

Sl.No. 25 26.02.2025
Court No. 35
G.S.Das

WPA 18887 of 2024

Priyanka Mitra @ Pinku Mitra
-Vs-
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Bibek Jyoti Basu
Mr. Sandeep Prasad Shaw
Mr. A. K. Singh
... for the petitioner(s)
Mr. Jahar Lal De, Id. AGP
Mr. Sutanu Chakraborty
... for the State-respondent(s)
Mr. Noorul Islam
Mr. Vinayak Chaubey
Mr. Harshit Jaiswal
Ms. Ritika Pipalwa
... for the respondent no.7
Mr. Souma Subhra Ray
Mr. Amarnath Agarwal
... for the respondent nos. 8&9

The petitioner has approached this court being aggrieved by the fact that her complaint was not properly dealt with by the police authorities. A fresh report has been submitted by the police authorities which reflects that a case was registered by Amherst Street Police Station being FIR No. 162 dated 16.12.2024 and charge-sheet has been submitted on conclusion of investigation under Sections

429/34 of the IPC read with Section 11(I) of Prevention of Cruelty to Animal Act, 1960.

In view of the police authorities having acted on the complaint, the grievance of the petitioner, *prima facie*, seems to be addressed.

If the petitioner is aggrieved by any act and actions of the police authorities while submitting charge-sheet, the petitioner will invoke the relevant provisions of law before the learned Court which is *in seisin* of the matter. The learned Court will deal with the same according to the legislation for prevention of cruelty to animals.

It is also directed that the authorities responsible for granting licence(s) should monitor regarding breeding of animals under the relevant provisions of law so that unnecessary harassment and/or cruelty is not inflicted

upon the animals under the garb of domestication.

With the aforesaid observations, WPA 18887 of 2024 is disposed of.

Pending application(s), if any, is also disposed of.

Report so submitted be kept with the record.

Parties to act on a server copy of this order duly collected from the official website of the Hon'ble High Court, Calcutta.

(Tirthankar Ghosh, J.)