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CRR 1762 of 2026

**Smt. Manju Bose alias
Manju Dutta alias Putul & Ors.
Vs.
State of West Bengal & Anr.**

**Mr. Indranuj Dutta
Ms. Banazir Sk.
Ms. M. Quail ... for the petitioners.**

The petitioner no. 1 is the married sister-in law of the *de facto* complainant and petitioner no. 2 and 3 are the maternal cousin sisters-in-law and petitioner no. 4 is an employee attached to the business of the husband of the *defacto*-complainant but not the relative of the husband of *defacto*-complainant.

Being aggrieved by the aforesaid proceeding, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the allegations made in the FIR are absurd and inherently improbable. However, after purported investigation police has submitted charge-sheet against the present petitioners. No role played by the accused in the crime has been mentioned and the allegation in the impugned charge-sheet against the present petitioners are vague and do not disclose the necessary ingredients of the offences under sections 498A/406 of the IPC. Therefore, further continuance of the impugned proceeding against the present petitioners would be a mere abuse of the process of the court.

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioners, the application stands admitted.

Petitioners are directed to serve a copy of application upon the State through the office of the Public Prosecutor, High Court Calcutta and upon the opposite party no. 2 through speed post intimating next date of hearing and to file affidavit of service on the returnable date.

Let the matter be listed under the heading “Contested Application” in the monthly list of July, 2026.

Learned counsel for the petitioners also prays for interim relief.

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioners and that the petitioners have made out an arguable case, which requires adjudication on merit, let the impugned proceeding being GR Case No. 278 of 2022 presently pending before learned Judicial Magistrate, 17th Court, Calcutta, be hereby stayed for a period of twelve weeks from date or until further order, whichever is earlier qua the petitioners, namely, **Smt. Manju Bose alias Manju Dutta alias Putul, Smt. Asha Singh, Smt. Jharna Singh, Smt. Arpita Das.**

(Dr. Ajoy Kumar Mukherjee, J.)