

IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA
(Intellectual Property Rights Division)
COMMERCIAL DIVISION
ORIGINAL SIDE

IP-COM/6/2025
[OLD NO CS/269/2022]
IA NO: GA/4/2023, GA-COM/5/2025

FOX AND MANDAL AND ANR.
VS
SOMABRATA MANDAL AND ORS.

BEFORE:
The Hon'ble JUSTICE RAVI KRISHAN KAPUR
Date : 13th August, 2025

Appearance:
Mr. Soumya Roy Chowdhury, Adv.
Ms. Susrea Mitra, Adv.
...for the petitioners.

Mr. Krishnaraj Thaker, Sr. Adv.
Mr. Indranil Munshi, Adv.
...for the respondent nos.1 and 2.

The Court: This is an application for summary judgment under Order XIII A of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.

The matter has been heard on numerous occasions and also adjourned granting opportunities to both parties to amicably resolve their differences.

It is submitted by Mr. Thaker, Senior Advocate appearing on behalf of the respondent nos.1 and 2 that a Transfer Petition being Transfer Petition (Civil) No.2010-2012/2025 (IA No.176962/2025) has been filed before the Hon'ble Supreme Court and is pending.

This matter was being heard and had been fixed for further hearing today as also to intimate this Court as to whether the parties were able to settle their

disputes. It is submitted on behalf of the respondent nos. 1 and 2 that they are not ready and willing to accept the proposal forwarded by the petitioner. It is also submitted upon instructions that the respondent nos. 1 and 2 would be forwarding a counter-offer to the proposal made by the petitioner.

It is pointed out by Mr. Roy Chowdhury, Advocate appearing on behalf of the plaintiff that though this application was heard on 7 August, 2025, the order passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court on 4 August, 2025 was not brought to the attention of this Court. This suggests an ill-motive and an attempt to unnecessarily procrastinate the hearing of the application.

At the suggestion of the parties and in view of there being no embargo, let this matter appear on 14 August, 2025 'For Hearing' marked at 2.00 PM.

(RAVI KRISHAN KAPUR, J.)