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[Rejected]

C. R. M. (DB) 728 of 2023

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure filed on 15.02.2023 in connection with Sonarpur Police Station Case No.929 dated 06.11.2021 under Sections 376(2)(n)/506 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 6 of the POCSO Act.

And

In Re: ***Sudip Ghosh***

... .. Petitioner

Mr. Sandip Kr. Mondal
Mr. Sumit Routh

... .. for the petitioner

Mr. S. S. Imam
Mr. R. Jana

... .. for the State

Heard the learned Advocates appearing for both the parties.

We have considered the materials on record. Statement of the minor implicates the petitioner in the alleged crime. Electronic evidence also shows petitioner had uploaded her objectionable pictures on the social media. His bail prayer was rejected earlier on merits. Victim is yet to be examined.

Under such circumstances, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

The application for bail is thus **rejected**.

Trial court is directed to expedite the trial and conclude the same at an early date.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)