

11.07.2025
Item no.7
Court No.42
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(Dismissed)

**IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CRIMINAL MISCELLANEOUS JURISDICTION**

CRM (M) 471 of 2025

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973/under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 arising out of Baranagar Police Station Case No.526 of 2024 dated 29.12.2024 under Sections 3/4/5/6/7 of the Immoral Trafficking Prevention Act, 1956 and Sections 06/17 of the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 corresponding to G.R. Case No.8875 of 2024 pending before the Court of the learned Special Judge (POCSO Act), Barrackpore, North 24-Parganas.

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In Re : **Amita Roy @ Amita**

.... Petitioner.

Mr. Apurba Krishna Das
Mr. Bapin Baidya

...for the Petitioner.

Ms. Amita Gaur
Md. Kutubuddin

...for the State.

Ms. Afreen Begum

... for the *de facto* complainant

Learned Advocate for the petitioner submits that there is no iota of evidence against the petitioner to implicate her in the present case. He seeks for enlargement of the petitioner on bail.

Opposing such prayer for bail, learned Advocate for the State submits that the minor victim was forced into prostitution by the present petitioner resulting in her pregnancy. She seeks for dismissal of the bail application.

Similar submission is advanced by the learned Advocate on behalf of the *de facto* complainant, opposing such prayer for bail.

Perused the case diary and materials on record.

The statement of the victim implicates the petitioner of forcing her into prostitution. The material shows that the victim became pregnant for such sexual act. Considering the above materials and bearing in mind nature and gravity of the offence, this Court is not inclined to grant bail to the petitioner.

Accordingly, the bail prayer of the petitioner is rejected.

The application for bail being **CRM (M) 471 of 2025** stands dismissed.

(Bivas Pattanayak, J.)