



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2026
(@ Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No.2273/2026)

ROJINA SARDAR

APPELLANT(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF WEST BENGAL

RESPONDENT(s)

O R D E R

Leave granted.

The appellant seeks anticipatory bail in connection with FIR No.1077/2024, dated 05.11.2024, registered at Police Station - Bishnupur, Sub-Division - Alipur, District - 24 Parganas, South for the offences punishable under Sections 20(b)(ii)(c), 25 and 29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 (for short, 'NDPS Act').

We have heard the learned counsel for the

parties.

Admittedly, chargesheet has been filed in the present case. The appellant before us is a lady who was the owner of the vehicle from which the contraband has been seized, and the contraband involved in the present case is of a commercial quantity.

Considering the fact that the chargesheet has already been filed coupled with the fact that the appellant is a lady, we are inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the appellant.

Accordingly, the impugned order passed by the High Court stands set aside, and the appellant is granted anticipatory bail on the terms and conditions that may be imposed by the concerned Trial Court, including the continued cooperation of the appellant with the conduct of further proceedings in the instant case.

The appeal stands allowed, accordingly.

Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

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[M.M. SUNDRESH]

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[NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH]

New Delhi;
11th March, 2026

ITEM NO.4

COURT NO.5

SECTION II-B

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.)
No.2273/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order
dated 18-12-2025 in CRM(A) No. 2119/2025 passed
by the High Court at Calcutta]

ROJINA SARDAR

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF WEST BENGAL

Respondent(s)

IA No. 40808/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF
THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

Date : 11-03-2026 This matter was called on for
hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR
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For Petitioner(s) :Mr. Dibyadyuti Banerjee, Adv.
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Mr. Abhijit Sengupta, AOR
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Mr. Navneet Singh, Adv.
Mr. Vishal Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mr. Alok Singh, Adv.

Mr. S.k.mehta, Adv.

For Respondent(s) :Mr. Kunal Mimani, AOR
Mr. Prashant Alai, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the
following
O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. Appeal is allowed in terms of the signed order which is placed on the file.
3. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(MOHD IBRAHIM)
SENIOR PERSONAL ASSISTANT

(POONAM VAID)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR