

17.04.2026
Court No.28
Item No.21
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CRM (A) 1132 of 2026

In Re: - An application for anticipatory bail under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita in connection with Labpur Police Station Case No. **43** dated **25.02.2026** under Sections 329 (4)/123/75(2)/79/318 (4)/ 351(3)/112 (2) of the BNS 2023.

And

In the matter of: **Sk Dilbahar @ Sekh Alidelbahar**

.... Petitioner

Mr. Somnath Adhikary

...for the petitioner

Md. Anwar Hossain

Mr. Atanu Ghosh

..for the State

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits as follows. The petitioner had given some money to the de facto complainant, in lieu of which several cheques were issued. Upon presenting the said cheques, some of them were dishonored. Incidentally, the cheques were presented for encashment on 18.02.2026 and as a counter blast, the present FIR was registered on 25.02.2026.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail. He refers to the statements of witnesses and documents relating to repayments.

Considering the above, the other materials available in the case diary and the fact that the FIR was lodged after at least one of the cheques had been presented for encashment, as claimed by the petitioner, I do not think that custodial interrogation of the petitioner is required in this case and I am inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

In the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be released on bail upon furnishing a bond of Rs.10,000/- 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 further conditions that the petitioner shall co-operate with the investigation and shall not threaten or intimidate the witnesses. The petitioner shall meet the I.O. once a fortnight till submission of report in final form.

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

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order be supplied to the parties, if applied for, as early as possible.

(Jay Sengupta, J.)