

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION
APPELLATE SIDE

WPA 25511 of 2025

Prithvijeet Roy
-versus
M/s. Eastern Coalfields Limited & Ors.

Mr. Aritra Ray
... For the petitioner

Mr. Savosij Dasgupta
Mr. Sarbajit Chowdhury
Mr. Pradipta Basu
Ms. Madhumanti Chakraborty
... For ECL

1. Affidavit of service filed in Court today is taken on record.

2. None represents the respondent no.7 in spite of service.

1. Leave is granted to the advocate-on-record for the petitioner to submit the 'No Objection Vakalatnama' in the department in course of the day. Department is directed to update the name of the advocate-on-record of the petitioner in CIS.

2. The petitioner alleges that the lands which are recorded in the name of his mother are being used by the colliery illegally and arbitrarily without paying any compensation or providing employment. Description of the lands allegedly used by the authority

contrary to the provision of law is annexed to the writ petition.

3. Prayer has been made to direct the authority to pay compensation or provide employment in lieu of utilization of the said lands by the authority.

4. To allow the learned advocate representing Eastern Coalfields Limited to revert with proper instruction as to whether the subject lands claimed by the petitioner are being utilized by the colliery and whether the application made by the petitioner seeking compensation/employment in lieu of the subject lands are being process or not, **re-list** the matter for further consideration on **20th April, 2026**.

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

(Amrita Sinha, J.)