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C.R.M. (NDPS) 116 of 2026

In Re: An application for bail under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 filed in connection with Jiaganj Police Station Case No.80 of 2025 dated 24.02.2025 under Sections 20(b)(ii)(c)/25/29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985;

Madan Mandal
Versus
The State of West Bengal

Mr. Mrityunjoy Chatterjee
Ms. Suchismita Chakraborty
Mr. Arindam Poali
...for the petitioner.

Mr. Rudradipta Nandy
Mr. Mirza Firoj Ahmed Begg.
...for the State.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been arraigned in this case for alleged recovery of 27.08 kgs of ganja.

Learned advocate for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that one of the accused person is absconding.

Having considered the quantum of seizure and the period of detention of the present petitioner, I direct the learned trial court to exhaust the process of law within a period of two months from this date and split up the trial of the case. Petitioner be released on bail after the stage of consideration of charges are over by the learned trial court on such terms and conditions as the learned trial court deems fit and proper for ensuring the appearance of the

accused in course of the trial.

With the aforesaid observations, CRM(NDPS) 116 of 2026 is disposed of.

Learned advocate for the petitioner is directed to communicate this order to the learned special court in seisin of the present case.

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

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

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)