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(AD)  
Court No.29  
(Allowed)

**Calcutta High Court  
In the Circuit Bench at Jalpaiguri  
Appellate Side**

**C.R.M. (A) 98 of 2022  
(Via Video Conference)**

In Re: - An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Kotwali** P.S. Case No.**667 of 2021** dated **24/12/2021** under Sections **406/408/420** of the Indian Penal Code, 1860.

And

In the matter of: Saikat Guha Neogi

....petitioner.

Mr. Deep Chain Kabir  
Ms. Jeenia Rudra  
Ms. Mashushri Dutta

...for the petitioner.

Mr. Abhijit Sarkar  
Mr. Tapan Bhattacharjee

...for the State.

Petitioner seeks anticipatory bail.

Learned Advocate appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was falsely implicated.

Learned Advocate appearing for the State draws the attention of the Court to the contents in the case diary.

Considering the gravity of the offence and the involvement of the petitioner therein, we grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Accordingly, we direct that in the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be released on bail upon furnishing a Bond of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) with two sureties of like amount each to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer and also subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2)

of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 and on further condition that the petitioner shall meet the Investigating Officer once a fortnight till the conclusion of the investigation and that the petitioner shall appear before the jurisdictional Court and pray for regular bail within four weeks from date.

The prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner is allowed.

C.R.M. (A) 98 of 2022 is disposed of.

**(Debangsu Basak, J.)**

**(Bibhas Ranjan De, J.)**