

WEST BENGAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION
PURTA BHAVAN, SALT LAKE, KOLKATA – 91

File No. 134/WBHRC/Com/2010-11

Petitioner : Sri Santosh Kr. Rana

The Commission received a complaint from one Santosh Kumar Rana of P.S. Pathar Pratima, District – South 24 Parganas alleging that his daughter, Falguni Rana aged 15 years was gang raped on 10.04.2010. The complainant and his daughter did not get any assistance from the police. The police also threatened him to compromise the matter or else he would be implicated in a false case. The complainant prayed before the Commission for action against the delinquent police officials.

The Commission taking cognizance of the matter called for a report from the Superintendent of Police. In the report submitted by police it was stated that the specific case was started on the basis of a court complaint.

The Commission on hearing the concerned police officials, held the three police officers then posted at Pathar Pratima P.S. guilty of gross dereliction of duty and negligent conduct which resulted in gross violation of Human Rights of the victim girl and accordingly recommended disciplinary proceeding, and suspension of the guilty police officers and compensation to the victim girl to the tune of Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rupees one lakh only) and the recoveries were to be made from the said delinquent police officers.

By a letter dated 5th August, 2015 the Commission has received the “Action Taken Report” wherein the delinquent officer had been found guilty and punished in the final order of disciplinary proceedings.

Sd/-
Shampa Dutt (Paul)
Registrar
WBHRC