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CRR 2168 of 2026

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-vs-

The State of West Bengal

Mr. Subrata Karmakar
Mr. Prince Akhtar
..for the petitioner

Mr. Subir Ganguly
Mr. Sandeep Prasad Shaw
..for the State

The petitioner seeks expeditious hearing of IE Case No. 469 of 2017 pending before the Judge, Special Court, (E.C. Act)-cum-Additional District Judge, Berhampore at Murshidabad. The petitioner is the sole accused in this case. It appears that charge sheet in this case was filed on May 25, 2017. Thereafter, on several dates the petitioner did not appear. As such, the copy could not be served upon the petitioner. It appears that the matter was taken up for hearing on April 24, 2026 when the petitioner was absent and the learned Judge was pleased to fix December 16, 2026 for appearance and charge.

Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner submits that due to some personal difficulties, the petitioner could not appear before the learned Additional District Judge in the Court below. However, he undertakes before this Court to appear within two weeks from date.

In view of the aforesaid, learned Judge in the Court below is directed to conclude the charge hearing within a period of two months from the date of appearance of the petitioner.

With the aforesaid directions, **CRR 2168 of 2026** is disposed of.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the learned advocates for the parties on usual undertakings.

(Kausik Chanda, J.)