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C.R.M. (M) 1362 of 2026

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 or Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023(BNSS) filed in connection with Titagarh Police Station Case No.356 of 2022 dated 22.05.2022 under Sections 302/34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860;

Santu Roy @ Hulo
Versus
The State of West Bengal

Mr. Souvik Ganguly.
...for the petitioner.

Mr. Brajesh Jha
Mr. Sunil Gupta.
...for the State.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody for 4 years 2 months and till date the prosecution evidence has not been completed.

On the other hand, learned advocate appearing for the State submits that the evidence of the last witness is in progress specifically it has been pointed out that the cross-examination of the said witness is in progress.

Having considered the advanced stage of the case, I am not inclined to release the petitioner on bail.

Accordingly, CRM(M)1362 of 2026 is dismissed.

Learned trial court would put in efforts so that the final outcome is pronounced within a reasonable period of time.

All parties shall act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties upon compliance of all requisite formalities.

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)