

Court No. 2  
**03.01.2025**  
(Item No. ML-92)  
(AB)

**IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA**  
**Constitutional Writ Jurisdiction**  
**Appellate Side**

**W.P.A. 18270 of 2024**

Kajal Panda (Mishra) & Anr.  
VS  
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Manish Kumar Das  
.... For the petitioners  
Mr. Vimal Kumar Shahi  
Ms. Pratiti Das  
.... For the State respondents

Affidavit of service filed in Court today is taken  
on record.

Mr. Manish Kumar Das, learned advocate  
appears for the petitioners.

Ms. Pratiti Das, learned advocate appears for  
respondent Nos. 1 and 2.

None appears for the rest of the respondents.

The sole grievance of the petitioners is that the  
representation of the petitioner dated **January 24,**  
**2024, annexure P-5** at **page 30** to the writ petition is  
kept pending for long.

In view of the above, the respondent No. 1 is  
directed upon issuing a prior hearing notice of at least  
seven days to the petitioner and the other interested  
parties, if any, and after granting them an opportunity  
of hearing shall dispose of the said representation  
dated **January 24, 2024, annexure P-5** at **page 30** to

the writ petition by passing a reasoned order in accordance with law.

The entire exercise shall be carried out completed by the respondent No. 3 positively within a period of **six weeks** from the date of communication of this order. The reasoned order shall be communicated to the petitioner and the other interested parties, if any, within a further period of **one week** from the date of the said reasoned order to be passed.

It is made clear that, this Court has not gone into the merits of the claim of the petitioner and the other interested parties, if any, and they shall be at liberty to urge whatever points they wish to urge by relying upon whatever records and documents they wish to rely upon before the respondent No. 3.

In the event, the reasoned order goes in favour of the petitioner or any other interested parties, if any, then the respondent No. 3 and/or the appropriate authorities shall take all necessary and consequential steps for issuing land loser certificate and consequential payment of compensation payable to the petitioner and other interested parties, if any, in accordance with law within a period of **three months** from the date of the said reasoned order to be passed.

In the event, the record shows that compensation has already been paid to the actual

land loser then no further compensation to be paid to the petitioner and other interested parties, if any.

It is further made clear that, this order shall not create any right or equity in favour of the petitioner or in favour of the other interested parties, if any, if they do not succeed to their respective claim before the respondent No. 3 strictly in accordance with law.

Since affidavits are not called for, the allegations made in this writ petition are deemed not to have been admitted by the respondents.

With the above observations and directions, this writ petition, **WPA 18270 of 2024** stands **disposed of**, without any order as to costs.

Photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be furnished expeditiously.

**(Aniruddha Roy, J.)**