

22.04.2026

Court No.35.

D/L. 26.

Kausik

(Rejected)

CRM (NDPS) 721 of 2026

In Re: An Application for Bail under Section 483 of the Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023/ Section 439 of the Code of
Criminal Procedure, 1973 in connection with Kaliganj Police
Station Case No. 809 of 2024 dated 17.09.2024 under Section
21(c)/22(c)/25/27A/28 and 29 of the NDPS Act, 1985.

And

In the matter of : Yogesh Kumar & Anr.

.....Petitioners.

Mr. Sumanta Das

.....for the Petitioners.

Mr. Antarikhya Basu

Ms. Madhumita Basak

.....for the State.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioners submits
that petitioners are in custody for more than 1 year and 7
months and the earlier directions of this Court reflect that
there was a direction to complete the prosecution witnesses by
31st March, 2026. In the meantime, there were issues relating
to administrative assignments upon the judicial officers, as
such, the trial could not be completed. However, submission of
the learned Advocate for the State as also the report reflects
that the case is at the advanced stage and the first
investigating officer is being examined by the prosecution.

Taking into account the overall circumstances and the
fact that the case is at the advanced stage, I am not inclined to

release the petitioner on bail. However, learned Trial Court would put in efforts so that the examination of the accused under Section 313 of the Cr.P.C. is completed by 30th June, 2026.

With the aforesaid observations CRM (NDPS) 721 of 2026 is dismissed at this stage.

Report submitted by the State be kept with the record.

All parties shall act in terms of server copy of the order 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 with all requisite formalities.

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)