

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****ACQA No. 324 of 2019**STATE OF CHHATTISGARH **versus** RAVINDRA KUMAR GENDLE**ACQA/82/2019****Order Sheet**

<b>10.04.2026</b>	<p>Mr. Sanjeev Pandey, Dy. Advocate General for the State/appellant in ACQA No. 324 of 2019 and for respondent No. 1/State in ACQA No. 82 of 2019.</p> <p>Mr. Ashutosh Trivedi, counsel for respondent in ACQA No. 324 of 2019 and for respondent No. 2 in ACQA No. 82 of 2019.</p> <p>Mr. Ravi Kumar Bhagat, Advocate for the appellant in ACQA No. 324 of 2019.</p> <p>When this Court put a specific query to learned counsel for the parties that:-</p> <p>(i) Whether tape recorder provided by the Anti Corruption Bureau falls within the criteria of primary</p>
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evidence or whether Anti Corruption Bureau will be owner of the tape recorder or not.

(ii) Whether on account of a negative phenolphthalein test, the acquittal of the accused is legal and justified or liable to be interfered by this Court, they would pray for time to make submission on the next date of hearing.

List both the cases on **29<sup>th</sup> April, 2026.**

**Sd/-  
(Narendra Kumar Vyas)  
Judge**