

CNR No. DLST-01-002439-2021

SC No. 127/2021

State Vs. Chandan Shukla

FIR No. 76/2020

PS Malviya Nagar

17.04.2023

Present: Sh. Santosh Kumar, Ld. Addl. PP for the State.
Accused on bail.
PW1 Sh. Rajender Kumar in person.

Heard. Record perused.

Accused submits that his counsel is unwell. It is noted that even on the last date of hearing the cross-examination of PW1 was deferred as the main counsel who had to cross examine the witness was stated to be busy in Hon'ble High Court of Delhi. Today again adjournment has been sought on behalf of accused. It is noted that Sh. Pramod Sah, Ld. Counsel for accused had submitted on the last date of hearing that a senior counsel had to cross examine the witness. Today neither the senior counsel is present nor Ld. Counsel for the accused is present.

PW1 Sh. Rajender Kumar submits that he has come all the way from Banda, U.P. and coming to the Court also results in loss of his earnings.

In these facts and circumstances, request of adjournment on behalf of accused is allowed subject to the cost of Rs. 2,000/- to be paid to the witness as expenses for appearing in the Court on the NDOH.

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Accused submits that he shall pay the cost to the witness on the NDOH.

PW1 is discharged unexamined only for today.

Let PW1 Sh. Rajender Kumar be summoned afresh through the IO for the NDOH for cross-examination.

Now to come up for payment of cost by the accused to PW1 Sh. Rajender Kumar and for PE on **21.08.2023**.

(VRINDA KUMARI)
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