

**26.02.2024**  
DL-24  
Court No.29  
(AD)  
(Rejected)

**C.R.M. (A) 644 of 2024**

In Re: - An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Gopalnagar** Police Station Case No.**73 of 2024** dated **08.02.2024** under Sections **417/376** of the Indian Penal Code, 1860. (G.R. Case No.358 of 2024).

And

In the matter of: **Swapan Kumar Bala**

....petitioner.

Mr. Susnigdho Bhattacharyya  
Ms. Bidisha Chakraborty

... for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Das

... for the State.

Victim recorded her statement under Section 164 of the Code of Criminal Procedure implicating the petitioner.

Neighbours recorded statements corroborating the victim.

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

Accordingly, the prayer for anticipatory bail of the petitioner is rejected.

**C.R.M. (A) 644 of 2024** is dismissed.

**(Debangsu Basak, J.)**

**(Md. Shabbar Rashidi, J.)**