

Howrah Improvement Act, 1956

Section 39 - (1) The Board shall consider every official representation made to it in connection with

956.X W of 1956.1 (Cllnprer I I I . - b t r p r o v e ~ ~ ~ Sciren~es--Sectiontr e~t 39.) (c) in respect of any area comprised in a municipal ward,--on a written complaint signed by twenty-Five or more residents of such ward who are liable to pay either the owner's share or the occupier's share of the consolidated rate leviable under BCILACI 111 [the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, as amended] (here 1913. Howrah Municipality [(or of the Bally Municipality.) (2) If the 2[(Councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be,] decide not to make an official representation on any complaint made to them under clause (b) or clause (c), [they shall cause a copy of such complaint to be sent to the Board, with a statement of the reasons for their decision. In case of under section 35 and, if satisfied as to the correctness hereof and to the official sufficiency of their resources, shall decide whether a general improvement scheme to carry such representation into effect should be framed forthwith or not, and shall forthwith intimate their decision to the councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be]. II (2) If the Board decide that it is not necessary or expedient to frame a general improvement scheme, they shall inform the 2[(Councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be,] of the reasons for their decision. (3) If the Board fail, for a period of six months after the receipt of any official representation made under section 38 to intimate their decision thereon to the 2[(Councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be,] or if the Board intimate to the 2[(Councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be,] their decision that it is not necessary or expedient to frame a general improvement scheme forthwith, the 2[(Councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be,] may, if they think fit, refer the matter to the State Government. The words within the brackets: "the 2[(Councillors of the Howrah Municipal Corporation or of any Municipality of Howrah,) as the case may be,]" were inserted in section 38(1), 39(1), 39(2) and 39(3) by ss. 22(1), 22(b) and 22(c). respectively, of the Howrah Improvement Act, 1956 (Amendment) Act, 1983 (No. 1 of 1983). The words within the first brackets were substituted for the words "Councillors or the Howrah by