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CRM (A) 50 of 2023

In re : An Application for Anticipatory Bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Narendrapur Police Station Case No. 1136 of 2022 dated 19.10.2022 under Sections 354B/506 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 8 of the POCSO Act.

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In the matter of : **Bikram Das**

... ... Petitioner

Mr. Arka Chakraborty, Advocate

Mr. Dattatreya Datta, Advocate

... ... For the Petitioner

Mr. Joydeep Roy, Advocate

Mr. Amanul Islam, Advocate

... ...For the State

Petitioner seeks anticipatory bail.

The victim in her statement recorded under Section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure implicates the petitioner. There is an eye witness who recorded a statement under Section 161 of the Code of Criminal Procedure which corroborates the statement of the victim.

Considering the gravity of the offence and the involvement of the petitioner therein as transpiring from the materials in the case diary, we are unable to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner is rejected.

CRM (A) 50 of 2023 is dismissed.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Md. Shabbar Rashidi, J.)