

21.04.2023

22

Ct. No. 29

**KAUSHIK
REJECTED**

C.R.M.(A) 1697 of 2023

In Re:- An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Raiganj Women** Police Station Case No. **28** of **2023** dated **16.02.2023** under Sections 498(A)/307/34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 read with Sections 3/ 4 of the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961.

And

In Re : Miftajul @ Miftahul Islam & Anr.

..... petitioners

Mr. Ranadeb Sengupta

Ms. Jeenia Rudra

Ms. Megha Chanda

....for the petitioners

Mr. Kaushik Chowdhury

Ms. Busra Khatun

....for the de-facto complainant

Mr. Debabrata Chatterjee

Mr. Santanu Chatterjee

....for the State

Prayer for anticipatory bail of other co-accuseds was rejected on April 17, 2023 passed in CRM(A) 1551 of 2023.

The statement of the victim recorded under Section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Cr.P.C.) squarely implicates the petitioners.

Considering the gravity of the offence and the involvement of the petitioners in the incident, we are unable to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

Accordingly, prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioners is rejected and the application being CRM (A) 1697 of 2023 is dismissed.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Md. Shabbar Rashidi, J.)