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

Case No. : AB/2885/2026

TAIZUDDIN SK ALIAS TAIJUDDIN ALIAS BABLU
S/O.- ABUL HOSEN A RESIDENT OF VILL.- NILOHKIA PART-III, P.S.- SUKCHAR, DIST.- SOUTH SALMARA MANKACHAR, ASSAM.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM
TO BE REPRESENTED BY THE LEARNED PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, ASSAM

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. M A I HUSSAIN, MR. S. ALOM,MR. S H ZAMAN

Advocate for the Respondent : PP, ASSAM,

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJAN MONI KALITA

ORDER

Date : 12.11.2026

Heard Mr. M.A.I. Hussain, learned counsel for the accused applicant. Also heard Mr. D.P. Goswami, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the State.

2. This is an application filed under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 praying for

granting pre-arrest bail to the accused applicant namely, Taizuddin Sk @ Taijuddin @ Bablu, in connection with PRC No. 290/2026 arising out of Sukchar P.S. Case No.36/2026 under Sections 303(2)/317(2)/3(5) of BNS r/w Section 13(1)/16 of Assam Cattle Preservation Act, 2021.

3. The brief facts of the case are that on 05.07.2026, an FIR was lodged before the Officer-in-Charge of Sukchar Police Station, *inter alia,* alleging that on the same date, upon receipt of secret information regarding smuggling of cattle across the International Border through the Brahmaputra river channel, the police arrived at the spot and, during the operation, apprehended one Manwar Hussain along with three cattle. During interrogation, the apprehended person, namely, Manwar Hussain, disclosed that the cattle were being smuggled to Bangladesh on the instructions of the accused applicant, namely, Taizuddin Sk, and one Matijahan.

4. On the basis of the FIR, police registered Sukchar P.S. Case No.36/2026 under the aforementioned Sections.

5. The learned counsel for the accused applicant submits that charge-sheet vide CS No. 54/2026 dated 23.08.2026 has already been filed and the accused applicant has been shown as an absconder. However, he is willing to participate in the trial and appear before the learned trial Court on the next date fixed, i.e., 21.11.2026. He, therefore, submits that the accused applicant may be granted protection till 21.11.2026 so that he can appear before the learned trial Court.

6. Taking into account the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the instant anticipatory bail application is disposed of with the direction that, till the appearance of the accused applicant before the learned trial Court on 21.11.2026, no coercive action shall be taken against him by the police in connection with Sukchar P.S. Case No. 36/2026.

7. In the event of his failure to appear before the learned trial Court on the date fixed, the police shall be at liberty to take appropriate steps in accordance with law.

8. The anticipatory bail application stands disposed of.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant