

**SC No.141/2019**

**State Vs. Chaitanya Bhardwaj and Ors**

**FIR No. 220/2010, PS Neb Sarai**

**16.02.2024**

Present: Sh. L D Singh, Ld. Additional PP for the State.  
Accused Chaitanya Bhardwaj, Mohd Arif, Mohd. Salim and Sushil @ Goldy on bail.  
Accused Mohd. Hayat is absent.  
Sh. Sushil Kumar, Ld. LAC for accused Mohd. Arif and Sushil @ Goldy.  
Sh. Tariq Hashmi, Ld. LAC for accused Mohd. Hayat.  
Sh. S Tabrez, Ld. counsel for accused Chaitanya Bhardwaj.  
Ms. Surbhi Chopra, Ld. counsel for complainant along with PW1 Sh. Vikram Jeet Sibel.

Matter is listed for further prosecution evidence.

Ld. LAC for accused Md. Hayat submits that he is appointed as Deputy Chief Legal Aid Defence Counsel and, therefore, he may be discharged as legal aid counsel for accused Md. Hayat and may be re-appointed in the capacity of Deputy Chief of Legal Aid Defence Counsel for accused.

Submissions heard. Request is allowed. **Sh. Tariq Hashmi, Advocate is appointed in the capacity of Deputy Chief of Legal Aid Defence Counsel for accused Md. Hayat.**

An exemption application of accused Md. Hayat is on the ground of ill health.

Heard. Record perused.

Accused Hayat is exempted from appearance only for today through the counsel present today in the Court on his behalf subject to the conditions that he shall have no objection if proceedings are conducted in his absence and that he shall not dispute his identity.

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PW1 Sh. Vikram Jeet Sibel is further examined. He is partly cross examined on behalf of accused Chaitanya Bhardwaj. His further cross examination is deferred as it is already 03:50pm.

Witness/PW1 is bound down for next date of hearing.

List now for further prosecution evidence on 07.03.2024 at 02:00pm.

**(NAVJEET BUDHIRAJA)**  
**ASJ-02/SOUTH/SAKET COURTS**  
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