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Sl. No.31
CHC
[Rejected]

C. R. M. (DB) 41 of 2023

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure filed on 3rd January, 2023 in connection with Serampore Police Station Case No.475 of 2018 dated 03.10.2018 under Sections 394/397 of the Indian Penal Code read with Sections 25/27 of the Arms Act.

And

In Re: *Suraj Prasad*

... .. Petitioner

Mr. Malay Bhattacharyya,
Mr. Subhrojyoti Ghosh,
Mr. Dibakar Sardar

... .. for the petitioner

Mr. Saibal Bapuli, Id. A.P.P.,
Mr. Arani Bhattacharyya

... .. for the State

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

Learned advocate appearing for the State submits that petitioner was involved in the offence of dacoity on a highway. Charge has been framed.

We have considered the materials on record. Though petitioner had suffered protracted detention, the offences are grave and charge has already been framed. Under such circumstances, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

Trial court is requested to conclude the trial at an early date preferably within six months from the next date fixed for recording evidence without granting unnecessary adjournment to either of the parties.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)

