

03.10.2025
Item No.171
Ct. No. 7
SG/ **PG**

C.R.M.(A) 3456 of 2025

In Re:- An application for anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973/Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 arising out of Kharagpur (Local) Police Station Case No. 609 of 2021 dated 23.08.2021 under sections 302/201 of the Indian Penal Code.

And

In the matter of : **Surendra Thakur**Petitioner

Mr. Amit Ranjan Pati
Ms. Swastika Chowdhury
Mr. Avijit Chatterjeefor the petitioner

Mr. Saibal Bapuli
Mr. Arani Bhattacharya.....for the State

1. Heard learned advocates for the petitioner and for the State at length.
2. Perused the entire materials as placed before this Court including the materials as available in the case diary.
3. On careful perusal of the entire materials as placed before this Court including the post-mortem report of the victim, this Court finds that most of the prosecution witnesses, whose statements have been recorded so far under section 161 of the Cr.P.C. unerringly indicates firing of bullets from the factory shed, where the present accused petitioner was discharging his duty as Gunman.

4. Considering the seriousness of the crime, this Court considers the custodial interrogation of the present accused petitioner is very much necessary.
5. In view of such fact, the prayer for anticipatory bail of the present accused petitioner is considered and rejected.
6. All parties shall act in terms of server copy of the order downloaded from the official website of this Court.

(Partha Sarathi Sen, J.)