

SC No. 134/2023
State Vs. Abhimanyu Singh & Ors.
FIR No. 555/2019
PS: Khajuri Khas

30.4.2024

Present: Sh. F. M. Ansari, Ld. Addl. PP for the State.
Accused Abhimanyu Singh and Manju Devi in person on bail with Ld. Proxy counsel, Sh. A. K. Kashyap.
Accused Ajay Singh on bail, **absented**.
Sh. Nagmani Kumar, Ld. Counsel for the complainant.

The matter is fixed for evidence of the prosecution.

Notices issued to MHC(M), IO and DO/ASI Ram Prasad are received back with reports 'served', whereas, notice issued to witness Geeta is received back with report 'unserved'.

Today, on calling the case, MHC(M) HC Shoeb and DO/ASI (retired) Ram Prasad have appeared.

Ld. Counsel for the complainant has filed address of witness Geeta and her mobile phone number. Same is taken on the record.

Ld. Proxy counsel for the accused has filed an application on behalf of the accused Ajay Singh for seeking exemption from personal appearance and submitted that today Ajay Singh was not in a position to appear in the court, in view of his ill-health and prayed for granting exemption from personal appearance and also submitted that witness ASI Ram Prasad/DO,

who is present in the court may be examined in his absence and the accused Ajay Singh will have no objection.

In view of the application moved by the Ld. Proxy counsel for the accused, accused Ajay Singh is granted exemption from personal appearance for today.

Let DO/ASI (retired) Ram Prasad be examined.

Accordingly, examination-in-chief of DO/ASI (retired) Ram Prashad (PW-1) has been recorded. Ld. Proxy counsel for the accused has made talk with the main counsel for the accused and thereafter, he has told to this court that he does not want to cross-examine this witness, so, opportunity of the accused to cross-examine this witness is done nil.

No other PW is present.

Accordingly, the matter stands adjourned for remaining evidence of the prosecution. To come upon **12.9.2024. Fresh notice is ordered to be issued to witness Geeta for the next date of hearing.** IO and MHC(M) are also ordered to be summoned alongwith other witnesses of the prosecution.

(PAWAN KUMAR MATTO)
Addl. Sessions Judge (Special Judge NDPS)
North East/KKD Courts/Delhi/30.4.2024