

SC No. 111/2024
State vs. Suraj
FIR No. 147/2024
PS: New Usman Pur

14.01.2026

Present: Sh. Masood Ahmed, Ld. Chief PP for State.
Accused on bail.

Sh. Rajnikant, LAC is again not present today. Record shows that he was appointed by the Legal Aid who appeared on some dates and after framing of the charge he stopped appearing and did not participate in the cross examination of the witnesses including public witnesses.

Notice be issued to the Secretary, DLSA, North East to obtain the explanation of the Mr. Rajnikant, Advocate in this regard and submit report on or before next date of hearing. It is further ordered that Mr. Rajnikant is now removed from the present case and Sh. Lalit Yadav, Chief Legal Aid Defence Counsel is appointed to represent the accused Suraj with immediate effect.

Statement of PW-3 Ct. Rahul recorded and concluded.

PW Ct. Piyush has sent request for his non appearance due to sickness.

In this case, two witnesses have already been examined but their cross examination was treated as 'Nil' due to non appearance of LAC. They may be recalled on filing of proper application by Chief Legal Aid Defence Counsel.

Put up on **02.03.2026** for PE.

Copy of this order be given dasti to Sh. Lalit Yadav, Chief Legal Aid Defence Counsel and one copy be sent to Secretary, DLSA, North East, KKD, Delhi.

(Ashwani Kumar Sarpal)
Principal District & Sessions Judge
North-East District, KKD Delhi/14.01.2026