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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Case No. : AB/588/2026

SRIMANTA SAIKIA
S/O JITEN SAIKIA,
R/O VILL- MERBIL MAJULI NO. 1, P.S. DULIAJAN, P.O. KATHALGURI, DIST.
DIBRUGARH, ASSAM- 786602

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM
REP BY PP ASASM

Advocate for the Petitioner : S K PODDAR, S SHAHL,MR. R GHOSH,MS A ROY

Advocate for the Respondent : PP, ASSAM,

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHIVJYOTI SAIKIA**

ORDER

18.03.2026

Heard Mr. S K Poddar, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner. Also heard Mr. Bhaskar Sharma, learned Additional Public Prosecutor, Assam.

The Case Diary be called for.

I have heard the learned counsel for both sides on the matter of interim protection.

Having heard the learned counsel for both sides, this Court is of the opinion that the petitioner deserves to be given interim protection.

Accordingly, in the interim, it is hereby directed that in the event of arrest the petitioner, namely, Sri Srimanta Saikia, in connection with Duliajan P.S. Case No. 30/2026, the arresting authority shall release him on bail of Rs.25,000/- with one surety of like amount to the satisfaction of the arresting authority.

List on 21.04.2026.

The petitioner is directed to appear before the Investigating Officer within 10(ten) days from today and shall cooperate in the investigation.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant