

GR Case No:698/2023 (C.I.S Regn. No: GR Case:204/2024)

WBND13-000352-2024

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Order Dated: 08-06-2026

Today is fixed for examination of the accused u/s-313 of Cr.P.C.

All the accused persons on C/B are present today by filing hazira.

Ld. A.P.P is also present.

All the accused persons are individually examined u/s-313 of Cr.P.C by this Court and their statements are recorded in separate sheets. Let these be kept with the record.

During such examination, it appears that the accused persons have no specific defence case and they also refuse to adduce any defence witnesses.

Thus, D.W is hereby closed.

After recording of statements of the accused persons u/s- 313 of Cr.P.C, it appears before this Court that both the sides are ready and willing to make argument in this case and as such, the case record is taken up for hearing of argument.

Hd. arguments of both the sides in full.

The Judgment will be pronounced today during after lunch session.

All the accused persons including Ld. A.P.P and the Ld. Defence Counsel must present at that time.

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Later

All the accused persons along with their Ld. Advocate and Ld. A.P.P are present before this Court.

The case record is taken up for delivery of judgment.

The judgment is ready in separate sheets under my seal and signature and is pronounced in Open Court today in presence of both the sides.

Let it be kept with the record.

The ordering portion of the judgment is as follows:-

“Hence, it is

ORDERED

that the accused persons namely 1. Bipula Barman (A1), 2. Basu Barman (A2), 3. Bipul Barman (A3), 4. Biplab Barman (A4) & 5. Sujan Barman (A5) are found not guilty of the offence punishable under section– 498A/406/34 of I.P.C and accordingly, the above-named accused persons are hereby acquitted under section 248 (1) of Cr.P.C from this case.

In view of Sec. 437-A Cr.P.C. the accused persons having presented a petition to permit them to remain on the terms and conditions of the previous bail bonds, the prayer is allowed. They are permitted to remain on self same bond for the next six months with direction upon them to appear before the Appellate Court as and when any appeal is filed against this judgment within such period.

Seized articles, if any, be disposed off, as per law after the appeal period is over.

In compliance with the direction of the Hon’ble High Court in Sabitri Bhunya—Vs-- The State of West Bengal and Others in CRA 266 of 2020 (decision on 29-03-2022), it is hereby endorsed by this Court that the victim has the right to prefer an appeal under proviso to Section 372 of Cr.P.C and if necessary, to avail free legal assistance through the legal services authorities concerned to prefer and prosecute such appeal.

Let a copy of this judgment of acquittal be forwarded to the District Magistrate, Nadia and District Legal Services Authority, Nadia for due intimation to the victim in compliance with the aforesaid direction of the Hon’ble High Court.”

Thus, petition filed u/s- 437-A of Cr.P.C by the accused persons, after pronouncing the judgment, stands disposed off accordingly.

D/A is directed to upload the softcopy of this judgment and this Order in “C.I.S” at once so as to enable the parties and the Ld. Counsels to access the same from e-courts website and necessary noting be made in the relevant register accordingly.

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