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WPA 28895 of 2024

Arka Biswas
vs.
The State of West Bengal and others

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Ms. Suparna Dutta
... for the petitioner

Mr. Swapan Kumar Dutta
Mr. Tapas Kumar Dey
... for the State

Mr. Debabrata Karan
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Mr. Debopriyo Karan
Mr. Souvik Naiya
... for the respondent No.3

Affidavits of service filed in Court are taken on record.

Despite service no one appears on behalf of the Bar Council of India.

It is submitted on behalf of the petitioner that the Bar Council of India had not updated the registration of the respondent Law College under the Calcutta University in their website. This has possibly prompted the Federation Law Society of Canada not to allow the petitioner to undertake a course with them.

It is unfortunate that despite service the Bar Council of India has chosen not to represent themselves.

Let the respondent No.5 represent himself through learned counsel on the next date of hearing, failing which the Court shall be constrained to pass an order in his absence.

Let the office communicate a gist of this order to the respondent No.5 forthwith.

Let the respondent College file a report in the form of affidavit containing relevant documents regarding update registration with the Bar Council of India.

List the matter for hearing under the same heading on 09.01.2025.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be made available to the parties upon compliance of requisite formalities.

(Jay Sengupta, J.)