

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION
ORIGINAL SIDE

WPO/115/2026

MD. NAZIM AND ORS.
VS
THE OFFICIAL TRUSTEE, GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL AND ORS.

BEFORE:

The Hon'ble JUSTICE ARINDAM MUKHERJEE

Date: 24th June, 2026

Mr. Siddhartha Ruj, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Indranil Nandi, Mr. Sayak Konar, Advocates for the Official
Trustee of West Bengal.

Mr. Alak Kr. Ghosh, Mr. Gopal Chandra Das, Ms. Ananya Das,
Advocates for K.M.C.

The Court :- By an order dated 20th April, 2026 directions for filing of affidavit(s) were given in the instant writ petition and the matter was directed to appear today after completion of affidavits after holding that there was no scope for passing any interim order. The said order dated 20th April, 2026 was carried on in appeal. The appeal being APOT/82/2026 along with the connected application being IA No.GA/1/2026 (Md. Nazim And Ors. Vs. The Official Trustee, Government of West Bengal And Ors.) has been dismissed by a judgment and order dated 17th June, 2026.

It is submitted on behalf of the Official Trustee that the affidavit on his behalf could not be filed as the order directing such filing of affidavit was

in itself under challenge in the aforesaid appeal. Now the appeal having been dismissed, the writ petition is required to be heard. Mr. Nandi, learned Advocate seeks an extension of time to file affidavit-in-opposition on behalf of Official Trustee.

The time to file affidavit-in-opposition is extended till 13th July, 2026. Reply thereto, if any, be filed by 30th July, 2026. The matter to appear in the monthly list of August, 2026.

(ARINDAM MUKHERJEE, J.)