

WP(C) 2347/2016

BEFORE

HON'BLE MR JUSTICE HRISHIKESH ROY

The petitioner is an NGO, which is operating at village Pohumoria Gaon in Lakhimpur district. Approval was accorded to the said NGO on 26.06.2012 (Annexure-4) to run a children home in accordance with the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, but the NGO was derecognized subsequently on 01.12.2014 (Annexure-10) and their registration was cancelled.

During the period when the NGO operated with the approval of the authorities, various grants were sanctioned by the Government under applicable guidelines. But the petitioner contends that Rs.42,29,100/- of the sanctioned amount for the relevant period, is not yet disbursed to the NGO.

In view of above, let Notice returnable in 4(four) weeks be issued. Ms. B.D. Sarma, the learned standing counsel for the Social Welfare Department accepts notice for respondent Nos.2, 3, 4 and 6. Ms. R. Devi, the learned Central Govt. counsel accepts notice for the 1st respondent, while the D.C., Lakhimpur (respondent No.5) is represented by Mr. J. Handique, the learned Govt. advocate. Necessary extra copies be furnished to all the 3 lawyers.