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Ct.No.28
as
(Rejected)

C.R.M. (DB) 52 of 2024

In Re:- An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with Bankura P.S. Case No.97 of 2021 dated 11.06.2021 under Sections 395/412 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 25(1)(a) of the Arms Act.

In the matter of : **Istak Seikh & Anr.**

... Petitioners.

Mr. Subhabrata Chowdhury,
Ms. Tripti Pandey,
Mr. Biswajit Goswami,
Ms. R. Ghosh,
Mr. S. Dhiber.

...for the Petitioners.

Mr. Swapan Banerjee,
Ms. Ratna Ghosh.

...for the State.

1. Petitioners are in custody for over 900 days. He submits co-accused on bail. Accordingly, they pray for bail.
2. Learned Advocate for the State opposes the bail prayer.
3. We have considered the materials on record. Petitioner was identified in the course of T. I. Parade. Trial has progressed considerably. His bail prayer was rejected earlier on merits.
4. Under such circumstances, we are not inclined to grant bail to the petitioners at this stage.
5. Accordingly, the prayer for bail of petitioners is rejected.

(Gaurang Kanth, J.)

(Joymalya Bagchi, J.)