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Court No.29
(AD)
(Rejected)

C.R.M. (A) 570 of 2023

In Re: - An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Bhutni** Police Station Case No.**198 of 2022** dated **26.09.2022** under Sections **363/365** of the Indian Penal Code with adding Section **4** of POCSO Act, registered as POCSO Case No.190/2022.

And

In the matter of: **Dipak Mandal**

....petitioner.

Ms. Minoti Gomes
Mr. Musharraf Alam Sk.
Ms. Susmita Ghorai

...for the petitioner.

Ms. Sreyashee Biswas

...for the State.

Petitioner prays for anticipatory bail.

The victim in her statement recorded under Section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure squarely implicates the petitioner in the act of abduction and rape.

In such circumstances, we are unable to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

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

C.R.M. (A) 570 of 2023 is dismissed.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Md. Shabbar Rashidi, J.)