

06.02.2026
Court No.25
D/L No.21-48
S. Gayen

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
Constitutional Writ Jurisdiction
Appellate Side

WPA 465 of 2024

Anesul Rahaman & Anr.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 466 of 2024

Biswajit Saha
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 468 of 2024

Molli Rani Singha
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 470 of 2024

Ansar Ali
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 471 of 2024

Abbas Ali & Anr.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 473 of 2024

Mohammad Mahasin
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 475 of 2024

Chand Mohammad
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with

WPA 476 of 2024

**Asraful Alam
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 477 of 2024

**Anesur Hoque @ Anesul
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 479 of 2024

**Malek Ahamed
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 484 of 2024

**Md Farid Ali & Anr.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 485 of 2024

**Samin Ali
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 487 of 2024

**Chapa Poddar
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 488 of 2024

**Raju Dutta & Ors.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 490 of 2024

**Soukat Ali & Ors.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 491 of 2024

**Nurul Islam & Ors.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 494 of 2024

**Reba Bibi
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 496 of 2024

**Rafiqul Islam
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 497 of 2024

**Sasti Saha
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 498 of 2024

**Kurban Ali
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 499 of 2024

**Gofur Ali & Anr.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 500 of 2024

**Elias Ali @ Md. Iliyas Ali
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 514 of 2024

**Jumarat Ali & Ors.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 517 of 2024

**Ansar Ali & Ors.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 1905 of 2024

**Tripti Singha
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 1906 of 2024

**Anil Kumar Agarwal
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 1918 of 2024

**Sushil Kumar Agarwal @ Sushil Agarwalla
Versus
Union of India & Ors.
with**

WPA 1940 of 2024

**Sunil Kr. Agarwal & Ors.
Versus
Union of India & Ors.**

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1. Affidavits of service filed by the petitioners are taken on record.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that item Nos. 21 to 48 are analogous matters.
3. In WPA 473 of 2024, WPA 484 of 2024, WPA 466 of 2024 and WPA 476 of 2024 the State authorities have filed their reports by way of an affidavit. Let the same be kept with the record. In other matters neither reports are filed nor the affidavits.
4. Considering the above, for the interest of justice, all the respondents are directed to file their affidavits-in-opposition, if the respondents choose to file, within a period of three weeks from date after serving the copy

to the learned counsel for the petitioners and reply, if any, be filed within two weeks thereafter.

5. Let the matters appear on 16th April, 2026 and 17th April, 2026 at 2 pm under the heading 'Specially Fixed Matters'.
6. It is made clear that in the meantime if the respondents fail to file affidavits as directed above, the matters will be taken up for hearing without affidavits.
7. All parties shall act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

(Krishna Rao, J.)