

CS (COMM.) 157/24

HDFC Bank Vs. Dilip Kumar Das

13.08.2024

Present:- Sh. Pradeep Kumar Jha, Ld. Counsel for the plaintiff.

None for the defendants.

Perusal of the record shows that the defendants have been served on 25.04.2024. None appeared on behalf of the defendants. Also, no written statement has been filed by the defendants till date. Statutory period of 120 days as contemplated under Commercial Courts Act, 2015 for filing the written statement, has not yet expired.

In the interest of justice, subject to cost of Rs.20,000/- to be paid by the defendants to the plaintiff and subject to the provisions of Commercial Courts Act, 2015, the defendants are directed to file written statement along with statement of truth, affidavit of admission and denial of documents, list of documents as well as the documents etc. within ten days from today with advance copy be given to the opposite party and replication along with affidavit of admission and denial of documents be filed by the plaintiff within the period of 45 days of receipt of copy of the written statement, if any with advance copy be given to the opposite party.

Put up this matter for framing of issues and case management hearing, on 30.09.2024.

(Anurag Sain)
District Judge (Commercial Court-01),
Patiala House Courts Complex,
New Delhi/13.08.2024