

Order dated 16.03.2026.

Today is fixed for show cause by the complainant representing W.B Minorities Development & Finance Corporation i.d., to be dismissed u/s 257(ii) of CrPC.

The record is taken up for accordingly.

The complainant is absent without steps. No such show cause is filed either.

It appears that the matter relates to remote years and despite several speaking orders the complainant did not turn up till date. I think, the complainant is no more interested to proceed with the instant case.

I have gone through the complaint and the other materials on record and also s. 257(ii) of the CrPC. It appears from the said provision that when the proceedings have been instituted upon complaint, and on any day fixed for hearing of the case, the complainant is absent, and the offence may be lawfully compounded, or is not a cognizable offence, the Court may, in its discretion, at any time before the charge has been framed , discharge the accused person.

It appears that the penal provision involved in this case is s.138, NI Act which is summons procedure case.

In view of the above, as there remains no legal bar, the matter is hereby dismissed u/s 257(ii) of the CrPC.

The accused person is hereby acquitted from this case.

Note in the register.

ACJM, Bidhannagar, 24 Parganas (N)