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CALCUTTA HIGH COURT
IN THE CIRCUIT BENCH AT JALPAIGURI

W.P.A. 1268 of 2023
(IA NO: CAN 1/2023, CAN 2/2023 & CAN 3/2023)

Kalidas Ghosh

-vs-

The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Satyajit Sinha Roy,
Mr. Arijit Shom

....for the applicant.

Mr. Swarup Paul

....for the private respondent.

Mr. Deborshi Dhar

....for the private respondent.

Mr. Hirak Barman,
Mr. Momenur Rahman

....for the State.

The application being CAN 3/2023 is taken up for consideration in presence of the learned advocates representing the applicant, State respondents and private respondents.

The grievance of the applicant is without filing affidavit-in-opposition in terms of the order of the coordinate Bench passed on the connected writ petition State Authorities are issuing notifications one after another for entering into new contract with the private respondents as a result whereof hearing of the writ petition is being delayed.

In addition thereto, challenge has been to a subsequent notification dated 29th September, 2023 issued by the Joint Director (SPSRC) Health and Family Welfare Department.

The learned advocate representing the State

respondents submits that their affidavit-in-opposition is made ready and it is to be filed within ten days from date.

Time to file affidavit-in-reply to the affidavit-in-opposition of the State respondents stands extended by seven days thereafter.

Parties shall be at liberty to mention the matter before the next available Circuit after the time fixed hereinabove for filing affidavits on extension of time.

The application being CAN 3 of 2023 shall be considered at the time of final hearing of the writ petition.

(Saugata Bhattacharyya, J.)