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Ct. No. 29
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REJECTED

C.R.M.(A) 1034 of 2024

In Re:- An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Kotulpur** Police Station Case No. **31 of 2024** dated **07.02.2024** under Sections **379/411** of the Indian Penal Code and under Section **21** of Mines and Minerals Development & Regulation Act.

And

In Re : **Debabrata Pan**

..... petitioner

Ms. Pampa Dey (Dhabal)
...for the petitioner
Mr. Suman De
Mr. Debanshu Ghorai

.... For the State

Petitioner is the owner of the vehicle, which was used for the purpose of transporting sand excavated out of illegal mining. Illegal sand mining in Bengal is a menace both from the environment as also from the economic point of view.

Enlarging the petitioner on anticipatory bail will send a wrong signal to the society.

In such circumstances, we are unable to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner and the prayer for anticipatory bail is rejected.

The application being **CRM (A) 1034 of 2024** is dismissed.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)

(Md. Shabbar Rashidi, J.)

