

June 24, 2024
Sl. No.47
Court No.9
s.biswas

WPA 23189 of 2023

Lakshmirani Parya
vs.
West Bengal State Electricity Distribution
Company Limited and others

Mr. Anindya Sundar Das
Mr. Abirlal Chakraborty
Mr. Ratul Deb Banerjee
Mr. Subrata Mondal
Ms. Paramita Mondal

... for the petitioner

Mr. Sk. Md. Galib
Mr. Safik Dewan

... for the State

Mr. Sujit Sankar Koley
Mr. Swagatam Deb

... for the WBSEDCL

1. Affidavit of service is taken on record.

The petitioner complains of non-consideration of her prayer for compensation on account of death of her husband, due to electrocution. It is alleged that a live wire maintained by the distribution company, had caused such accidental death. The village of the petitioner is Uttar Gopalnagar.

The writ petition is disposed of without any opinion on the correctness of the contentions of the petitioner. The writ petition shall be treated as a representation of the petitioner and disposed of by the concerned authority in accordance with law.

The petitioner and the representative of Patharpratima Customer Care Centre shall also be heard at the time of disposal of the writ petition. A reasoned order shall be passed and communicated to the petitioner. The entire exercise should be completed within a period of two months from the date of communication of this order.

Since no affidavit has been called for, allegations made in the writ petition are deemed to be denied by the distribution company. The distribution company shall be entitled to put forward their version before the appropriate authority along with documents.

6. All parties are directed to act on the basis of the server copy of the order.

(Shampa Sarkar, J.)