

C.R.M. (M) 455 of 2025

In Re : An application for bail under Section 483 of BNSS, 2023 filed in connection with Nalhati Police Station Case No.218 of 2024 dated 02.05.2024 under Sections 302/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

And

In Re : **Bipul Mal** ... Petitioner.

Mr. Sabir Ahmed
Md. Kutubuddin ... for the petitioner.

Ms. Z. N. Khan
Ms. Puspita Saha ... for the State.

Heard learned counsels for the parties.

The petitioner is in custody for more than one year
and prays for bail.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the case is based on circumstantial evidence and the petitioner stands on the same footing as the co accused who has been granted bail earlier.

Learned counsel for the State opposes the prayer.

I have considered the material on record. The co
accused who is on bail is a lady and the petitioner cannot
claim to be similarly circumstanced with her. The offending
weapon and portion of the mobile phone of the deceased
were recovered from the petitioner's house at the instance of
the petitioner. It is a fact that charges are yet to be
considered.

Considering the material on record prima facie connecting the petitioner to the alleged offence, the prayer for bail is rejected at this stage.

The learned trial Court is directed to consider framing of charges or otherwise against the petitioner and other accused on the next date fixed for the same before him and take the trial to its logical conclusion as expeditiously as possible, without granting any unnecessary adjournment to either of the parties, in accordance with law.

The application for bail is thus disposed of.

Case diary be returned.

All parties shall act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

Urgent certified website copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties upon compliance with all requisite formalities.

(Suvra Ghosh, J.)