

**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 – 427 of 2024**

**Tumpa Talukder & Others - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.**

Serial No. For the Applicants : Mr. M.N. Roy,  
and Mr. G. Halder,  
Date of order Mrs. P. Sasmal,  
1 Advocates  
23.09.2024

For the Respondent No. : Mr. S. Ghosh,  
1, 2, 4 & 5 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 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5(6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

The prayer in this application is for setting aside the impugned reasoned order dated 18.09.2023 passed by Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department. Such a reasoned order was passed in terms of a direction of this Tribunal in O.A. 316 of 2022. The prayer for granting Scale 10 to the applicants was considered and regretted in this reasoned order. The applicants had prayed for re-fixation of their pay and allowances in the Pay Band-3 i.e. Rs. 7,100/- to Rs. 37,600/- with Grade Pay of Rs. 3600/- (as per ROPA 2009) instead of Pay Band-2 i.e. Rs. 5400/- to 25,200/- with Grade Pay of Rs. 2600/-.

Matter is admitted.

Let the matter appear under the heading “Hearing” on 22.04.2025.

Reply, rejoinder, if any, in the meantime.

**SAYEED AHMED BABA  
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON & MEMBER(A)**

A.K.P/S.M.