Government of West Bengal Education Directorate, Bikash Bhavan, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Bidhannagar, Kolkata-700 091

Memo No. ED -183/2025

Date: 16, 07,2025

From: The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal

To: All Principals/ Vice-Principals/ OICs/ TICs of Government/ Government-Aided Colleges, West Bengal

Subject: Order dated 03<sup>rd</sup> July, 2025 in WPA (P) 241 of 2025 (Sayan Banerjee vs. State of West Bengal & Ors.)

Sir/ Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of No. 876-Edn (U)/HED-23011/249/2025-ILC-SEC-Dept. of HE dated 16.07.2025 for your kind information and necessary compliance.

Sd./-Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal

Date: 16,07,2025

Enclosure(s): As stated

Memo No. ED-183/1(6)/2025

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

- 1. Senior Special Secretary, Govt. Colleges Branch, Department of Higher Education
- 2. Senior Special Secretary, College Sponsored Branch, Department of Higher Education
- 3. Senior Special Secretary (Law), Department of Higher Education
- 4. Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Department of Higher Education
- 5. Sr. P.S. to the Principal Secretary, Department of Higher Education.
- 6. Guard File.

Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal

## Government of West Bengal Department of Higher Education University Branch Bikash Bhavan, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Bidhannagar, Kolkata – 700 091.

No. 876-Edn(U)/HED-23011/249/2025-ILC SEC-Dept. of HEDate: 16.07.2025From: Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To: The Registrar,

University (All).

Sub: Order dated 03<sup>rd</sup> July, 2025 in WPA (P) 241 of 2025 (Sayan Banerjee Vs. State of West Bengal & Ors.)

Sir.

This is to inform you that the Hon'ble Division Bench of the Calcutta High Court on 3<sup>rd</sup> July. 2025 in WPA (P) 241 of 2025 (Sayan Banerjee Vs. State of West Bengal & Ors.) has been pleased to pass the following order:-

"3. In view of the said report, we direct the Department of Higher Education, Government of West Bengal to issue a directive to all the Universities and Colleges that in the event there is no recognized student body or council or no election had taken place in the recent past having regard to the incident occurred recently in the students' union room in the respective Colleges and Universities shall be put under lock and key and no student shall only be permitted to enter or use the said students' union or students room except with the written permission of the Registrar of the Universities or any person competent to issue such permission.

4. The purpose for visit by the student to such room identified for the students' union should be disclosed in the letter. However, this shall not include the student recreational or common room. This order shall be restricted to the room/rooms identified and used as students' union room."

You are requested to act in terms of the order passed by the Hon'ble High Court at Calcutta.

Yours faithfully, Sd/-Deputy Secretary

## No. 876/1(5)-Edn(U)

## Date: 16.07.2025

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

- 1. The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal --- with the request to communicate appropriately as per order of the Hon'ble High Court dated 03.07.2025 [in the matter of WPA (P) 241 of 2025 (Sayan Banerjee Vs. State of West Bengal & Ors.];
  - The Director of Technical Education, Govt. of West Bengal --- with the request to communicate appropriately as per order of the Hon'ble High Court dated 03.07.2025 [in the matter of WPA (P) 241 of 2025 (Sayan Banerjee Vs. State of West Bengal & Ors.];
  - 3. Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Department of Higher Education;
  - 4. Sr. P. S. to the Principal Secretary, Department of Higher Education;
- 5. Office Copy.

Deputy Secretary