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Subha
Item no.78
Ct no.34

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
Criminal Revisional Jurisdiction

CRR 533 of 2024

Smt. Rekha Singh @ Reekha Singh
-versus-
Dalliya Chakraborty

Mr. D. N Maiti
Mr. Ayan Basu
Mr. Sumit Routh
Ms. Akshita Singh
....for the petitioner.

Petitioner has prayed for expeditious disposal of CNS 152 of 2020 pending before the learned Judicial Magistrate, 8th court, Calcutta under Section 138 of the N. I. Act.

Record reflects that the learned Magistrate has fixed dates for evidence, however the same is not proceeding. Learned Magistrate is directed to fix at least one date in every forty-five days so that the trial of the case can be taken to its logical conclusion within a reasonable period of time.

Learned advocate also submits that till date the proceedings under Section 421 of the Code of Criminal Procedure is pending for recovery of the interim compensation. The learned Magistrate is directed not to fix both the dates together and for the purposes of the case relating to interim compensation, a date be fixed once in a month.

All efforts be taken so that the prosecution evidence is completed within a period of six months from the next date so fixed. The learned trial court will thereafter fix dates for examination of

accused under Section 313 Cr.PC, defence witnesses and take steps to conclude the trial as early as possible. .

With the aforesaid observations, the revisional application being CRR 533 of 2024 is disposed of.

Pending applications, if any, are consequently disposed of.

All concerned parties are to act in terms of a copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this court.

[Tirthankar Ghosh, J]