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Partly Allowed

CRM(A) 3574 of 2025

An application for anticipatory bail under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 in connection with Asansol South P.S. Case No.209 of 2025 dated 19.06.2025 under Sections 74/109/115(2)/117(2)/126(2)/190/191(2)/351(2) of the BNS.

And

In the matter of:

Babu Paul @Raju Paul and others

... petitioners

Mr. Apurba Kumar Datta

... for the petitioners

Mr. Imran Ali

Ms. Suveni Banerjee

... for the State

Mr. Kunal Ganguly

... for the de facto complainant

Heard learned counsels for the parties.

Perused the case diary.

It appears that some of the co-accused were granted anticipatory bail while applications for anticipatory bail were denied in certain cases.

Considering the materials available in the case diary including the statements of the victims and other witnesses and the injury report while I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner No.2, the application for anticipatory bail of the petitioner Nos.1 and 3 (Babu Paul @ Raju Paul and Rajesh Chakraborty) is rejected.

In the event of arrest, the petitioner No.2 (Babusona Paul @ Kartick Paul) shall be released on bail upon furnishing a

bond of Rs.10,000/- (rupees ten thousand) with two sureties of like amount each, one of whom must be local, to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer and also be subject to the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 corresponding to Section 482(2) of the BNSS, 2023 and on the further conditions that the petitioner No.2 shall cooperate with the investigation, shall meet the investigating officer once a week till submission of report in final form and shall not threaten or intimidate witnesses.

The application for anticipatory bail is, thus, disposed of.

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

(Jay Sengupta, J.)