

18.07.2022
Serial no. 09
[Dd]
(Anticipatory bail)
(Rejected)

CRM (A) 3268 of 2022

In re : An Application for **Anticipatory Bail** under Section **438** of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Special Case No. 26/2016** dated **18.1.16 (ref-S.I.'s serial no. 23/15-16 dated 14.1.2016)** of Excise, Sadar R.P.U, Malda under Sections **18(b)/18(c)** of the narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

-And-

In the matter of : **Bihari Mandal @ Biharilal Mandal & Ors.**
... ..**Petitioners**

Mr. Sumanta Chakraborty, Advocate
... .. For the Petitioners

Mr. Rudradipta Nandy,
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... ..For the State

In view of the fact that the first petitioner (Bihari Mandal @ Biharilal Mandal) being arrested, CRM (A) 3268 of 2022 is not maintainable for such petitioner.

Considering the long absconsion of the other petitioners in respect of a police case of January 18, 2016, we are not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the other petitioners (i.e. petitioner no. 2 Rajesh Mandal and petitioner no. 3 Rakesh Mandal).

Prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner nos. 2 and 3 is **rejected**.

CRM (A) 3268 of 2022 is **dismissed**.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Bibhas Ranjan De, J.)