

WPA 11746 of 2024

Suti Women & Child Development Society
Vs.
The State of W. B. & Ors.

Mr. Subhendu Banerjee
Mr. Bholanath Ghosh
Md. S. Biswas ...for the petitioner.

Mr. Mohan Kumar Sanyal ...for the State.

Report submitted by the State is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioners constructed IHHL under the Panchyat Samiti and is entitled to subsidy amount of Rs.37,00,000/-. Despite the petitioner claiming such amount on several occasions, it has not been paid as yet. The petitioner submitted a representation before the authority on 7th February, 2024 claiming the subsidy amount. The representation is yet to be considered.

It appears from the report submitted by the State that there is no dispute with regard to the entitlement of the petitioner to the said amount. It is only stated that the amount shall be disbursed upon receipt of fund from the Murshidabad Zilla Parishad. Claim of funds has already been sent to the Additional District Magistrate and Additional Executive Officer, Murshidabad Zilla Parishad vide memo dated 9th October, 2023 along with relevant

documents, which was received by the latter on 13th October, 2023.

In view of the above, this Court is inclined to hold that since the subsidy amount due to the petitioner is pending for a long time, the concerned authority being the 5th respondent herein, is directed to disburse the entire amount in favour of the petitioner within two months from the date of communication of this order, in accordance with law.

Needless to mention that such amount shall be disbursed upon verification of relevant documents produced by the petitioner.

The writ petition is disposed of.

There shall, however, be no order as to costs.

Since no affidavit is invited, the allegations contained in the writ petition are deemed not to have been admitted.

Urgent certified website copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties upon compliance with all requisite formalities.

(Suvra Ghosh, J.)