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C.R.R.4823 of 2023

In Re: An application under Section 482 read with Section 483 of the  
Code of Criminal Procedure;

Ashim Kumar Roy @ Asim Kr. Roy  
Versus  
The State of West Bengal

Mr. Subhadeep Chatterjee  
Ms. Arpita Kundu.  
...for the petitioner.

Ms. Sonali Das.  
...for the State.

Affidavit of service filed by the petitioner be kept with the  
record.

Report submitted by the learned advocate for the State be  
kept with the record.

Report reflects that the next date has been fixed on 3<sup>rd</sup>  
February, 2024 and 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 for evidence.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner submits  
that the case being Airport Police Station Case No.204 of 2016 was  
initiated on 06.08.2016 and subsequently charge-sheet was  
submitted. The trial commenced in the year 2017. However, till  
date, out of seven witnesses, only the mother of the victim girl has  
been examined and rest of the six witnesses are yet to be examined.

Having regard to the slow progress of the case, I am of  
the view that the learned trial court would fix a schedule consisting  
of three dates and fix such schedule on and from the month of  
March, 2024 to each and every month so that the trial of the case  
can be taken to its logical conclusion within a reasonable period of

time. In case any witness is not available, the learned trial court will communicate with the Deputy Commissioner-in-Charge of Airport Police Station so that the availability of the witness is ensured and report is submitted before the court regarding the non-availability of the witnesses' concerned. Having regard to the period which has already been lapsed in the meantime, all efforts be taken by stakeholders to conclude the trial at the earliest.

With the aforesaid observations, CRR 4823 of 2023 is disposed of.

Pending connected application, if any, is consequently disposed of.

All parties shall act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties upon compliance of all requisite formalities.

**(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)**