

Calcutta High Court
In The Circuit Bench at Jalpaiguri
Constitutional Writ jurisdiction
Appellate Side

JPD 8 19.05.2026
Moumita Ct. no.6

Case No. : WPA 634 OF 2026

In the matter of :

Jahanara Begam

.... Petitioner

VS.

The Election Commission of India & Ors.

.... Respondents

For the Petitioner:

Mr. Arkadyuti Pahari
Ms. Susmita Ghosh
Ms. Gargi Maity
Mr. Alik Mandi

....Advocates

For the Election Commission of India:

Ms. Anamika Pandey (VC)

....Advocate

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

Mr. Arkadyuti Paharia, learned Advocate, appears for the petitioner.

Ms. Anamika Pandey, learned Advocate (VC), appears for the Election Commission.

The writ petitioner seeks expeditious disposal of SIR appeal pending before the Appellate Authority.

The writ petition was filed on **April 24, 2026**, when the matter was taken by a Co-ordinate Bench on **April 28, 2026**, the petitioner was not represented and the hearing was adjourned. The

Assembly Election has been concluded with its results.

There is no exceptional circumstance pleaded in the writ petition warranting an expeditious hearing of the pending SIR appeal, out of turn.

At this juncture, the petitioner prays for withdrawal of this writ petition.

In view of the above, this writ petition **WPA 634 of 2026** stands ***dismissed*** as ***withdrawn***.

(Aniruddha Roy, J.)