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**IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA  
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION  
APPELLATE SIDE**

**WPA 3651 of 2026**

**Purbayan Ghosh  
Vs.  
The State of West Bengal and others.**  
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**Mr. Rabiul Islam,  
Mr. Masooq Rahman**

**... for the petitioner.**

**Mr. Biplab Guha  
Mr. Subrata Bhattacharjee**

**... for the State.**

**Mr. Soumya Majumdar,  
Ms. Sanjukta Dutta**

**... for the University**

1. The affidavit of service as filed is taken on record.
2. The petitioner is a meritorious student, who had applied under the Sports Quota in the Engineering Course in Jadavpur University.
3. According to the petitioner, there are about 25 seats earmarked for the Sports Quota, as will appear from the notice dated November 10, 2025 issued by the University. It appears that only 9 seats have been filled up.
4. I direct the University to file a report as to why the remaining 16 seats have not been filled up, considering the students like the petitioner, who are otherwise eligible to be considered for such seats, have applied but not been given admission.
5. Let such report be filed by February 26, 2026.

6. Let this matter appear in the list on March 9, 2026.

**(Reetobroto Kumar Mitra, J.)**