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CRM (M) 136 of 2026

In Re: An application for Bail under Section 483 of the Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023.
And

In the matter of : **Md. Salauddin @ Arman.** ...Petitioner.

Mr. Tarique Quasimuddin,
Mrs. Zainab Tanur, ...for the petitioner.

Mr. Bibaswan Bhattacharyya,
Mr. Atanu Ghosh, ...for the State.

Report submitted by the State, be kept with the records.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner submits
that the petitioner is in custody for four years two months
and out of 31 witnesses proposed to be examined by the
prosecution till date 6 witnesses have been examined.

Learned advocate for the State submits that out of 6
witnesses who are produced before the Court only
examination-in-chief has been completed of all and in respect
of 2 of the witnesses examination-in-chief and cross-
examination have been concluded. List of dates and events
have been placed by the investigating officer of the case.

I have considered the earlier orders which have been
passed and one of the similarly placed accused approached
this Court whose bail was rejected in CRM (M) 1887 of 2025
on 09.12.2025. There are earlier directions by this Court also
for expeditious trial.

Be that as it may, I direct the learned Trial Court that
substantial time has lapsed. At this stage, this Court is not

assessing who contributed to the delay but it is directed that the schedule consisting of three days be fixed on each and every month. The prosecution be also directed to assess as to whether all the witnesses cited in the chargesheet are required for the purposes of this case.

Learned Trial Court is directed to see no unnecessary adjournment will be granted to any of the parties and the trial of the case would continue in spite of resolution of the local Bar. The petitioner would renew his prayer for bail after a period of six months from date.

State is directed to communicate this order to the learned Trial Court.

Accordingly, CRM (M) 136 of 2026 is dismissed.

All concerned parties shall act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

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

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)