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Serial no. 105
[G.S.D]

CRM (NDPS) 1669 of 2025

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 **C. Case No. 07 of 2025 arising out of Bolpur PS Case No. 74 of 2025 dated 13.02.2025 u/s 20(b)(ii)(c)/25/29 of the NDPS Act.**

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In the matter of : Soumi Mondal

... Petitioner(s)

Mr. Saryati Datta

... for the Petitioner(s)

Mr. Anand Keshri
Mr. Dipankar Paramanick

... for the State-respondent(s)

Learned advocate for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody for 345 days and has been detained for alleged recovery of 70 kg of *ganja*.

Learned advocate for the State submits that the prosecution intends to examine 11 witnesses in support of its case, but, till date, charges have not been framed.

The attention of the court is drawn to the order dated 13.08.2025 in respect of submission of charge-sheet.

Having considered the same as also the prayer for bail which was earlier rejected of another co-accused in CRM (NDPS) 1130 of 2025 as also having regard to the quantum of contraband seized, I am of the view that the provisions of Sections 37 of the NDPS Act is attracted, as such, I am not inclined to enlarge the petitioner on bail.

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

However, the learned trial court is directed to expedite the progress of the case.

The petitioner would renew his prayer for bail after the evidence of the seizure list witnesses are over.

Memo of Evidence submitted be kept with the record.

Accordingly, CRM(NDPS) 1669 of 2025 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.)