

OD-6

ORDER SHEET

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction
ORIGINAL SIDE

CS/140/2024
IA No. GA/1/2024

MANOJ KUMAR VERMA AND ORS.
-VS-
GYAN PRAKASH AND ORS

BEFORE:
The Hon'ble JUSTICE KRISHNA RAO
Date : October 7, 2024.

Appearance :

Mr. Krishna Raj Thaker, Adv.
Mr. Saunak Sengupta, Adv.
Mr. A. K. Upadhyay, Adv.
Mr. Diptomoy Talukdar, Adv.
...for the plaintiffs

Mr. Anirban Ray, Adv.
Mr. Chayan Gupta, Adv.
Mr. Pouroush Bandyopadhyay, Adv.
Mr. Aditya Garodia, Adv.
Mr. Pintu Ghosh, Adv.
...for the defendant nos. 1 to 7 and 9 to 11

Mr. Kuldip Mallick, Adv.
Mr. S. N. Dutta, Adv.
...for the defendant nos. 8a, 8b and 8c

The Court: Mr. Krishna Raj Thaker, learned counsel, is appearing for the plaintiffs.

Mr. Anirban Ray, learned counsel, is appearing for the defendant nos. 1 to 7 and 9 to 11.

Mr. Kuldip Mallick, learned counsel, is appearing for the defendant nos. 8a, 8b and 8c.

Counsel for the respective parties submit that there is a chance of settlement and pray for referring the matter to the Mediator.

In view of the above, Mr. Om Narayan Rai, learned Advocate, is appointed as Mediator.

The parties are directed to appear before the learned Mediator to settle their dispute.

The Mediator is directed to complete the mediation preferably within a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of this order.

In the meantime, the parties are directed to maintain status quo as on date with regard to right, title, interest and possession of the properties described in the present application which includes shares in the companies and the immovable properties and the status quo order shall remain continue till 28th November, 2024 or until further orders, whichever is earlier.

It is made clear that this order is without prejudice to the rights and contentions to the parties including objection to the maintainability of the suit and existence of any agreement between the parties as pleaded in the suit.

If before the date fixed the Mediation process is concluded either settlement or non-starter, the parties will be at liberty to mention before this Court.

List the matter on 28th November, 2024.

(KRISHNA RAO, J.)