

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION
APPELLATE SIDE

WPA 10940 of 2026

Kuddus Sekh
-versus
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Biswajit Tiwari
... For the petitioner

Mr. Samrat Mukherji, AGP
Mr. Partha Chakraborty
Ms. Sneha Cahtterjee
... For the State

Mr. Tapan Dutta Gupta
Mr. Parvej Anam
Ms. Rituparna Ghosh
Mr. Sourav Sardar
... For the respondent nos.3 to 10

1. Matter is heard in presence of learned advocates representing petitioner, State respondents and private respondent nos.3 to 10.

2. On behalf of petitioner, it is submitted that private respondents are obstructing petitioner from using pathway for ingress and egress. It is submitted that complaints were lodged before the concerned police authorities but that could not yield result prompting petitioner to approach this Court with the present writ petition seeking direction upon concerned police authorities to take steps which would permit petitioner to use the pathway.

3. Having considered the respective submissions made on behalf of parties, it appears that

petitioner's right to use the pathway for ingress and egress is allegedly impinged upon at the instance of private respondents. But police authorities are not appropriate authorities to decide *inter se* right of parties over the pathway in question which petitioner wants to use for his ingress and egress.

4. Petitioner needs to approach appropriate forum in order to assert his right over the said pathway.

5. However, concerned police authorities are directed to maintain peace and tranquility at the locale and to see no untoward incident takes place.

6. Writ petition stands disposed of.

7. Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be given to the parties, upon compliance of necessary formalities.

(Saugata Bhattacharyya, J.)