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Enclosed is the news clipping of 'Statesman' an English daily, dated 8<sup>th</sup> June,, 2017, the news item is captioned "Housewife tonsured and beaten up over affair, no arrests".

Superintendent of Police, South 24 Parganas is directed to submit a detailed report about the incident within 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2017.

( Justice Girish Chandra Gupta ) Chairperson

( Naparajit Mukherjee ) Member

> (M.S. Dwivedy) Member

Encl : News Item dt.08-06-2017.

Ld. Registrar to keep NHRC posted about cognizance taken on the subject by WBHRC.

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## Housewife tonsured and beaten up over affair, no arrests

NAMKHANA, 7 JUNE

A 38-year-old housewife was tonsured and beaten up by the villagers at Namkhana in South 24-Parganas alleging that she was having an extra-marital affair with a youth. The seriously injured woman was admitted to hospital. Police have started a case on the basis of the complaint of the victim.

The woman was allegedly beaten up when she went out of her house, in Dakshin Chandranagar village of

Namkhana last night.

She alleged that she was tied up with her own clothes and both the men and women of the village assaulted her. Some of the men even kicked her in her private parts, the victim added.

She was admitted to Dwariknagar primary health centre in serious condition on Tuesday night but today the doctors said she is in stable condition now.

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Police said a probe is going on on the basis of the statement of the tortured housewife. No one has been arrested so far. Tension has gripped the area over the incident.