

## SPEED POST HAND DELIVERY AFFIXATION ON PROPERTY

# ESTATE OFFICER SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA (Erstwhile KOLKATA PORT TRUST)

(Appointed by the Central Govt. Under Section 3 of Act 40 of 1971-Central Act)
Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorized Occupant) Act 1971
OFFICE OF THE ESTATE OFFICER

6, Fairley Place (1st Floor) KOLKATA – 700 001

Court Room At the 1st Floor of Kolkata Port Trust's Fairlie Warehouse 6, Fairley Place, Kolkata- 700 001.

REASONED ORDER NO.06 DT 03-04-2023 PROCEEDINGS NO. 551/L of 2021 2004

SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA (Erstwhile Board of Trustees' for the Port of Kolkata)
-Vs-

Sri. Sakil

#### F O R M-"B"

ORDER UNDER SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 5 OF THE PUBLIC PREMISES (EVICTION OF UNAUTHORISED OCCUPANTS) ACT, 1971

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, am satisfied, for the reasons recorded below that Sri. Sakil Qtrs. 3 Block No. B at K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line P.S. S.P.P.S. Kolkata- 700 023 is in unauthorized occupation of the Public Premises specified in the Schedule below:

#### REASONS

- 1) That no reply to the Show Cause notice is filed by O.P.
- 2) That nothing has been shown in support of O.P's occupation into the public premises.
- 3) That no evidence has been laid to support the possession of O.P. as "authorized possession/ occupation".
- 4) That mere occupation into the quarters for a certain period without any authority for such occupation cannot create any right over the property in question.
- 5) That O.P's occupation is unauthorized in all respect and O.P has failed to make out any case in support of his occupation.

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By Order of: THE ESTATE OFFICER SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE FORT

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SYAMA PRASSISSANT
HEAD ASSISTANT

OFFICE OF THE LD. ESTATE OFFICER
SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT

PLEASE SEE ON REVERSE



A copy of the reasoned order No.D& dated 03-61-23 is attached hereto which also forms a part of the reasons.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred on me under Sub-Section (1) of Section 5 of the Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorized Occupants) Act, 1971, I hereby order the said Sri. Sakil Qtrs. 3 Block No. B at K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line P.S. S.P.P.S. Kolkata- 700 023 and all persons who may be in occupation of the said premises or any part thereof to vacate the said premises within 15 days of the date of publication of this order. In the event of refusal or failure to comply with this order within the period specified above the said Sri. Sakil Qtrs. 3 Block No. B at K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line P.S. S.P.P.S. Kolkata- 700 023 and all other persons concerned are liable to be evicted from the said premises, if need be, by the use of such force as may be necessary.

#### SCHEDULE

Qtrs. 3 Block No. B at K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line P.S. S.P.P.S. Kolkatais butted and bounded in the manner as follows:

On the North by : On the South by:

Bl. No. B Qtrs. No.4 K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line Bl. No. B Qtrs. No.2 K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line

On the East by

Bl. No. A K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line

On the West By :

Bl. No. B Qtrs. No.16 K.F. Shipping Mazdoor Line

Signature & Seal of the Estate Officer.

SERVICE TO THE SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA, (SMP.KOLKATA) (ERSTWHILE BOARD OF TRUSTEES' FOR THE PORT OF KOLKATA) THROUGH ESTATE MANAGER, (SMP.KOLKATA) AT 6, FAIRLIE THE ESTATE OFFICER WAREHOUSE, 2nd FLOOR, KOLKATA-700 001

By Order of : SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT

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AMA PRASAD \*\*\* Estate Officer, SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA Appointed by the Central Govt. Under Section 3 of the Public Premises U/S 3 OF PP ACT (Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants ) Act 1971 ACT NO 40 OF 1971 CENTRAL ACT

