

Criminal Misc. Case No. 568 of 2026

Order No. 04

04.07.2026

This is an application under Section 482 of BNSS, filed by the accused/petitioner namely; **Sudhir Mahato**, praying for anticipatory bail apprehending his arrest, in connection with Baghmundi P.S Case No. 51 of 2026 dated 27.05.2026 under Section 303(2)/317(2) of BNS & 21(1)(4) of Mines & Minerals (R & D) Act 1957, vide G.R. Case No. 928 of 2026.

The prayer for anticipatory bail is moved by the Ld. Lawyer for the accused petitioner.

Ld. Lawyer for the accused submits that no bail application has been filed/pending before the Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta. The present accused petitioner is innocent and falsely implicated in this case. The petitioner is the owner of the seized tractor no. WB55B/5140. No notice u/s 35(3) of BNSS served upon the petitioner by the I.O of this aforementioned case. Accordingly, Ld. Lawyer for the accused prays for bail.

Ld. P.P. opposes the bail prayer.

Considered the submissions made by the Ld. Lawyers for both the sides. Perused the T.C.R., F.I.R and other materials in CD. Considering the nature of allegations and other materials in CD, I do not find any necessity for custodial interrogation of this accused person for the purpose of investigation. Hence, the prayer for anticipatory bail is considered and allowed.

In the event of arrest, the accused petitioner be released, on furnishing bond of Rs.2000/- with one surety, to the satisfaction of the arresting officer and on compliance with the conditions as envisaged u/s 482(2) of BNSS.

The Criminal Misc. Case is, thus disposed of. Return the C.D.

Let a copy of this Order along with the T.C.R. be sent to the Learned C.J.M, Purulia, for information.

(Dictated & Corrected)

Sessions Judge, Purulia

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(J.O. Code-WB00587)