

Dated: 10.03.2026

Today is fixed for the appearance of the accused persons, who are on Court bail, and for recording evidence.

The accused persons, who are on Court bail, are found absent before the Court today. No step has been taken on their behalf.

The Ld. Addl. P.P. files hazira on behalf of the prosecution. He also files a petition praying for cancellation of the present schedule fixed for evidence on the grounds stated therein.

It is submitted that the Ld. Advocates of the local Bar Association have adopted a resolution requesting the Courts not to pass any adverse order in cases where no step is taken on behalf of the parties, in view of the ongoing election process of the West Bengal Bar Council.

The said submission of the Ld. Addl. P.P. is taken into consideration. Having regard to the aforesaid circumstances and considering the resolution adopted by the local Bar Association, the present schedule fixed for evidence stands cancelled for today.

At this stage, the Ld. Addl. P.P. also files a report submitted by Neturia P.S. stating that CSW-5 Milan Bouri expired on 01.02.2026 and CSW-1 Dipak Bouri expired on 06.09.2022. In support of the said report, the Ld. Addl. P.P. files a xerox copy of the post-mortem report of Milan Bouri and the death certificate of CSW-1 Dipak Bouri.

The report of Neturia P.S. along with the documents filed by the Ld. Addl. P.P. is taken on record. The same are perused.

In view of the report submitted by the police authority and the documents produced in support thereof, it appears that the aforesaid witnesses have expired.

In such circumstances, their examination as witnesses is no longer possible. Accordingly, considering the facts and circumstances of the case and on the basis of the report submitted by the police authority supported by the documents placed on record, let the names of CSW-1 Dipak Bouri and CSW-5 Milan Bouri be expunged from the list of prosecution witnesses as mentioned in the charge-sheet.

Let a note to that effect be made in the relevant register as well as in the record of the case.

Regular PO of this court is on duty leave. I am in charge.

For the purpose of recording the evidence of the remaining prosecution witnesses, the following schedule is hereby fixed:

- **22.06.2026** – for evidence of CSW-2 and CSW-3
- **23.06.2026** – for evidence of CSW-4 and CSW-6

The Ld. Addl. P.P. is directed to put in requisites for issuance of witness summons to the aforesaid witnesses immediately.

Dictated & corrected,

ASJ I/C

Additional Sessions Judge
Raghunathpur, Purulia I/C