

**CIRCUIT BENCH OF CALCUTTA HIGH COURT
AT JALPAIGURI**

12.03.2024

Court No.1

Item.109

(kc)

CRM(A) 181 OF 2024

In Re: An application for Anticipatory Bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 filed in connection with **Alipurduar** Police Station Case No.**388/2023** dated **06.12.2023** under Sections **498A/ 307** of the Indian Penal Code, 1860.

And

In the matter of: **Ratan Roy & Anr.**

. . .Petitioners.

Mr. Anirban Banerjee

... For the petitioners.

Mr. Kallol Acharjee

Mr. Chattu Roy

...For the State.

The statements made by the mother and father of the victim implicate the petitioners before us. The petitioners are the brother-in-law and the mother-in-law of the victim girl. We are informed that charge-sheet is yet to be filed by the prosecution.

Notwithstanding the husband of the victim being enlarged on statutory bail, we are of the view that the custodial interrogation of the petitioners is required.

The application for anticipatory bail being CRM (A) 181 OF 2024 is , accordingly, rejected.

(PRASENJIT BISWAS,J.)

(MOUSHUMI BHATTACHARYA,J.)