

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 4560 OF 2021

Mr. Lalit Kumar Jain
Proprietor of Padmashri ElectricalsPetitioner

V/s.

The Staet of Maharashtra
and anr.Respondents

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Mr.V.P. Rajan i/by. Mr. M.E. Joe, Advocate for the
petitioner.

Mr. Y.M. Nakhawa, APP for State.

Mr. Smit Shah a/w. Ms. Prachi Jadhav, Advocate for
respondent no.2.

Coram : Sandeep K. Shinde, J.

Friday, 26th November, 2021.

P.C. :

1. Heard.
2. Learned Metropolitan Magistrate in Criminal Case No.12386/SS/2018 directed the accused to pay compensation in terms of Section 143A of the Negotiable Instruments Act in April, 2019. This order is assailed in

this petition. That since interim compensation has not been deposited, it may be recovered from the petitioner as if it were a fine under Section 421 of the Criminal Proceduer Code. There is no substance in the challenge. No error has been committed by the trial Court directing to pay compensation. Petition is dismissed.

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(Sandeep K. Shinde, J.)