

**CIS-12/2025**  
**Spl. S.T 03(06)2025**  
**Spl. Pocso-12/2025**  
**J.O. Code-WB00875**

**Later..**

**Order No. 11**

**Dated: 18.06.2025**

The case record is now taken up for hearing of bail petition filed for accused Balaram Halder.

C.D. is produced.

Both sides are present.

At the very outset, Ld. Defence Counsel submits that no bail petition in respect of this accused in connection with this case is pending or rejected by any upper forum. It is submitted that the accused is in J/C since 03.02.2025. It is further submitted that the alleged incident occurred on 01.02.2025 and FIR was lodged on 02.02.2025. The complaint has been lodged out of political rivalry. The instant case has been lodged falsely against the accused person. That apart the investigation is already over and charge has been framed today. There is a contradiction in the statement of mother of VG recorded before Ld. Magistrate and with that in FIR. It is further added that there is no Sign of injury in the private part of V.G in the injury report. Hence, is the prayer for bail of the accused.

Ld. Spl. P.P. in-charge opposes the bail petition and submits that V.G. is only 5 years old. The statements of VG and witness before Ld. Magistrate show serious allegation against this accused. The bail petition in respect of this accused was previously rejected by this Court on 08.05.2025 after filing of charge sheet.

Considering the materials on record as well as in CD, it is found that there are serious allegation against this accused. Keeping in mind the reverse burden of proof in cases under provisions of POCSO Act and especially the age of V.G, this Court at this stage is not inclined to release the accused on bail.

Accordingly, bail petition filed for accused Balaram Halder is rejected.

Return the C.D.

To date i.e 24.07.2025.

D/C by me,

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