



IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPEAL NO. _____ OF 2025
(@ SLP(CRL.) No.7018/2025)

TAPAS MUDI

APPELLANT(S)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL

RESPONDENT(S)

O R D E R

1. Leave granted.
2. We have heard the learned counsel appearing for the parties.
3. Seeking suspension of sentence for the major offence punishable under Section 302 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, the appellant come before us.
4. Admittedly, the appellant has been incarcerated for more than 9½ years. The appeal is of the year 2020. Therefore, it might take considerable time for its disposal.
5. Considering the above, we are inclined to set aside the impugned order, and suspend the sentence of the appellant till the disposal of the criminal appeal by the High Court and grant bail to the

appellant.

6. Accordingly, the impugned order stands set aside and the appellant's sentence stands suspended. He is granted bail, subject to the terms and conditions that may be imposed by the Trial Court, as it deems fit for the aforesaid purpose.
7. The appeal is allowed accordingly.
8. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

.....J.
[M.M. SUNDRESH]

.....J.
[NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH]

NEW DELHI;
28th JULY, 2025

ITEM NO.5

COURT NO.6

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(s).
7018/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated
05-03-2025 in CRAN No. 3/2024 passed by the High Court
at Calcutta]

TAPAS MUDI

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL

Respondent(s)

Date : 28-07-2025 This petition was called on for
hearing today.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. SUNDRESH
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NONGMEIKAPAM KOTISWAR SINGH

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Chand Qureshi, AOR
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For Respondent(s) Ms. Shraddha Chirania, Adv.
Mr. Kunal Vajani, Adv.
Mr. Kunal Mimani, AOR

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

Leave granted.

The relevant portion of the order reads as
under:-

'Accordingly, the impugned order

stands set aside and the appellant's sentence stands suspended. He is granted bail, subject to the terms and conditions that may be imposed by the Trial Court, as it deems fit for the aforesaid purpose.'

The appeal is allowed in terms of the signed order.

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

(SWETA BALODI)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POONAM VAID)
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

(Signed order is placed on the file)