

13-01-2026
Item No.7
Subrata
Bhattacharyya
AR(C)

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA

Constitutional Writ Jurisdiction
Appellate Side

WPA No.27366 of 2024

Md. Roficul Wara

-vs-

The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Md. Manuwar Ali ...for the petitioner

Mr. Deepnath Roychowdhury
Mr. Rajsekhar Basu ...for the State

Mr. Ali Ahsan Alamgir
Ms. Soma Mal
Ms. Rabia Khatoon
Ms. June Modak ...for respondent nos.5

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Ms. Soma Mal
Ms. Rabia Khatoon
Ms. June Modak
Mr. Debarpan Bose ...for respondent no.7

1. Exceptions filed by the petitioner to the report filed by the third and fifth respondents in Court be taken on record.
2. It is submitted that the petitioner absented himself from school on and from July 2022 till his date of retirement i.e. on December 31, 2023, and the period of absence is yet to be regularized. Till the absence of the petitioner is regularized, the terminal dues cannot be settled finally. The petitioner is already receiving provisional pension and has received his provident fund dues.
3. It appears from the report of the Assistant Inspector of Schools that an inquiry proceeding was initiated by the West Bengal Board of Secondary Education to inquire about the

involvement of the petitioner in misappropriation of fund of the mid-day meal (PM poshan).

4. Since the West Bengal Board of Secondary Education is not a party in the instant writ petition, the Court is not aware of the fate of the disciplinary proceeding, if any, initiated by the Board.
5. To ascertain proper facts, let further report by the State and the school be placed before the Court on the returnable date dealing with the inquiry that was recommended by the District Magistrate, Murshidabad.
6. Leave is granted to the advocate-on-record for the petitioner to implead the West Bengal Board of Secondary Education as party respondent in the instant writ petition and serve a copy of the writ petition upon the added respondent.
7. Learned counsel for the Board shall also apprise the Court with regard to the disciplinary proceeding recommended against the petitioner on the returnable date.
8. Relist on February 23, 2026.
9. All parties are to act on the server copy of this order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.
10. Certified copy of this order, if applied for, shall be made available to the parties.

[Amrita Sinha, J]

