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-266 of 2023

Tumpa Samaddar (Deb) -- **VERSUS** – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. Sourav Bhattacharjee,

Ld. Advocate.

For the State Respondent

: Mr. R.K. Mondal,

Ld. Advocate.

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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 being wife of the deceased employee had furnished an application for employment for herself under compassionate ground. Late Lab Samaddar, who was an UDC with Public Health Engineering Department had died while serving on 14.01.2019. From the records in this application, it is evident that her application in proforma was received and forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, PIU, North 24-Parganas on 02.02.2021 by the Executive Engineer.

Mr. Mondal, learned counsel has submitted that to complete the process, certain relevant documents are required and the applicant has been asked to submit these before the respondent authorities. From the submissions, it also appears that the mother of the deceased employee is not very keen to issue the applicant a NOC for such employment.

Having heard the submissions of the learned counsels, this application is disposed of by directing the respondent no. 2, the Superintending Engineer, PIU, North 24-Parganas to complete the process of the proposal for such employment on compassionate ground and submit the same before the competent authority with his views. If in his opinion, it is felt necessary to call the applicant and the mother of the deceased employee, such an opportunity for hearing be arranged and their views recorded. Let this exercise be completed within three (03) months from the date of communication of this order.

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

CSM/SS

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)