

the petitioner. Eye witnesses have implicated the petitioner in the alleged offence. They are yet to be examined. In the event the petitioner is released on bail at this stage, there is every possibility of the witnesses being intimidated/influenced. Offence, if proved, shall attract mandatory life imprisonment.

Considering the gravity of offence and prima role of the petitioner therein, prayer for bail is rejected at this stage.

The bail application is disposed of.

Case Diary be returned.

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

(Suvra Ghosh, J.)