

**Spl 62/2025**  
**WBHG01-004421-2025**  
**(J.O Code WB00877)**

**Order no. 10 dt. 16.01.2026**

Case record is placed before me.

Accused Basudeb Banerjee and Rajib Nag are produced from J/C through V.C mode.

Bail petition moved on behalf of both the accused persons.

Heard the learned Special P.P, Hooghly who raised strong objection against the prayer for bail and submitted that the investigation is in nascent stage and in the meantime, I.O has already seized bank accounts and mobile phones of both the accused persons. He further submitted that the accused persons involved in misappropriation of huge money which they collected from the intending customers, but did not deposit the same in the bank accounts of the company. So, considering the nature and gravity of the offence and early stage of investigation, prayer for bail should be rejected.

On the other hand, learned Defence Counsel appearing on behalf of the accused Rajib Nag submitted before the court that his client was taken into police custody for 10 days in total and during police custody, his mobile phone and some bank accounts were seized which reveals that his client collected money and deposited the same in the account of Basudeb Banerjee, his immediate boss. He further submitted that there is no incriminating materials against his client, but unnecessarily he was arrested after one month of lodging the complaint and till date he is in custody. He also submitted that his client will cooperate the I.O during investigation and shall obey every conditions imposed by the court if he is released on bail.

Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the accused Basudeb Banerjee submitted before the court that his client is seriously ill and in spite of the direction passed by this court Jail authority did not provide him any medical assistance and his condition is deteriorating. He further submitted that his client used to collect money from the intending purchasers of the tractor and deposited the same time to time in the accounts of the company. He further submitted that the management of the company was well aware about the transactions and they issued delivery challans of the tractor after being satisfied of payment, but to meet up the loss suffered by the company in the business, a false compliant was lodged by implicating some employees of the company including his client falsely with ill motive. He further submitted that his client will cooperate the I.O and shall obey all conditions imposed by this court if he is released on bail on any condition.

I have gone through the materials available in the CD. Instant case was registered on 14.11.2025 against the accused persons on the allegation of misappropriation of money amounting to Rs.77,22,700/- which was collected by the accused persons from the market of behalf of the company and misappropriated the same for their own

benefit. Record further reveals that both the accused persons were taken into police custody and during police custody, some relevant documents were seized from their possession and custody. In order to gather evidence regarding involvement of each accused persons and money trail, Investigating Agency should be given sufficient scope and time to bring the real picture into surface.

Considering the early stage of investigation and gravity of the offence, I am not inclined to enlarge the accused persons on bail at this stage.

Hence, the prayer for bail of both the accused persons namely Rajib Nag and Basudeb Banerjee stands **rejected**.

Fix 30.01.2026 for production and I.O's report.

Superintendent, District Correctional Home, Hooghly is directed to provide necessary medical treatment to the accused Basudeb Banerjee as per the prescription already forwarded in the earlier order.

Let a copy of order be forwarded to the Superintendent, District Correctional Home, Hooghly for information and necessary action and also to submit report regarding health condition of the accused Basudeb Banerjee on the date fixed positively.

Dictated & corrected by me

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