

19.2. 2025  
item No.11  
n.b.  
ct. no.24

**WPA 23311 of 2023**  
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**CAN 1 of 2025**

**Swadesh Ranjan Maji**  
**Vs.**  
**The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Mr. R. A. Agarwala,  
Ms. Nibedita Pal,  
Mr. A. G. Mukherjee,  
Ms. N. Khatoon,  
..... for the petitioner.

Mr. Ritesh Kr. Ganguly  
.....For the respondents.

**In Re. CAN 1 of 2025**

This is an application for substitution.

It is the contention of the learned counsel for the petitioner that the sole petitioner, namely, Swadesh Ranjan Maji has expired during the pendency of the writ petition on January 21, 2025 leaving behind the legal heirs mentioned in paragraph 3 of the application being CAN 1 2025.

As the sole writ petition has expired, the right to sue has survived upon the legal heirs, according to the instant application being CAN 1 of 2025 is considered and allowed.

The name of the legal heirs appearing in paragraph 3 of the application being CAN 1 of 2025 be substituted at the place of petitioner as petitioner nos.1 to 5.

Mr. Agarwala, learned counsel has placed the Vakalatnama on behalf of the substituted petitioner. Let the writ petition be proceeded taking the substituted persons to be the petitioner in this matter.

Leave is granted to the learned advocate on record on behalf of substituted petitioner to amend and Cause Title of the writ petition within a week.

Exception by the petitioner to the report filed on behalf of the respondent nos. 1 to 4 is taken on record.

Let the matter appear in the list on March 12, 2025 at 2.00 P.M.

All parties shall act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.

**(Subhendu Samanta, J.)**