

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL LEAVE PETITION (CRIMINAL) Diary No(s). 62514/2025

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 09-10-2025
in CRM(M) No. 1923/2025 passed by the High Court at Calcutta]

ARITRO GHOSH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 285624/2025 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED
JUDGMENT AND IA No. 285621/2025 - PERMISSION TO FILE PETITION
(SLP/TP/WP/..)

Date : 05-02-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BINDAL
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIJAY BISHNOI

For Petitioner(s) :

Ms. Misha Rohatgi Mohta, Adv.
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For Respondent(s) :

Mr. Sabhyasachi Banerjee, Sr. Adv.
Ms. Anusuya Sadhu Sinha, Adv.
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M/S. Ksn & Co., AORMr. Shadan Farasat, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Kunal Mimani, Adv.
Mr. Abhinav Rana, Adv.UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E RIn terms of order passed by this Court on 28.11.2025,
Mr. Peeyush Pandey, Director General of Police, State of West
Bengal is connected through Video-Conferencing.

He submitted that he has recently taken charge of the post.

The respondent no.2-accused was in custody in another case where the trial is going on and the same is likely to be concluded within few months.

Be that as it may, as Mr. Peeyush Pandey, D.G.P. submitted that he has taken charge of the post recently, let him inquire about the facts of the case and apprise the Court by way of an affidavit as to why the State, which is responsible for maintaining law and order, had not taken appropriate steps, in the case in hand where the respondent no.2, who was released on bail, had a chequered criminal history.

Let the affidavit be filed within two weeks.

List on 26.02.2026.

(DEEPAK SINGH)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(AKSHAY KUMAR BHORIA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)