

Government of West Bengal
Home Department
Nabanna, Howrah

NOTIFICATION

No. 1422 -PL/PE/14M-52/10(Pt.II)

Dated: 27.04.2015

Whereas the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in W.P. (Crl.) No. 129 of 2006 Laxmi Vs. Union of India and others, on 18-07-2013 and 06-02-2015 had directed the States and all the Union Territories to pay compensation of at least Rs 3 lakh to the acid attack victims.

Now, therefore, the Governor has been pleased to fix the quantum of compensation at Rs. 3.00 lakh (Rupees three lakh) only for the victims of acid attack. Rs. 1.00 lakh shall be paid to such victim within 15 days of occurrence (or being brought to the notice of the State Government) and the balance sum of Rs. 2.00 lakh shall be paid within two months thereafter.

This Notification is issued with concurrence of Finance Department (Group D), vide their U.O. No. D 488/3 dated 03.12.2013 and shall come into force with immediate effect.

By order of the Governor

Sd/-

(B. Banerjee)

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