

06.06.2023.
Court No.13
Item No. 18
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W.P.A. No. 4266 of 2023
Asraf Hossain
Versus
The Inspector-in-charge, Haringhata Police Station & Ors.

Mr. Ibrahim Shaikh,
Ms. Sabana Khatun.

...For the petitioner.

Sk. Md. Galib,
Ms. Jyotsna Roy Mukherjee.

...For the State.

Mr. Anindya Lahiri,
Ms. Pranati Das.

...For the respondent No.18.

1. The petitioner alleges inaction on the part of Haringhata Police Station in dealing with the complaint dated 17th January, 2023.
2. The grievance of the petitioner is that the private respondents are trying to grab his property and have tampered with the records of the Land Reforms Department.
3. The private respondents are represented. They claim to be the Patta holders in respect of the property in question.
4. This Court is of the view that the disputes between the petitioner and the private respondents are purely civil and statutory in nature.
5. The petitioner may approach the Authorities under the West Bengal Land Reforms Act, 1955. In fact, the petitioner has filed an Original Application being O.A.

No. 358 of 2022 before the West Bengal Land Reforms and Tenancy Tribunal, Kolkata which is pending.

6. The petitioner may seek appropriate relief in the said proceedings.

7. Haringhata Police Station has already taken out proceedings under Sections 107 and 116(c) of the Code of Criminal Procedure. The police shall continue to ensure that there is no breach of peace in the area.

8. This Court finds no inaction on the part of the Haringhata Police Station.

9. Haringhata Police Station has submitted a report in the form of instructions addressed to the Government Pleader, High Court, Calcutta, which is taken on record.

10. With the aforesaid directions, the instant writ petition shall stand disposed of.

11. There will be no order as to costs.

12. All parties are directed to act on a server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

(Rajasekhar Mantha, J.)