

CRLCP 25 of 2024
In
CRR 3450 of 2022

Vineet Kothari

Vs.

Vipul Harsh, Assistant Director, Kolkata Zonal Office,
Directorate of Enforcement, Ministry of Finance,
Government of India

Mr. Ayan Bhattacharjee
Mr. Indrajit Adhikari
Mr. Arijit Choudhury
Mr. Suman Majumder ...for the petitioner

Mr. Vipul Kundalia ...for the Enforcement Directorate

1. It is the allegation of the petitioner that in spite of the stay order passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this court vide order dated 16.9.2022 and same as still continuing in respect of further proceedings of M.L. case no. 5 of 2018, the Investigating Officer has resumed investigation and caused search and seizure in the instant case. Accordingly, the petitioner has filed a contempt application.
2. On the other hand, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the enforcement directorate submits that there is no such stay with regards to the investigation. The stay was/is granted only in respect of the proceeding of M.L. case no. 5 of 2018 pending before the trial Court.
3. In view of the above facts and to decide with the issue, let the contempt application be served upon the learned

counsel appearing on behalf of the enforcement directorate
as well as the alleged contemnor.

4. Let the matter appear on 22nd July, 2024.

(Ajay Kumar Gupta, J.)