petitioner that he is in custody for more than five years.

Report with regard to progress of trial in the matter is placed on record.

We have considered the materials on record including the aforesaid report. Fourteen witnesses have already been examined. There are materials connecting the petitioner with the murder. Delay in progress of trial is due to systemic reasons and cannot be attributable to the prosecution. In view of the aforesaid facts, we are not inclined in granting bail to the petitioner at this stage.

The application for bail is thus **rejected**.

(Ananya Bandyopadhyay, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)

