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WPA No. 4050 of 2020
Ananga Nandi
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WPA No. 4051 of 2020
Madan Dey & Ors.
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Tushar Kanti Dey
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WPA No. 4074 of 2020
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WPA No. 2830 of 2021
Menoka Manna & Ors.
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The petitioners complain that their respective lands were requisitioned according to the West Bengal Land (Requisition & Acquisition) Act, 1948 (hereinafter referred to as the “said Act of 1948”) but the lands were not acquired subsequently. In the meantime, the said Act of 1948 stood repealed with effect from March 31, 1997.

The petitioners filed their representations before the respondent No.3 in WPA 22340 of 2019 on July 23, 2019, WPA 2779 of 2021 on October 1, 2020, in WPA 22348 of 2019 on August 26, 2019, in WPA 22349 of 2019 on August 26, 2019, in WPA 22353 of 2019 on September 23, 2019, in WPA 22354 of 2019 on September 2, 2019, in WPA 22355 of 2019 on August 26, 2019, in WPA 22357 of 2019 on August 26, 2019, in WPA 759 of 2020 on October 14, 2019, in WPA 761 of 2020 on September 23, 2019, in WPA 763 of 2020 on September 30, 2019, in WPA 765 of 2020 on October 18, 2019, in WPA 768 of 2020 on October 14, 2019, in WPA 769 of 2020 on October 18, 2019, WPA 771 of 2020 on September 30, 2019, in WPA 773 of 2020 on October 18, 2019, WPA 778 of 2020 on October 18,

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3251 of 2020 on April 8, 2019, in WPA 4049 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4050 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4051 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4053 of 2020 on January 13, 2020, in WPA 4066 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4068 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4074 of 2020 on January 13, 2020, in WPA 4078 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4083 of 2020 on January 9, 2020, in WPA 4089 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4137 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4139 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4141 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4144 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4145 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 4146 of 2020 on January 6, 2020, in WPA 2776 of 2021 on January 13, 2020, in WPA 2842 of 2021 on January 13, 2020, in WPA 2845 of 2021 on November 17, 2020, in WPA 2849 of 2021 on October 1, 2020, in WPA 22351 of 2019 on August 26, 2019, in WPA 2780 of 2021 on January 13, 2020, in WPA 2793 of 2021 on October 1, 2020 and in WPA 2830 of 2021 on January 13, 2020 for release of their lands and payment of compensation but the said representations have not been considered till date. The petitioners pray for consideration of the respective representations by the concerned authority.

Having considered the submissions made by the learned counsels appearing on behalf of the parties and the material on record, I dispose of these writ petitions with a direction upon the respondent No.3 to consider and

dispose of the respective representations filed by the petitioners within a period of three months from the date of communication of this order and after giving reasonable opportunity of hearing to all the affected parties including the petitioners, in accordance with law.

With the above observations and directions the aforesaid writ petitions are disposed of. However, there shall be no order as to costs.

Since no affidavit is invited, the allegations contained in the petitions are deemed not to be admitted.

Urgent certified website copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties upon compliance with all requisite formalities.

(Suvra Ghosh, J.)