

IA NO. GA/3/2025
IN
TS/22/2023
IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION

IN THE GOODS OF:
NARAYAN DEBNATH, DECEASED
AND
IN THE MATTER OF:
SMT. ARCHANA DEBNATH
VS
SWAPAN DEBNATH

BEFORE:
The Hon'ble JUSTICE ARINDAM MUKHERJEE
Date: 5th August, 2025

Appearance:

Mr. Sourojit Dasgupta, Adv.
Mr. Ramesh Chandra Paul, Adv.
For plaintiff
Mr. Gaurav Purkayastha, Adv.
Mr. Narayan Debnath, Adv.
Mr. Saswata Chatterjee, Adv.
For defendant/caveator Mr. Swapan Debnath

The Court :- This is an application by the sole defendant in this testamentary suit, inter alia, for a direction upon the executor to supply the details of the bank accounts where the executor is depositing the royalty amount receivable by the testator. In the affidavit used by the executor it is the categorical statement of the executor that the money on account of royalty is received in cash and is not deposited in any bank account.

In the aforesaid facts and circumstances, let a copy of this application be served on the publishers who either claims to have the right or is actually publishing the artistic and literary work of the testator. The

said publishers shall appear before this Court on the next date and apprise the Court as to what amount and on which date they have paid royalty to the executor as also the mode of payment.

Let this matter appear in the list on 20th August, 2025 when the applicant shall file an affidavit of service to demonstrate service of this application on the publisher/publishers.

(ARINDAM MUKHERJEE, J.)

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