

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION
APPELLATE SIDE

WPA 15098 of 2026

United Hawkers Congress & Ors.
Versus
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Kalyan Bandopadhyay, Sr. Advocate
Mr. Sirsanya Bandopadhyay
Mr. Arka Kumar Nag
Mr. Rahul Kumar Singh
Ms. S. Sengupta

... For the petitioners.

Mr. Billwadal Bhattacharyya, Ld. AAG
Mr. Srijib Chakraborty
Mr. Arijit Dey

... For Kolkata Municipal Corporation.

1. Affidavit of service filed in Court is taken on record.
2. The present writ petition has been filed, inter alia, challenging the notices dated 27th June, 2026 and 29th June, 2026, which are appearing at page nos. 196 and 197 of the writ petition.
3. Though, Mr. Bandopadhyay, learned senior advocate representing the petitioners would submit that the challenge to the aforesaid notices are based on petitioners' individual cause of action, and not in public interest, however, Mr. Bhattacharyya, learned Additional Advocate General, by placing before this Court the order dated 2nd July, 2026, passed in connection with WPA (P) 322 of 2026 would submit that the Hon'ble Division Bench of this Court has already entertained the challenge

to the aforesaid notices and has called upon the KMC to take appropriate instruction; this writ petition, ordinarily, ought to be placed before the Hon'ble Division Bench to avoid conflict of any judicial opinion.

4. Having heard the learned advocates appearing for the respective parties and noting that a challenge to the aforesaid notices is pending consideration before the Hon'ble Division Bench in WPA (P) 322 of 2026, and though, this writ petition has not been moved in public interest, in my view, judicial propriety demands that this writ petition be placed before the Hon'ble Division Bench taking up WPA (P) 322 of 2026.

(Raja Basu Chowdhury, J.)