

Case called out.

Accused is absent. EA filed and allowed.

Counsel for accused files application under section 145(2) of NI Act seeking permission to cross examination of the complainant perused found satisfied hence allowed for cross examination of the complainant.

Learned counsel for the complainant submitted no objection.

Heard on both side on conversion of trail.

The complainant has filed the present case filed offense punishable U/sec. 138 of N.I. Act. Since, the accused pleaded not guilty and claims to be tried. It appears that there is a rival dispute between the parties in order to resolve the controversy between the parties and on perusal of documents placed on record it appears that the accused is punishable for imprisonment of more than 1 year. Hence, in order to give just decision, it is necessary to try this case in the manner summons

case. Hence, proceed to pass following:

ORDER

Acting U/sec. 143 of N.I.Act this case is order to be tried as a summons case as per chapter XX of Cr.P.C.

PW-1 is recalled and reopen stage.

For cross examination of PW1.

Call on 19.08.2026

Civil Judge & JMFC, Kittur.