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Sl. No. 49
Ct No. 24
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WPA 3773 of 2026

**A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Institute
Vs
The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Mr. Amitabrata Roy,
Mr. Arkadipta Sengupta,
Mr. Tirthankar Dey,
Ms. Deboleena Ghosh,
Ms. Ria Naskar,
Ms. Ankita Ghosh.

...for the petitioner

Ms. Mitali Mukherjee,
Mr. Partha Sarathi Sen Sharma.

...for the State

Mr. Suman Dey.

...for the State Vocational Council

Mr. Bikramjit Dutta,
Ms. Kausiki Bose.

...for respondent no. 4

1. The petitioner is aggrieved that its affiliation for the previous years has been discontinued in this academic session. The petitioner cites several instances where the Council has granted affiliation or has granted provisional affiliation for several colleges, whose deficiencies are as bad as that of the petitioner or worse.

2. The petitioner seeks a negative equality, which ought not be permitted. If the Council has indulged in any malpractice or has committed an error, merely because of the fact that it has committed it, the same cannot be repeated. A wrong done by an authority cannot

be sought to be repeated merely it has been done once. Clearly no negative equality can be claimed in the instant matter.

3. This matter is required to be heard on affidavits. Let affidavit-in-opposition be filed by April 30, 2026; reply thereto by May 07, 2026.

4. List this matter on May 15, 2026 under the heading 'Hearing'.

(Reetobroto Kumar Mitra, J.)