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February 03, 2026.
KAUSHIK

WPA No. 2036 of 2026

Sk. Hasmat Ali
Vs.
The Chairman and Managing Director,
WBSEDCL & Ors.

Mr. Zeeshan Uz Zaman
Mr. Sahadat Ali
... for the petitioner.

Mr. Amitabh Shukla
Mr. Prakash Chandra Pandey
... for the WBSEDCL

The petitioner prays for extension of time to deposit an *ad hoc* sum of Rs.2,50,000/- to the WBSEDCL in terms of an earlier direction dated 7th January, 2025 passed in a prior round of litigation being WPA 167 of 2025 (*Sk. Hasmat Ali Vs. The Chairman and Managing Director, WBSEDCL & Ors.*).

On behalf of WBSEDCL, it is submitted that they have no objection if the time to deposit the said amount of Rs.2,50,000/- is extended.

In view of the submissions made on behalf of the parties, the time to deposit an *ad hoc* sum of Rs.2,50,000/- to the WBSEDCL stands extended till 23rd February, 2026. It is made clear that the order dated 7th January, 2025 stands modified only to the above limited extent.

The other terms and conditions of the order dated 7th January, 2025 are not interfered with.

In view of the above, WPA 2036 of 2026 stands disposed of.

(Ravi Krishan Kapur, J.)