

04.03.2021.
Item no. 147.
Court No.13
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**W.P.A. No. 11779 of 2020
(Through Video Conference)**

**Pampa Pan & Ors.
Versus
The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Mr. Samiran Mandal,
Mr. Abhinaba Dan.

...For the petitioners.

Mr. Arjun Ray Mukherjee.

...For the State.

Affidavit-of-service filed in Court today by the
Counsel for the petitioners be taken on record.

The petitioners claim to have applied for the post
of Anganwari Worker before the Child Development
Project Officer, Taldangra in the district of Bankura
pursuant to an advertisement dated 20th October,
2009.

The process of recruitment was undertaken and
completed sometime in July, 2010 without declaring
the results therefor or publishing any panel
thereunder.

The petitioners made a representation in
October 2020 in this regard through their learned
Advocate. It is submitted that the respondents have
initiated a fresh process of recruitment.

This Court notes that the petitioners have been
inactive for ten long years. The claims of the
petitioners are barred for the principles of delay and
latches.

In view of the above, no relief can be granted to the writ petitioners in this writ application.

The instant writ application must fail and is hereby dismissed.

There will be no order as to costs.

All parties are directed to act on a server copy of this order on usual undertakings.

(*Rajasekhar Mantha, J.*)