

Present: - Shri Somak Das

Special Judge under POCSO Act

Raghunathpur, Dist. - Purulia I/C

**CNR WBPU05-000107-2026**

**Criminal Misc Case No. 23 of 2026**

**J.O. Code No. WB00944**

**Nimai Sadhu & 3 Ors**

**Vs.**

**State of West Bengal**

Order No. 3 Dated 10.03.26

Today is fixed for hearing of a petition filed under Section 482 of the BNSS by the petitioners/accused persons namely Nimai Sadhu, Purnima Sadhu, Sonali Ghosh and Aditi Singh in connection with Raghunathpur Women P.S. Case No. 02/2026 dated 12.02.2026 under Sections 126(2)/74/75/115(2)/117(2)/351(3)/3(5) of the BNS and Section 8 of the POCSO Act, corresponding to Special G.R. Case No. 05/2026, on the grounds stated in detail in the petition.

Learned Special Public Prosecutor has entered appearance by filing hazira along with the Case Diary of the case. Learned counsel for the petitioners/accused persons is also present.

IO of this is present before the court as per direction of this court. She has submitted a prayer for objection of the bail prayer.

The petition is taken up for hearing.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the accused persons have been falsely implicated in this case and that they are in no way connected with the alleged incident. He submits that no notice has been served upon the accused persons. It is further submitted that the petitioners are innocent and there is no necessity for their custodial interrogation. Accordingly, he prays for granting anticipatory bail to the petitioners on any terms and conditions as this Court may deem fit and proper.

On the other hand, the Learned Special Public Prosecutor strongly opposes the prayer for anticipatory bail.

This Court has carefully perused the Case Diary and other materials on record. Perused the injury report which also supports the case of prosecution.

It also appears from the objection prayer submitted by the IO that she has made several attempts to serve the notice upon the accused persons but they evading the service through every mean.

Upon hearing the learned counsel for the petitioners and the learned Special Public Prosecutor and upon perusal of the Case Diary, the statement of the victim recorded under Section 183 of the BNSS, injury report, early stage of investigation and other materials on record, and considering the nature and gravity of the allegations involving a minor victim, this Court is not inclined to allow the prayer for anticipatory bail at this stage. Accordingly, the petition stands rejected.

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The misc case is thus disposed of.

Dictated & corrected by me

Judge, Special Court I/C

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Additional Sessions Judge

Raghunathpur, Purulia I/C