

**26.10.2023**

**Court No.8**

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**CRM (NDPS) 1765 OF 2023**

In Re: An application for bail under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 in connection with Bhatpara Police Station Case No.817 of 2022 dated 25.10.2022 under Section 21(c) of N.D.P.S. Act, 1985.

And

In the matter of: **Ankit Shaw**

**... Petitioner.**

Mr. Syed Murshid Alam

...for the petitioner.

Mr. A. Ganguly

Mr. P.K. Ganguly

... for the State.

The material disclosed before us shows that there is no intervening or subsequent event from the last rejection dated 14.07.2023.

The plea of the petitioner being in custody for about a year and trial not having commenced is not a subsequent event since only three months have passed since the last order of rejection.

We are in any event informed that the next date fixed for trial is 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2023.

We are hence not inclined to allow the prayer for bail.

CRM (NDPS) 1765 of 2023 is accordingly rejected in terms of the above.

**(BIBHAS RANJAN DE, J.)**

**(MOUSHUMI BHATTACHARYA, J.)**