

In the court of the Judge, Spl. Court under Electricity Act, Birbhum, Suri

Spl. Case (Elect. Act) No.185/2021 (Reg.no.185 of 2021)

CNR No.WBBB01-002207-2021

Present : Shri Anupam Maiti(JO Code WB00703)

Judge, Spl. Court (Elect. Act),

Suri, Birbhum

Order No.11

dated 06.02.2025

Today is fixed for hearing of the petition praying for pleading guilt and appearance of the accused persons.

Out of four accused persons, three accused persons, namely, Madan Kundu, Saranan Nandi and Biswanath Dey are absent by filing absent petition and remaining accused Bhuban Kundu files a hazira.

Now, the petition praying for pleading guilt filed by the accused Bhuban Kundu is taken up for hearing.

Ld. P.P in-charge is present.

Ld. Advocate for the accused person is also present.

Heard both sides.

Ld. Lawyer for the accused submits that at this stage the accused person does not want to contest with the case as he has been suffering much about this case due to his economic condition. Now, he wants to dispose of the matter by way of pleading his guilt.

Ld. P.P in-charge and Ld. Lawyer for the WBSEDCL do not oppose the prayer of the guilt of the accused.

In course of hearing, the accused is orally examined by the court who has stated that he was fully aware about the charge brought against him and pleads guilty by saying that "*Ami Dosh Korechhe.*"

After hearing it appears to me that his plea of guilt is clear and unambiguous and the same is free from any undue influence and coercion. Accordingly, the plea of guilt made by accused is accepted and he is convicted for the offence punishable under Section 135(1)(a) of the Electricity Act, 2003.

Hence it is,

ORDERED

that the accused namely, Bhuban Kundu is found guilty for the offence under Section 135(1)(a) of the Electricity Act and convicted.

On being asked convict, Bhuban Kundu states that he is unemployed and poor person. He prays for mercy and lessor punishment due to his poor economic condition.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case as well as his poor economic condition, I am of the view that the fine of Rs.1,800/- would be appropriate and justified for the convict Bhuban Kundu.

Accordingly the convict Bhuban Kundu is sentenced to pay fine of Rs.1,800/-, i.d, simple imprisonment for one day.

The above accused Bhuban Kundu is released from his bail bond.

The surety of the above accused Bhuban Kundu also be discharged from the liability of the bail bond.

Fix 07.08.2025 for appearance of remaining accused persons, namely, Madan Kundu, Saranan Nandi and Biswanath Dey.

Dictated & Corrected by me.

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