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Sl. No.42
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[Rejected]

C. R. M. (DB) 1201 of 2023

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure filed on 16.03.2023 in connection with Kaliachak Police Station Case No.722 of 2021 dated 12.07.2021 under Sections 489(B)/489(C) of the Indian Penal Code.

And

In Re: ***Ekleish Ali***

... .. Petitioner

Mr. Arup Kumar Bhowmick

... .. for the petitioner

Mr. Swapan Banerjee

Mrs. Purnima Ghosh

... .. for the State

Petitioner renews his prayer for bail. It is submitted on behalf of the petitioner that he is in custody for more than a year.

Learned Advocate for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

We have considered the materials on record. On the leading statement of the petitioner, fake Indian currency notes (FICNs) valued at Rs.15 lakhs were recovered. His bail prayer was rejected earlier on merits. 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.)