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Ct.No.28  
as  
(Rejected)

**C.R.M. (DB) 552 of 2024**

In Re:- An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Santipur P.S. Case No.05 of 2023 dated 02.01.2023 under Sections 302/34 of the Indian Penal Code and charge sheet submitted under Sections 302/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

In the matter of : **Achinta Kantha @ Achinta Khonta.**  
... Petitioner.

Ms. Minoti Gomes,  
Ms. Dona Sanyal.  
...for the Petitioner.

Mr. Joydeep Roy, ld. Jr. Govt. Adv.,  
Ms. Sonali Bhar.  
...for the State.

1. Heard the learned Advocates for the parties.
2. We have considered the materials on record. Petitioner had been seen together with the victim prior to the incident. She does not stand on the same footing with co-accused who have been enlarged on bail. His bail prayer was rejected earlier on merits. Offence, if proved, would attract mandatory life imprisonment.
3. Under such circumstances, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.
4. Accordingly, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.

**(Gaurang Kanth, J.)**

**(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)**