IN THE COURT OF MS. NIRJA BHATIA, SPECIAL JUDGE, PC ACT (CBI)-03, ROUSE AVENUE DISTRICT COURT, NEW DELHI

CC/R.No. 285/2019

CBI Vs. Sanjay Anand etc. (Closure Report)

29.07.2020

Sh. Praneet Sharma, Sr. PP for CBI alongwith 1O Pr. (on screen): Dharamvir Singh.

Matter has been taken up through Video Conferencing hosted by Sh.Ashok Kumar, Reader of the court in terms of orders of Hon'ble High Court bearing No. R-235/RG/DHC/2020 dated 16.05.2020 and 16/DHC/ 2020 dated 13.06.2020.

The queries asked on the previous dates are repeated. IO submits that he is not the IO in the present matter now, as he has been transferred and thus, he does not own any responsibility. He also submits that a new IO will come to give reply. He also submits that meaning of further investigation is to investigate only on the pointers given by the Court.

IO is asked about the grounds for filing the closure report (apart from the statements under Section 161 Cr.P.C.) prompting the accused persons to avoid the process of tender, as a process of tender can be avoided only in conditions when there is acute exigency of completion of work.

On one hand, it is stated that there was bulk order and urgent manufactured were not sold even for three years Had there been an order for purchase, there must have been some succeeding purchase to the piling of stock. manufacturing of medallion was needed, which goes in sharp contrast to

Ld. Sr. PP submits that he has not read the file as he has been supplied with CD comprising of more than 4000 pages and needs to go through the file.

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In view of the conducted reflected on record by the IO Dharamvir Singh shying away from his responsibility to inform the Court and rather throwing the burden on the department for fresh appointment of IO and in absence of reflecting as to what prompted him to properly investigate the matter as the pointers given by the ld. predecessor must be observed as suggestion/in aid to the investigation as it is a settled law that the investigation is the prerogative of the IO to completely and thoroughly look into the matter, let the DIG concerned tender his response.

The afore-said is now being fixed for 07.08.2020, as prayed by Id. Sr. PP.

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