

17.03.2026
DL-53
Court No.7
(Bail **Rejected**)
[Bench ID-1592]
(AD)

Calcutta High Court
In The Circuit Bench at Jalpaiguri
Criminal Miscellaneous Jurisdiction
Appellate Side

CRM (NDPS) 78 of 2026

In re : An Application for Bail under Section 483 of the Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita 2023 in connection with **PTN Case**
No.348/2025 corresponding with **NDPS Case No.105** of **2025**
arising out of **New Coochbehar G.R.P.S** Police Station Case No.
09 of **2025** dated **26.03.2025** under Sections **21(c)** of the
Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

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In the matter of : Nibhas Mandal Petitioner

Mr. Hillol Saha Podder, Advocate

... ... For the Petitioner

Mr. Nilay Chakraborty, Ld. APP
Ms. Namrata Das, Advocate

... ...For the State

1. Petitioner renews the prayer for grant of bail.
2. Prayer for bail was rejected on June 19, 2025 passed in CRM
(NDPS) 253 of 2025. Subsequent thereto, police filed charge
sheet in September 20, 2025. Charges are yet to be framed
since one of the accused was absconding. Commercial
quantity of narcotics was seized from the possession of the
petitioner. There is hardly any material change in
circumstance from the earlier order of rejection.
3. Petitioner is unable to overcome the restrictions under
Section 37 of the NDPS Act, 1985.
4. State will take steps for the purpose of splitting up of the trial
since one of the accused was absconding.

5. Accordingly, the prayer for bail of the petitioner is rejected.
6. **CRM (NDPS) 78 of 2026** is dismissed.

(Debangsu Basak, J.)