

27.01.2026

Court No.35.

M/L. 145.

Kausik

(Rejected)

CRM (NDPS) 1710 of 2025

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 Ratua Police
Station Case No. 71/2025 dated 02.02.2025 under sections
18(b) of the NDPS Act.

And

In the matter of : Paresh Mandal

.....Petitioner.

Mr. Srinjan Ghosh

.....for the Petitioner.

Ms. Rituparna Ghosh

Mr. Sarthak Mondal

.....for the State.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner submits
that the petitioner is in custody for almost a year and till date
although charge sheet has been submitted but no steps have
been taken for the progress of the trial.

Learned advocate also questions regarding the seizure
and weighment which has been shown in the present case for
recovery of the opium/poppy plants.

Learned advocate for the State has produced the
attachment order in respect of the plants which have been
cultivated in 317 Sq. Ft. of land.

I have taken into account the quantum of seizure and
the factum of detention of the present petitioner. It has been

informed that the next date is fixed for consideration of charges.

Accordingly, at this stage, I am not inclined to release the petitioner on bail.

Petitioner will renew his prayer for bail after the evidence of the seizure list witness is over.

Thus, CRM (NDPS) 1710 of 2025 is **rejected** at this stage.

Learned advocate for the State would communicate this order to the learned Trial Court.

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.)