

ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson and Administrative Member

Case No. –OA 310 OF 2023

SATHI MUDI - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No.
and
Date of
order

For the Applicant : Mrs. Sonali Mitra,
Advocate

For the State Respondents : Mr. D. Kole,
Advocate

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17.01.2024

For the Principal Accountant : Mr. Biswanath Mitra,
General (A&E), West Bengal Departmental Representative

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 parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

As noted in the order dated 21.08.2023, the Department had asked the Executive Engineer, Asansol Division to clarify certain points relating to the service of the deceased employee. It is understood from the statement of Mr. Kole that such clarification has not yet been responded to by the Executive Engineer.

Let the Executive Engineer respond to the queries asked by the Department within four weeks from the date of this order. Since this is a matter relating to pension, not only this Tribunal but the respondent authority should also press this on highest priority. Therefore, the Executive Engineer, Asansol Division, Public Works Directorate is directed to furnish those clarifications to the Department within four weeks from today failing which the Tribunal will take serious view of the matter. Let the matter appear under the heading "Hearing" on 04.04.2024.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON
and MEMBER (A)

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