

G.R Case No:- 153 of 2025
C.I.S Registration No:-847 of 2025

Order dated: 09.03.2026

Accused persons is present.

The accused person is examined under section 313 Criminal Procedure Code 1973 where they again claimed themselves as not guilty and not willing to adduce any witness on their behalf. The examination recorded by this court are kept with the record.

Accordingly as per the version of the accused person and on verbal prayer of the Ld. Advocate for the accused persons D.W. is hereby closed.

At this stage Ld. Advocate for the accused persons pray for hearing argument because as per his version there are no incriminating materials against them.

Ld. A.P.P. raised no objection on the prayer of the Ld. Advocate for the accused persons.

Heard. Considering the fact that the accused person have a right of speedy trial, the prayer is allowed for speedy disposal of this case.

Heard argument for both sides.

Fix 02:00 P.M. for delivery of judgment. Accused person should remain present.

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As stipulated by the previous order it is now fixed for delivery of judgment. The accused is not required to be present when a judgment is pronounced if their attendance was waived during the trial, and the sentence is a fine or acquittal. In these cases, the accused's pleader is enough. Ld lawyer for the accused person is present. Ld. A.P.P. is also present and raised no objection.

Judgment is ready and delivered in open court in presence of both sides. The operative part of the judgment is read out in open court in presence of both parties. The operative portion of the judgment runs in the following lines:-

Hence, it is

ORDERED

That the accused person namely Dipak Mandal is found not guilty of the charge under section 46 A (c) of the Bengal Excise Act . as was leveled against him.

He is hereby acquitted from said charges under Section 255(1) of the Code of Criminal Procedure,1973. He be set at liberty forthwith. Surety be released from bond.

Seized articles be destroyed after lapse of appeal period.

Note in the T.R.

Copy of this judgment of acquittal be forwarded to Secretary, DLSA, Purulia and District Magistrate, Purulia for necessary information.

Dated: 09.03.2026

Judicial Magistrate 1st Court
Raghunathpur, Purulia
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