

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

Original Application No.01/2024/EZ

Ankur Sharma	Versus	Applicant(s)
State of West Bengal & Ors.		Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 12.02.2025

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

For Applicant(s) : Mr. Ankur Sharma, in person

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta, Adv. for R-1,3,5,7,8,10&11,
 State Respondents a/w
 Mr. Sibojyoti Chakrabarti, Adv. for R-6,
 Mr. Apurba Ghosh, Adv. for R-2 (in Virtual Mode),
 Mr. Ayush Kumar Dadhich, Adv. for R-4,
 Mr. Dipanjan Ghosh, Adv. for R-8 (in Virtual Mode),
 Mr. Preetam Majumdar, Adv. for R-9 (in Virtual Mode),
 Mr. Indradip Das, Adv. for R-15&23 (in Virtual Mode),
 Mr. Bhaskar Dwivedi, Adv. a/w
 Ms. Jyoti Rauth, Adv. for R-14 (in Virtual Mode),
 Mr. Tanmoy Saha, Adv. for R-12,13,17&19 (in Virtual Mode)

ORDER

1. Mr. Ankur Sharma, the Applicant, is present in person.
2. Mr. Sibojyoti Chakrabarti, learned Counsel files Vakalatnama on behalf of the Respondent No.6, District Magistrate, South 24 Parganas; the same is taken on record. When the case is next listed, the name of Mr. Chakrabarti shall be printed in the Cause-list as Counsel for the same. Learned Counsel on instructions received prays for and is granted six weeks time for filing supplementary affidavit along with the Action Taken Report.
3. Affidavit dated 11.02.2025 has been filed by the Respondent No.13, Private Respondent; the same is taken on record.

4. Affidavit dated 11.02.2025 has been filed by the Respondent No.19, Private Respondent; the same is taken on record.
5. Affidavit of service dated 21.01.2025 has been filed by the District Magistrate, Birbhum showing service upon the Respondent No.16, Shri Swapan Majumder; the same is taken on record. Notice has been received by Ms. Chandrima Majumder, wife of Shri Swapan Majumder herein. Therefore, service upon the Respondent No.16 is deemed to be sufficient.
6. No one is present on behalf of the Respondent No.16.
7. Mr. Tanmoy Saha, learned Counsel appearing (in Virtual Mode) on behalf of the Respondent No.12 and 17, Private Respondents states that counter-affidavits in respect of the above mentioned Respondents have been filed in the office of the Tribunal. The Office of the Tribunal informs that the same are in defect as certain documents are in vernacular (Bengali) language. Learned Counsel shall remove the defects and re-file the same after serving e-copy/s of the affidavits upon the Applicant as well as the other Counsel for the Respondents.
8. **List on 30.04.2025.**

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B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

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Dr. Arun Kumar Verma, EM

February 12, 2025,
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