

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 82 of 2019 [OA 555 of 2017]

Dr. Amal Satpathi -- **VERSUS** – Mr. Barun Kumar Ray, Pr. Secy., Science & Technology and Biotechnology.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	: Ms. P. Das, Ld. Advocate.
	For the Contemnor/OP	: Mrs. S. Agarwal, Ld. Advocate.

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24.11.2023

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

On consent of the learned counsels for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

Ms. P. Das, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the applicant files a copy of the order passed by the Hon'ble High Court in WPST 157 of 2019. Let the same be kept on record. Submission is that in the said order, the Hon'ble Court has upheld the order of the Tribunal dated 26.06.2019 passed in OA 555 of 2017 and therefore, this contempt application is to be heard and disposed of.

Responding on behalf of the alleged contemnor/OP, Mrs. Agarwal files a copy of the acknowledgement (e-filing No. EC-SCIN01-09880-2023 dated 17.10.2023) of the SLP filed by the State respondent against the order of the Hon'ble High Court. Let the copy of the acknowledgement be kept on record. Submission is that since the matter has been filed in the Hon'ble Apex Court, the hearing in this matter may be kept pending till disposal of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

In view of the above submission, let this matter be listed under the heading "**Hearing**" on **18.04.2024**.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

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