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Court No.2

Calcutta High Court
In the Circuit Bench at Jalpaiguri
Appellate Side

WPA 704 of 2023

Papiya Saha
Vs.
Siliguri Municipal Corporation & Ors.

Mr. P. Dutta Chowdhury
Mr. Rajdeep Das
..for the petitioner

Mr. Raja Saha
Mr. Sanjoy Mukherjee
Mr. Subhom Chanda
..for SJDA

Mr. Subir Kumar Saha
Ms. Bedashruti Bose
..for the State

Mr. Jagriti Mishra
Ms. Ananya Bhattacharya
Mr. Raj Kumar Mitra
..for the respondent no.8

Mr. Deborshi Dhar
..for the Siliguri Municipal Corporation

Learned advocate for the Siliguri Municipal Corporation submits that the respondent no.10 does not have any licence. The licence was cancelled by the Siliguri Municipal Corporation as the licence was obtained by fraud.

The petitioner's allegation is that without licence the lodge is being run by the respondent nos. 10 and 11.

The police authority has filed a report stating that

the Hemlata Guest House & Lodge authorities has not filed any report in prescribed format stating the details of daily customers and boarders at the said guest house regularly before O/C Panitanki TOP.

Therefore, it is found that a guest house is running illegally and nobody knows who are the boarders there and it is now very dangerous to allow any person to stay at any guest house without knowing him.

The petitioner is the sister of the respondent no.10. The petitioner submits that the trade licence is obtained in the name of a dead person and she had objected to that.

However, I direct the police authority to close the said guest house forthwith and to report me back as to the action taken tomorrow in the morning.

Learned advocate for the State is directed to file the report as to the compliance of this order.

The report filed today by the police authority is kept on record.

List the matter tomorrow.

(Abhijit Gangopadhyay, J.)