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA

SRI SAKIL

06 03-01-2023

#### FINAL ORDER

The matter is taken up today for final disposal. Relevant facts are required to be put forward in a nutshell in order to understand the chain of events leading to the proceedings. It is the case of Syama Prasad Mookerjee Port, Kolkata hereinafter referred to as SMP,K, (erstwhile Kolkata Port Trust) applicant, herein, that all along SMP,K is the owner of the of Quarter No. 3 Bl. No. B at Hide Road Mazdoor Line. The said quarter was under lock and key since 05.06.2000. On or about 24.09.2000, Shri Sakil, the Opposite Party, hereinafter referred to as O.P. forcibly occupied the above quarters by breaking open the padlock. Since then O.P. had been unauthorisedly occupying the said quarters without any authority. SMPK filed an application dated 31.07.2001 praying for an order of eviction against O.P. I am appalled by the fact that since then almost 19 years have elapsed and the matter was never placed before any Estate Officer for proper adjudication thereby frustrating the entire spirit of the Act of 1971. SMP,K vide application dated 21.12.2020 submitted that on a recent inspection it was found that the subject quarter is still being unauthorisedly occupied by the said O.P.

This Forum on having the information of such unauthorised occupation issued a Notice to Show Cause under Section 4 of the Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthosied Occupant) Act, 1971 (hereinafter referred to as The Act) on 21.12.2020. The said Show Cause notice along with the order dated 21.12.2020 were sent through "Speed Post". The envelope, was however, has been returned with the remark "Addressee cannot be located". It is seen from the report of the Process Server dated 14.01.2021 that the Door of the subject premises was found closed. However, due affixation of the order was made on a conspicuous part of the premises for notice to all concerned.

For the sake of natural justice another chance was given to O.P. to appear before the Forum vide order dated 01.02.2021. The said

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ESTATE OFFICER

Estate Officer, SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA

PROPERTY Appointed by the Central Govt. Under Section 3 of the Public Premises

(Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants ) Act 1971

ACT NOT SECTION OF SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA

VS

SRI SAKIL

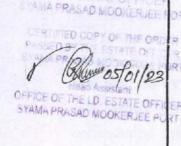
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order was also sent through Process Server. It is seen from the report of the Process Server dated 25.02.2021 that the party did not allow the Process Servers to enter the premises, and threatened to assault in case they visited the subject quarters again. It is further seen from the Report of the Process Server that they were not even allowed to affix the order of the Forum on the premises. I am satisfied with the service of notice. I am satisfied with the service of the order.

In course of hearing inspite of having knowledge of the pending proceedings neither O.P. nor anyone interested in the said property appeared before the Forum to place their submissions. No Reply to the Show Cause Notice has been filed by O.P. or any other person interested on the property. In view of the above, I am left with no other alternative but to issue order of eviction as prayed for on behalf of the Port Authority. I have no reason to disbelief on the statements made by SMP,K before the Forum. Accordingly the order of eviction is issued on the following grounds/ reasons;

- (a) That no Reply to the Show Cause has been filed by O.P. or anyone else
- (b) That nothing has been shown in support of O.P.'s occupation into the premises;
- (c) That no evidence has been laid to support the possession of O.P. as "authorised possession/occupation"
- (d) That mere occupation into the quarters for a certain period without any authority for such occupation cannot create any right over the property in question;
- (e) That O.P.'s occupation is unauthorised in all respect and O.P. has failed to make out any case in support of his occupation.



APPOINTED BY THE CENTRAL GOV U/S 3 OF PP AC ACT NO 40 OF 1

### CENTRAL AC Estate Officer, SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT, KOLKATA

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Accordingly, Department is directed to draw up a formal order of eviction u/s5 of the Act and Rules made thereunder against O.P., giving 15 days time to all the occupants of the quarters in question or whoever may be in occupation are liable to be evicted by this Order and SMP,K is entitled to claim damages for unauthorised use and occupation of the public premises upto the date of recovery of possession in accordance with law. All concerned are directed to act accordingly.

GIVEN/UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL

(Paromita Ghosh Majumdar)

Estate Officer

\*\*\* ALL EXHIBITS AND DOCUMENTS ARE REQUIRED TO BE TAKEN BACK WITHIN ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE PASSING OF THIS ORDER \*\*\*

> By Order of : THE ESTATE OFFICER SYAMA PRASAD MOOKERJEE PORT

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