

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
EASTERN ZONE BENCH, KOLKATA
(THROUGH PHYSICAL HEARING WITH HYBRID MODE)**

Original Application No.133/2023/EZ
(I.A. No.30/2024/EZ & I.A. No.49/2024/EZ)

Serajul Islam & Anr.	Versus	Applicant(s)
The State of West Bengal & Ors.		Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 31.07.2024

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B. AMIT STHALEKAR, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. ARUN KUMAR VERMA, EXPERT MEMBER**

For Applicant(s) : Ms. Nasreen Islam, Adv.

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta, Adv. for R-1 to 7 & 11 (in Virtual Mode),
Mr. Sibojyoti Chakraborty, Adv. for R-8 & 9,
Mr. Dipanjan Ghosh, Adv. for R-10,
Ms. Afreen Begum, Adv. for R-13 to 15 (in Virtual Mode),
Mr. Supratick Syamal, Adv. a/w
Mr. Alokesh Dalai, Adv. and
Mr. Sawant Chanda, Adv. for R-16 & 17

ORDER

1. Ms. Nasreen Islam, learned Counsel is present on behalf of the Applicants.
2. Rejoinder affidavit dated 11.07.2024 has been filed on behalf of the Applicants; the same is taken on record.
3. One more rejoinder affidavit also dated 11.07.2024 has been filed on behalf of the Applicants; the same is taken on record.
4. **I.A. No.49/2024/EZ** has been filed by the Applicants seeking impleadment of the proposed Respondents namely **John Hansda** son of late Charles Hansda and **Suresh Hansda** son of John Hansda in the array of Respondents as Respondent Nos.18 and 19.
5. The **I.A. No.49/2024/EZ** is allowed.
6. Let the impleadment be carried out in the course of the day.

7. Issue notice to the newly added Respondent Nos.18 and 19, returnable within four weeks.
8. Mr. Sibojyoti Chakraborty and Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta, learned Counsel state that they have not received the copy of the Original Application. Learned Counsel for the Applicants shall serve e-copy/soft copy of the Original Application along with all its annexures as well as copies of the two rejoinder affidavits upon Mr. Sibojyoti Chakraborty and Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta in the course of the day.
9. **List on 17.09.2024.**

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B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

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Dr. Arun Kumar Verma, EM

July 31, 2024,
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