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Serial no. 135
[G.S.D]

CRM (NDPS) 1016 of 2026

In re : An Application for Bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973/under Section 483 of the BNSS, 2023 in connection with Berhampore PS Case No. 1042 of 2025 dated 16th May, 2025 u/s 21(c)/29 of the NDPS Act relating to NDPS Case No. 83 of 2025.

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In the matter of : Bikash Krityania @ Bikash Kirtonia

... Petitioner(s)

Mr. Arnab Chatterjee
Mr. AVik Ghosh
Ms. Ankusha Ghosh

... for the Petitioner(s)

Mr. Sagar Saha
Ms. Nayana Mukhopadhyay

... for the State-respondent(s)

Learned advocate for the petitioner refers to an order dated 04.11.2025 where the prosecution was directed to complete the trial by 31st December, 2026. But, till date, only charges have been framed but no witness has been examined. Learned advocate also submits that there are 12 witnesses cited in the charge-sheet. Since, there has been no progress, learned advocate prays for bail on any stringent condition.

Mr. Sagar Saha, learned advocate, appears for the State as per the direction of this court. His appointment may be regularized by the concerned authority. Learned advocate for the State opposes the prayer for bail and submits that time period has not been completed.

Having considered that there is force in the submission of the prosecution, I direct the petitioner to renew his prayer for bail after the aforesaid time period is over.

Considering the stage of the case, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail at this stage.

Hence, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is **Rejected.**

Accordingly, CRM (NDPS) 1016 of 2026 is **dismissed.**

Parties to act on a server copy of this order duly collected from the official website of the Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta.

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

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)