

ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Mrs. Urmita Datta (Sen), Officiating Chairperson and Member (J).

Case No. OA – 522 of 2022

Sanjit Biswas - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. For the Applicant : Mrs. S. Mitra,
and Advocate

Date of order

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27.09.2022

For the State Respondents : Mr. S. Ghosh,
Advocate

The matter is taken up by the Single Bench pursuant to the order contained in the Notification No. 536 – WBAT / 2J-15/2016 dated 26th August, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5(6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

The instant application has been filed by the applicant praying for release of salary from 2018. As per the applicant, he was appointed on 07.03.2018 on contractual basis. However, thereafter he was implicated in the criminal case, but subsequently, he was discharged from the said criminal vide order dated 15.06.2019. Thereafter, he made representation to the authority on 15.03.2019 and 16.09.2019. However, till date, his representation has not been considered. During the course of the hearing, the counsel for the applicant has submitted that it would suffice his purpose, if the authority would consider his representation treating this O.A. as a part of it and dispose of within a stipulated period of time.

The counsel for the respondent has no objection to such proposition.

In view of the above, the respondent No. 2 i.e. Director of Personal Officer & Ex-officio Chief Engineer, Water Resources Investigation Development Department, Govt. of W.B. is directed to consider the representation of the applicant treating this O.A. as a part of it and communicate his decision by way of reasoned and speaking order within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of the order. Accordingly, the O.A. is disposed.

URMITA DATTA (SEN)
Officiating Chairperson and Member (J)

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