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Item no.145

Subrata

allowed

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA

Criminal Miscellaneous Jurisdiction

CRM(DB) No.2663 of 2023

Suranjan Pramanik

-vs-

The State of West Bengal

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Santipur Police Station Case No. 488 of 2023 dated 18.5.2023 under Sections 376/506 of the Indian Penal Code.

Mr. Snehansu Majumder

...for the petitioner

Mr. Binoy Panda

Mr. Subham Bhakat

... for the State

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

We have considered the materials on record. Victim lady was major at the time of co-habitation. She was aware of the consequences of the act. Whether the allegations would constitute the offence that require to be assessed during trial. Hence we are inclined to grant the petitioner bail.

Accordingly, we direct that the petitioner shall be released on bail upon furnishing a bond of Rs.10,000/- with two sureties of like amount each, one of whom must be local, to the satisfaction of the learned ACJM, Ranaghat, Nadia subject to conditions that petitioner shall appear before the trial court on every date of hearing until further orders and shall not intimidate the witnesses and/or tamper with evidence in any manner whatsoever.

In the event the petitioner fails to appear before the trial court without justifiable cause, the trial court shall be at liberty to cancel their bail in accordance with law without further reference to this Court.

The application for bail is, accordingly, allowed.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)