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C.R.M. (DB) 1209 of 2023

In Re : An application for bail under section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Bhadreswar P.S case no. 69 of 2022 dated February 17, 2022 under sections 420/406/409/467/468/471/477A/34 IPC

And

In Re : Himanshu Mishra

..... petitioner

Mr. Dipayan Kundu
Mr. Arif Ekbal Molla
Mr. Kamal Banerjee
Mr. Abhishek Banerjee

..... for the petitioner

Mr. Madhusudan Sur, APP
Mr. Dipankar Paramanick

..... for the State

Petitioner is an employee of the bank. He submits he only verified documents relating to a portion of the loan. Co-accuseds are on bail. He prays for bail.

Learned lawyer for the State opposes the bail prayer. He submits petitioner is one of the employees of the bank. He in collusion with others had defalcated a sum of over Rs. 1crore.

We have considered the materials on record. Petitioner is an employee of the bank. He played a role in the misappropriation of public money. Bail prayer of another employee of the bank has been turned down by this Court.

In view of the aforesaid incriminating materials and the gravity of offence, we are not inclined to grant bail to petitioner at this stage.

Accordingly, prayer for bail is rejected.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)