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Court No.29

(AD)

(Rejected)

C.R.M. (A) 668 of 2023

In Re: - An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Narkeldanga** Police Station Case No.**441 of 2022** dated **01.11.2022** under Sections **420/406/120B** of the Indian Penal Code, 1860.

And

In the matter of: **Sri Pratap Das**

....petitioner.

Mr. Arindam Jana

Mr. Prasenjit Debnath

...for the petitioner.

Mr. Bionay Panda

Mr. Subham Bhakat

...for the State.

Mr. Shibaji Kumar Das

... for the de facto complainant.

Petitioner prays for anticipatory bail.

Apparently, a sum in excess of Rs.40 lakhs was paid by the de facto complainant for the purpose of buying a flat to the petitioner.

The flat was apparently sold to a different person.

Need for custodial interrogation of the petitioner appears from the materials in the case diary.

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) 668 of 2023 is dismissed.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Md. Shabbar Rashidi, J.)

