

NDPS Case No. 41 of 2025

Order No. 3

dated 04.08.2025

Today is fixed for production and I.O.'s report.

Accused Soubhagya Raja @ Sukumar Raja is produced from J.C. through V.C. and remanded to further J.C till next date.

Ld. Special PP for NCB and Ld. Lawyer for the accused are present.

A bail petition is filed on behalf of above accused person praying for bail on the ground as stated therein.

Copy served.

Now the bail petition is taken up for hearing.

Heard both sides.

It is submitted by the Ld. Advocate for the above accused person that he has been falsely implicated in this case and has permanent residence in the locality and he will not abscond if granted bail in his favour. So, he may be granted bail in any terms and conditions.

Ld. Special PP for NCB opposes the bail prayer of the accused considering the nature of the offence and initial stage of investigation.

Perused the materials on record and submission.

Having heard the submission of both sides and on perusal of the case record, I find that this is a case u/s 8(C) r/w section 20(b)(ii)(C)/25 of the NDPS Act as huge quantity of narcotic substance have been allegedly recovered from the possession of the accused person for which no such benefit could have been extended to him in view of section 37 of NDPS Act in this regard and there are sufficient incriminating materials against the accused person. Moreover the investigation is at initial stage and therefore the bail prayer of the accused persons may not be allowed.

Considering all aspects and grievous nature of offence, I am not inclined to enlarge accused on bail. Hence prayer for bail in respect of accused Soubhagya Raja @ Sukumar Raja stands rejected.

To 18.08.2025 for production of the accused person from J.C. through Video Conference & I.O.'s report.

Dictated & Corrected by,

Addl. Sessions Judge, 1st Court,
(NDPS) Cooch Behar.

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