

19.08.2024  
Court No.1  
SL No.4  
AP/akb

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

**CRM(DB) 305 of 2024**

In Re: - An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure in connection with **Dhupguri** P.S. Case No. **421 of 2023** dated **12.08.2023** under Sections **302/201/379/34** of the IPC.

And

In the matter of: **Bachhu Acharjee @ Nakku @ Bachu Acharya and Anr.**

....Petitioners.

Mr. Debasish Mukherjee  
Ms. Srishti Sarkar

...For the Petitioners.

Mr. Aditi Shankar Chakraborty  
Mr. Abhijit Sarkar  
Mr. Kallol Nag

...For the State.

1. The application for bail is canvassed on the ground that the petitioners are in custody for more 374 days and the trial has not commenced till date.
2. Counsel for the State opposes the prayer for bail and has produced the case diary.
3. It appears that the petitioners were seen carrying the dead body of the deceased in a sack out of the residence in CCTV footage. The gold articles are recovered from the custody of the petitioners.

4. In the backdrop of the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioners.

5. The application for bail is, thus, rejected.

**(Rajasekhar Mantha, J.)**

**(Ajoy Kumar Mukherjee, J.)**