

ORDER SHEET
WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

Case No. CCP – 42 of 2022 (OA – 573 of 2019)

Dr. Anil Kumar Gupta - VERSUS - Dr. Siddhartha Niyogi, Director of Health Services, Govt. of West Bengal & Others

Serial No.

and

Date of order

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04.08.2025

For the Applicant

: Dr. Anil Kumar Gupta,
(in person)

For the Alleged
Contemnor /O.P.

: Mr. S.N. Ray,
Learned Advocate

The matter is taken up by the Single Bench pursuant to the order contained in the Notification No. 638 – WBAT / 2J-15/2016 dated 23rd November, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5(6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

Mr. Gupta appearing in person files supplementary written notes of argument without any direction from this Tribunal. Copy be kept in record and served upon Mr. Ray. Against the order of this Tribunal dated 22.01.2024, the applicant had approached the Hon'ble High Court, which in WPST 64 of 2025 passed the following observation:-

“1. We find that a prayer has been made seeking a direction upon the Tribunal to dispose of the matter within a specific time frame. The issue is not in dispute that for want of Coram the matter could not be considered as there is no Judicial Member (Second Member) before the Tribunal.

2. In this circumstance which is not in dispute, we fail to understand as to how a direction can be issued to the Tribunal to consider the matter within a specified time frame.

3. We leave the petitioner to pursue the remedy before the Tribunal.

4. Without expressing any opinion on the merits, the writ petition is disposed of.”

Since this matter has been preferred before a Bench comprising two Members (Judicial and Administrative) and since no such Bench is available today, let this matter be listed and heard by such a Bench on the next date on 22.12.2025.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON & MEMBER(A)

A.K.P.