

D/L 28
13.08.2025
Court No.14
PRADIP

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION

WPA 28119 of 2024

Das & Brothers & Anr.

Vs.

The Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation & Ors.

Ms. Sanghamitra Nandy

...for the Petitioners.

Mr. Sirsanya Bandopadhyay

Mr. Arka Kumar Nag

Mr. Tirthankar Dey

...for the BMC.

Mr. Sougata Mitra

Mr. Siddhartha Banerjee

...for the State.

1. Affidavit of service and the notice of upgradation filed in Court today are taken on record.
2. The petitioner seeks payment of the work executed by it.
3. It appears that the Commissioner, Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation communicated to the petitioner vide communication dated 22nd April, 2022 the reasoned order in compliance of the direction passed by the Court in CPAN 272 of 2022 arising out of MAT 1344 of 2019(WPA 11965 of 2019) in the matter of The Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation & Anr. Vs. Das & Brothers & Ors.
4. The reasoned order clearly mentions that the petitioner is found entitled to receive payment for the work purportedly executed and the same has been certified for payment by the concerned engineer of the Corporation without any interest.
5. The Controller of Finance, Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation was directed to scrutinize all the bills. All

the works in question are done with the fund received from the Government of West Bengal through Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department.

6. The Joint Municipal Commissioner, Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation was to communicate to the Department of Urban Development for immediate sanction and allotment of fund for making payment to the petitioner for the work executed.
7. The petitioner thereafter made representation before the Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation requesting releasing of funds. The same has not been released till date.
8. Learned advocate representing the Corporation submits, upon instruction that, requisition was forwarded to the Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department but the funds have not been supplied.
9. Learned advocate representing the State respondents is not ready with proper instruction.
10. Learned advocate for the State is directed to revert with instruction as to when the funds will be made available to the Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation for payment to the petitioner.
11. A report from the Secretary, Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Department shall be placed before this Court on the adjourned date.
12. Relist the matter on 3rd September, 2025.

(Amrita Sinha, J.)