

ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
Special Jurisdiction [Contempt]
ORIGINAL SIDE

CC/47/2025

ABDUL HADI
VS
MD. RIZWAN AND ORS.

BEFORE:

The Hon'ble JUSTICE KRISHNA RAO

Date : 4th February, 2026.

Appearance:

Mr. Abdul Hadi, (in person)
...for the petitioner

Mr. Arindam Banerjee, Adv.
Mr. Prashant Kumar Singh, Adv.
Mr. Sabbir Ali Mirza, Adv.
... for the alleged contemnor nos. 1 to 6

Mr. Somdev Ash, Adv.
Ms. Anandi Chakraborty, Adv.
...for the contemnor Nos. 7 and 12

Ms. U. Chatterjee, Adv.
Mr. S. Basu, Adv.
...for the contemnor Nos.8, 9, 10 and 11

Mr. Shamit Sanyal, Adv.
Ms. S. Jamal, Adv.
...for the contemnor No. 13

1. The petitioner has filed the present contempt application on the allegation that the alleged contemnor nos.1 to 6 have violated the order passed by this Court dated 26th September, 2024 wherein this Court has directed that the defendants shall pay Rs.80 lakhs with the Registrar, Original Side, in six instalments of Rs.6.5 lakhs each from the month of October 2024 till 31st March, 2025 and the last instalment would be Rs.15 lakhs (7.5 lakhs each).
2. This Court has further directed the defendants to pay the monthly allowance of Rs.20,000/- to the plaintiff no.1 and Rs.15,000/- to the

plaintiff no.1 only uptill November 2018 and thereafter the defendants shall not to pay any monthly allowance.

3. It is found that the defendants neither paid Rs.80 lakhs nor paid any monthly allowance as directed by this Court. This Court after issuance of the rule the contemnors have appeared before this Court in person and prayed for time to file affidavit-in-opposition. This Court has released the alleged contemnors on personal bonds with the direction to file affidavit-in-opposition. In spite of the direction passed by this Court no affidavit has been filed. On 14th January, 2026 this contempt application was taken up for hearing and on the said date also this Court has granted liberty to the alleged contemnors to file affidavit-in-opposition subject to payment of cost of Rs.10,000/- each, but till date the affidavit has not been filed.
4. Thus, this Court is of the view that the alleged contemnors have willfully and deliberately violated the order passed by this Court and also not filed the affidavit in spite of the several opportunities given to them.
5. Thus, the alleged contemnors are directed to appear before this Court in person on 17th February, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.
6. Let the matter appear on 17th February, 2026 at 3:00 P.M.

(KRISHNA RAO, J.)