

WPA 7336 of 2025

19.08.26
D/L
Sl-18
Ct. 07
(Samar)

Bharati Bouldas
Vs.
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Ramij Munsi,
...for the petitioner.
Mr. Keshab Chandra Das,
Mr. Biplab Adak,
Ms. Aparajita Mondal,
....for the respondent nos. 10 & 11.
Mr. Asif Dewan,
....for the WBSEDCL.

1. Affidavit-in-Opposition filed on behalf of the respondent nos. 10 & 11 is taken on record.
2. Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner seeks time to file affidavit-in-reply to the affidavit-in-opposition filed on behalf of the respondent nos. 10 and 11.
3. As prayed for, let affidavit-in-reply be filed within a week from date.
4. Learned advocate appearing for the petitioner further submits that in terms of Section 7 of the West Bengal Ground Water Resources (Management, Control and Regulation) Act, 2005, it is mandatory for any person sinking a tubewell or any well from which water is to be extracted, to obtain permit from the State level authority or the District level authority or the Corporation level authority as the case may be. It is submitted that in the instant case, the respondent nos. 10 and 11

have not obtained any such permit.

5. Learned advocate appearing for the WBSEDCL authorities submits that since the submersible pump of the respondent nos. 10 and 11 falls within green zone therefore the aforesaid Section may not be applicable however, he seeks time to take appropriate instructions in such regards.
6. Accordingly, list this matter on September 01, 2026.

(Om Narayan Rai, J.)