The Inspector-in-Charge, Falakata PS, Dist- Alipurduar

Ret: Falakata PS GDE No.1436 Dated, 31/08/21

In producing herewith one vehicle (Tractor) bearing registration No. WB69-9466 along Sur. with trolley loaded with sand, I Benedict M. Lepcha of Falakata P.S. Dist.- Alipurduar beg to report that today on 31-08-21 around 16:05 hrs myself along with force left P5 for special drive against illegal mining under Falakata PS Dist-Alipurduar vide GDE No0 1436, dated. 31-08-21. In course of said duty I received information that some Tractor was illegally lifting river bed materials (Sand) along the river bad of river Torsa at Raichenga under Falakata PS area. Receiving the information, I along v ith force left rushed towards Raichenga under Falakata PS. While we reached bear Torsha Fiver, we saw one Tractor vehicle carrying river bed material (Sand). Seeing the Police par y, the driver of tractor managed to flee away leaving the tractor near the spot. On careful observation of the vehicle the number plate of vehicle was found to be WB69-9466. There was reason to believe that the driver/owner the vehicle (tractor) loaded the River bed material without at y valid document/permission from concerned authority. Further it could be learnt that there is no Auctioned Quarry/Leased river bed in and around that area. Moreover, information has been received regarding lifting of river bed materials (Sand) from this area without the permission of concerned authority.

The owner/driver of the above noted vehicle (Tractor) has violated the provision of Mines and Minerals act. Accordingly, I seized the above noted tractor bearing No.WB69-9466 loaded with river bed material (Sand) under proper seizure list duly signed by the witnesses.

Therefore, I pray before your kind honour that a specific case may kindly be recorded against the above noted tractor bearing No.WB69-9466 under relevant section of law.

Enclosure:

1) Original Seizure List

Yours Faithfully,

SI Benedict M. Lepcha Falakata PS, Dist- Alipurduar Dated- 31.08.2021

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