

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. – OA-244 of 2023

Sujit Kumar Pal -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and
Date of order

For the Applicant : Mrs. S. Mitra,
Ld. Advocate.
For the State Respondent : None.

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06.08.2024

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.

The applicant has prayed for a direction to the respondent authorities to release his terminal benefits of ₹2,00,000/- after having attained the age of 60 years. Such grant is requested in terms of Notification No. 1107-F(P) dated 25.02.2016 issued by the Finance Department. The applicant was engaged as a Sub-Assistant Engineer (Electrical) on contractual basis by the District Magistrate, Uttar Dinajpur. Mrs. Mitra, learned counsel has indicated that the applicant has been working in this capacity for more than 20 years. The Notification No. 1107-F(P) dated 25.02.2016 as mentioned above has two categories of employees : Group-D and Group-C. Mrs. Mitra feels that this applicant as a SAE belongs to the Group-C category and therefore, he is entitled to receive the terminal benefits of ₹2,00,000/-. In this regard, Mrs. Mitra submits that it will suffice if a direction is given to the District Magistrate, Uttar Dinajpur to consider his representation which was furnished before him by the applicant on 19.12.2022. As prayed for, this application is disposed of by advising the respondent no. 2, the District Magistrate, Uttar Dinajpur to consider his representation dated 19.12.2022 praying for ₹2,00,000/- as the terminal benefits if he is entitled as per the Notification No. 1107-F(P) dated 25.02.2016 within a period of 60 (sixty) days from the date of communication of this order.

Accordingly, this application is **disposed of**.

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SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)