

18-09-2025
Item No.17
Subrata
Bhattacharyya
AR(C)

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION
Appellate Side

WPA No.11502 of 2025
Md. Hasmat Ali & Ors.

-vs-

The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Arindam Banerjee, sr. adv.
Mr. Subhojit Saha
Ms. Oindrila Ghosal
Ms. Srijani Mukherjee ...for the petitioners

Mr. Nilotpal Chatterjee
Mr. Amritalal Chatterjee ...for the State

1. The order dated April 24, 2025 passed by the Assistant Director & Cattle Licensing Authority is impugned in the instant writ petition.
2. The impugned order appears to be a detailed one. Legality and correctness of the order has to be decided upon exchange of affidavits. There is no scope to pass any interim order at this stage.
3. Let affidavit-in-opposition be prepared and circulated by November 21, 2025; reply, if any, within a fortnight thereafter.
4. It has been submitted that the life and livelihood of the petitioners would be jeopardized, if the petitioners are not permitted to carry on with their business.
5. Pending consideration of the writ petition, it will be open for the petitioners to apply before the authority for interim protection to carry on their business. In the event such application is filed, the same shall be considered by the authority.
6. Liberty to mention the writ petition for final

hearing and also to pray for interim order, if occasion arises.

7. All parties are to act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this court.
8. Certified copy of this order, if applied for, shall be made available to the parties.

[Amrita Sinha, J]