

10.11.2022.
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Ct.No.28
as
(Rejected)

C.R.M. (DB) 3900 of 2022

In Re:- An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with New Alipore P.S. Case No.277 of 2016 dated 19.10.2016 under Sections 25(1B)(a)/27 of the Arms Act and under Sections 395/397 of the Indian Penal Code.

In the matter of : Sunil Kumar Sau.

... Petitioner.

Mr. Krishna Deo Das.

...for the Petitioner.

Mr. Madhusudan Sur, Id. A.P.P.,
Mr. Dipankar Paramanick.

...for the State.

Petitioner is in custody for more than five years. He prays for bail.

Learned Advocate for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

We have considered the materials on record. Delay in the matter was due to the indolent conduct of the accused persons. In this backdrop, bail prayer of co-accuseds was turned down by this Court.

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.

We take note of the protracted detention suffered by the petitioner.

Hence, we direct the trial court to conclude the trial at an early date preferably within six months from the next date fixed

for recording evidence without granting any unnecessary adjournments to either of the parties.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta,J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)