

JAMAKON Protects Right to Movement of Local People of Barguna Sadar Thana Area

Complaint No: 163/14

The Muslim population of Thanapara (The area where Police Station is situated), Barguna District used to say their prayers at Thana Mosque and they used the Thana Road through a number of linked roads for their daily communication. This linked road is the only way for going to the Thana Mosque. Children and youths used this road for going to Thana Madrasa regularly. Besides, there is no road though which Fire Service vehicles and Ambulance can enter into the Thanapara (Police Station Area). But The District Superintendent of Police (SP) closed the road building a wall.

On 3rd May 2014, Md. Wahed Khan Gong on behalf of the local people lodged complaint in NHRC against District Superintendent of Police (SP), Barguna. NHRC took the case with strong conviction in order to pave the way of communication of the local people of Barguna Sadar Thana. NHRC chairman sent letter to the Ministry of Home Affairs and received report from Senior Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs that it was necessary to build wall for the protection of Police Station. However, after getting NHRC chairman's letter, a pocket gate has been build for the local people for their movement.