

In the High Court at Calcutta
Commercial Division
Original Side

IA No. GA-COM/3/2026
In CS-COM/668/2024

RAJ KUMAR PODDAR
-VS-
AJAY KUMAR SURANA

BEFORE:
The Hon'ble JUSTICE ANIRUDDHA ROY
Date : April 8, 2026.

Appearance:
Mr. Ratul Das, Adv.
Mr. Ashutosh Singh, Adv.
... for the plaintiff

Mr. Vipul Kundalia, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Anurag Roy, Adv.
... for the Customs Authority

The Court: On the prayer of Mr. Vipul Kundalia, learned Senior Advocate appearing for the Customs Authority, time to file affidavit stands extended till today. Affidavit filed in Court today is taken on record. Copy has been served on Mr. Ratul Das, learned Advocate appearing for the plaintiff.

The plaintiff shall consider the affidavit.

The order dated **March 10, 2026** shows that further directions, if required to be passed, those will be against the defendant.

Defendant is not represented today, though he had already been represented previously through his Advocate on Record, Mr. Soumya Basu, learned Advocate.

In view of the above, the plaintiff shall serve a notice along with a copy of today's order upon the defendant and Mr. Soumya Basu, learned Advocate on Record for the defendant.

The defendant is directed to be personally present in Court on the next day in view of his long absence in the matter and more so, there has already been a direction by a Co-ordinate Bench to deposit a sum of **Rs.80,00,000/-** by the defendant to the Registrar, Original Side but record shows deposit has not yet been made.

It is made clear that if the defendant is not represented and also does not appear personally on the next day, this Court may proceed to consider issuance of warrant of arrest against the defendant to ensure his presence before this Court.

The matter shall appear under the heading "**New Motion**" on **May 6, 2026**.

The plaintiff shall also file an affidavit of service on the next day.

(ANIRUDDHA ROY, J.)

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