ITEM NO.20 Court 1 (Video Conferencing) SECTION II-B

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No(s).9071/2021

(Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 24-03-2021 in CRM No.1210/2021 passed by the High Court at Calcutta)

KANAI SARKAR Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION and I.R. and IA No.152689/2021-EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT)

Date : 13-12-2021 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :
HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURYA KANT
HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HIMA KOHLI

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Suyash Tripathi, Adv.
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Mr. Satish Kumar, AOR
For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

The Court is convened through Video Conferencing.

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioner and carefully perusing the material placed on record, we see no reason to grant bail to the petitioner at this stage.

The special leave petition is, accordingly, dismissed.

However, taking into consideration the totality of facts and circumstances of the instant case, we direct the trial court to expedite the trial and conclude the same preferably within a period of six months from the date of communication of this order.

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Date: 2021.12.13 17:56:26 IST
Reason:

If the trial is not concluded within the time stipulated hereinabove, the petitioner would be at liberty to move the trial court for grant of bail.

Consequent upon dismissal of the special leave petition, pending interlocutory application also stands disposed of.

(SATISH KUMAR YADAV)
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

(R.S. NARAYANAN)
COURT MASTER (NSH)