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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Case No. : Bail Appln./3592/2026

RAJ SAIKIA ALIAS ANIKET
S/O LATE RANJIT SAIKIA, R/O KAMALA NAGAR, NEAR WATER SUPPLY, P.S BHANGAGARH, GUWAHATI, DISTRICT KAMRUP (M), ASSAM.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM
REPRESENTED BY THE P.P, ASSAM.

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. S MUNIR, S KHATOON

Advocate for the Respondent : PP, ASSAM,

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE SHAMIMA JAHAN

ORDER

10.11.2026

1. Heard Mr. S. Munir, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner. Also heard Mr. D.P. Goswami, learned APP appearing for the State of Assam.

2. By this application the petitioner has prayed for bail in connection with Latashil PS Case No. 82 of 2026 registered under Sections 109/117(2)/351(3)/74/3(5) of the BNS, 2023.

3. The FIR in connection with which the petitioner was arrested was lodged on 26.10.2026 by the victim stating *inter alia* that approximately 10 to 12 persons had collectively assaulted the informant, thereby causing injuries to the informant and had also allegedly misbehaved with a woman.

4. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the incident arose out of a group altercation and that the petitioner was arrested merely on suspicion, based on the disclosure of his name by the other co-accused persons.

5. Mr. D.P. Goswami, learned APP on the other hand submits that there are allegations of assault resulting in serious injuries to the victims. He therefore prays for calling for the case diary to ascertain the involvement of the petitioner in the alleged incident.

6. Upon consideration of the submissions made by the learned counsel for the parties, more so in view of the fact that the petitioner was arrested primarily on the basis of the name disclosed by another co-accused, namely, Mr. Rituparna Deka this Court deems it fit to enlarge the petitioner on bail on furnishing a bail bond of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees Twenty Thousand) with one local surety of a like amount to the satisfaction of the learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Kamrup (M) subject to the following conditions:

(i) The petitioner shall appear before the Investigating Officer as and when called for,

(ii) The petitioner shall not hamper and tamper with the evidence of the case, and/or influence the witnesses; and

(iii) The petitioner shall not leave his place of residence without the prior permission of the Investigating Officer.

7. Accordingly, this Bail Application stands disposed of.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant