ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

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

Case No. -OA 609 of 2022

Shubhendu Bhattacharjya - VERSUS - The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order

06

16.11.2022

For the Applicant

: Mr. D.N. Ray,

Mr. M.N. Roy,

Mr. G. Halder,

Mr. S. Halder,

Learned Advocates.

For the State Respondents

: Mr. A. Roy Mukherjee,

Learned Advocate.

Mr. A. De,

Ms. R. Sarkar, Mr. S. Debroy,

Departmental Representatives.

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.

Heard the parties.

The counsel for the respondents has prayed for some time to file reply. It is arguable point of both the sides with regard to Rule 5 of West Bengal Services (Duties, Rights and Obligations of the Government Employees) Rules, 1980. Therefore, the respondents is directed to file reply by four weeks and rejoinder, if any, within two weeks thereafter.

The respondent is also directed not to take any adverse step with regard to the punishment order dated 13.07.2022 till the next date.

Let the matter be listed on 11.01.2023 under the heading "Admission Hearing".

Mrs. URMITA DATTA (SEN) Officiating Chairperson & Member (J)

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