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C.R.M. (DB) 2027 of 2022

In Re : An application for bail under section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Nalhati PS case no. 367/2021 dated 13.10.2021 under sections 448/376AB IPC and section 4 of the POCSO Act

And

In Re : Abdur Rahaman Mollah @ Rahaman Mollah

..... petitioner

Mr. P Mukherjee
Mr. A Parvez

..... for the petitioner

Ms. Z N Khan
Mr. Ashok Das

..... for the State

Petitioner renews his prayer for bail.

Learned lawyer for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

We have considered materials on record including statement of minor victim aged around seven years. Her statement prima facie discloses involvement of the petitioner in the offence of penetrative sexual assault.

In view of gravity of offence and prima facie involvement of the petitioner therein, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

Accordingly, the prayer for bail is rejected.

(Ananya Bandyopadhyay, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)