

22.5.2025
Item Nos.31_33
SB

WPA(P)/81/2025
ABAHELITO STUDENTS ALLIANCE
(ASA) AND ORS.
VS
STATE OF WEST BENGAL AND ORS.
with
WPA(P)/442/2023
SAYAN BANERJEE
VS
STATE OF WEST BENGAL AND ORS.
IA NO: CAN/1/2023
with
WPA(P)/519/2023
RISHAV SAHA
VS
STATE OF WEST BENGAL AND ORS.

Mr. Uday Sankar Chatterjee,
Mr. Anindya Sundar Das,
Mr. Syed Ali Afzal,
Mr. Debapriya Samanta,
Mr. Pranay Basak,
Ms. Paramita Mondal,
Ms. Bidisha Chakraborty,
Ms. Suva Gayen,
Mr. Suman Halder,
Mr. Md. Sohail
..for the Petitioners in
WPA(P) 81 of 2025.

Mr. Soumya Dasgupta,
Mr. S. Majumder
Mr. Ritankar Das
..for the Petitioner in
WPA(P) 519 of 2023.

Mr. Sayan Banerjee
..Petitioner (In Person) in
WPA(P) 442 of 2023.

Mr. Sirsanya Bandopadhyay,
Ms. Tapati Samanta
..for the State in
WPA(P) 81 of 2025.

1. Ms. Tapati Samanta learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State in WPA(P) 81 / 2025 has prayed for extension of time to file affidavit. Learned counsel

for the State in respect of other writ petitions are not represented.

2. However, we grant extension of time in respect of all writ petitions to file affidavit-in-opposition by three weeks from date. Affidavit-in-reply thereto, if any, be filed within two weeks thereafter.
3. Learned Government Pleader is directed to ensure that the State is represented in all the writ petitions to be heard analogously in terms of the order passed by a co-ordinate Bench presided over by Hon'ble the Chief Justice on 27.3.2025 and the affidavits on behalf of the State are filed in time.
4. The matter stands adjourned and be listed after six weeks.

(Soumen Sen, J.)

(Smita Das De, J)