

West Bengal Human Rights Commission
Bhabani Bhavan, 2nd Floor, Alipore, Kolkata - 27.

682/WBHRC/Com/11-12

Date : 17.08.12

Present ::

1. Justice Asok Kumar Ganguly .. Chairperson
2. Justice N.C. Sil .. Member
3. Shri S.N. Roy .. Member

Justice N.C. Sil, member of this Commission had visited the Male vagrants' Home, Bangaon, Petrapole on 01.07.12. At the time of his inspection, Sri Abhijit Bhattacharjee, SDO, Bangaon, Sri Swadesh Mondal, Deputy Magistrate, Bangaon and Sri Mihir Kr. Saha, Manager of the Home were also present. A detailed report of his inspection which was circulated before the Commission was submitted by him. A copy of the said inspection report is enclosed herewith.

Now, in view of the inspection of Justice N.C. Sil, the following recommendations are being made:

1. The inmates who give their address and want to go back to their family be sent back to their home after verification of the correctness of the address.
2. The Home authorities are required to keep vigil so that no inmate can escape from the Home
3. Govt. should take steps to provide adequate staff particularly cook for the Home
4. There should be cots for the inmates in order to avert further deterioration of their health.
5. Adequate medical facilities should be provided for the inmate in the Home.

6. Government should consider to augment fund for the upkeeping of inmates.

The Govt. should inform the Commission within a period of two months from the date of receipt of these recommendations as to the action taken or proposed to be taken in this regard.

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(S.N. Roy)
Member

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(Justice N.C. Sil)
Member

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(Justice Asok Kumar Ganguly)
Chairperson

Dated Kolkata, the 17th August, 2012.

Comments of the State Government will be uploaded as and when received.

Sd/- (17/08/2012)

(J.Sundara Sekhar)

Secretary & CEO