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Ct.No.28
as
(Rejected)

C.R.M. (NDPS) 910 of 2022

In Re:- An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with NDPS Case No.T.R.07 of 2020 arising out of NCB Crime No.06/NCB/KOL/2018 dated 05.02.2020 under Sections 8(c) read with Sections 20(b)(ii)(C)/29/35 of the NDPS Act.

In the matter of : Bikash Singh @ Vikash Kumar Singh.
... Petitioner.

Mr. Sandipan Ganguly, Ld. Sr. Adv.,
Mr. Mukesh Kr. Pandey,
Mr. Karan Dubhwewala.

...for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kallol Kr. Basu.

...for the UOI.

Heard the learned Counsels appearing on behalf of the parties.

Petitioner renews his prayer for bail. He submits no narcotic substance was recovered from his possession.

Learned Advocate for the UOI opposes the prayer for bail.

We have considered the materials on record. Though no narcotic substance was recovered, other circumstantial evidence have been relied on to support the charge of conspiracy. Date has been fixed for recording prosecution evidence.

Under such circumstances, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

Accordingly, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.

Trial court is directed to conduct the trial with utmost expedition and conclude the same within one year from the

next date fixed for recording prosecution evidence without granting unnecessary adjournment to either of the parties.

(Ananya Bandyopadhyay,J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)