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C.R.M.(DB) No. 4681 of 2023

In Re:- An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Nandanghat Police Station Case No. 422 of 2022 dated 05.10.2022 under Sections 498A/326A of the Indian Penal Code.

And

In Re : Jaharlal Murmu Petitioner

Ms. Minoti Gomes
Mr. Dhananjoy Banerjee
Ms. Tanuja Banerjee
....for the petitioner

Mr. Neguive Ahmed, learned APP
Mr. S. Kundu
..... for the State

1. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits there was a hot altercation and he had acted without pre-meditation. He prays for bail.

2. Learned Counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail.

3. We have considered the materials on record. Petitioner threw acid on the face of his wife. Trial is in progress. In view of the nature of offence which led to permanent disfiguration in the face of the victim and as trial is in progress, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

4. The application for bail is, thus, rejected.

(Gaurang Kanth, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)