

15.04.2024
Sl. No.03
Suman
Ct.No.238

WPA 2690 of 2024

Antara Biswas and Anr.
Vs.
The State of West Bengal and Ors.

Mr. Lutful Haque
Ms. Taharima Khatun
..for the petitioners

Mr. Nilotpal Chatterjee
...for the Indian Nursing Council

Mr. Gourav Das
Mr. Hemanta Kumar Das
..for the State

Let the name of Mr. Hemanta Kumar Das,
learned advocate be incorporated in the order dated
March 6, 2024 as the advocate for the State.

Mr. Nilotpal Chatterjee, learned advocate
appearing for the Indian Nursing Council in his usual
fairness submits that this case is covered by the
judgment and order passed in WPA 12092 of 2023
(Asmita Bhakta –vs.- The State of West Bengal).

The relevant part of the said judgment is quoted
below:-

“I am of the view that the registration of
the petitioner under the West Bengal Nursing
Council cannot be denied. The clarification
contained in the aforementioned letter dated
May 15, 2023 makes it clear that there is no
practical distinction between “Home Science”
course and “Healthcare Science” course

offered by the West Bengal State Council of Technical & Vocational Education and Skill Development.

I am of the view when the West Bengal State Council of Technical & Vocational Education and Skill Development being the competent authority itself clarified that the petitioner is eligible for registration for G.N.M. Course, Nursing Council should grant requisition to the petitioner.”

The petitioner appears to be similarly circumstanced.

Accordingly, this writ petition is allowed with a direction upon the West Bengal Nursing Council to grant registration to the petitioner within one week from the date of communication of this order.

Accordingly, **WPA 2690 of 2024** is disposed of.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the learned advocates for the parties on usual undertakings.

(Kausik Chanda, J.)