

**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-649 of 2022**

**Sujata Das VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors..**

Serial No. and Date of order For the Applicant : Mr. S.K. Nandi,  
Learned Advocate.

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15.12.2022 For the State Respondents : Mr. M.N. Roy,  
Learned Advocate.

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 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5(6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

On consent of the learned counsel for the contesting parties the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

The applicant has filed this application praying for a direction to the respondent to consider her application on behalf of her son for compassionate employment.

Mr. Roy appearing for the state respondent opposes the application on the ground that the widow of the deceased employee and mother of the applicant cannot submit an application on behalf of her minor son who is still a minor as of today.

Mr. Nandi appearing on behalf of the applicant submits that rightly or wrongly the matter is pending with the respondent, the respondent may be directed to consider and take a decision on the basis of merit and facts of the case.

Having heard the learned counsels the Respondent No.

3, the Joint Commissioner of Police (H.Q), Kolkata Police is directed to consider and dispose the application in the light of the submissions made by the learned counsels and on the basis of merit by passing a reasoned order within a period of twelve weeks from the date of communication of this order and the decision shall be communicated to the applicant within a period of two weeks thereafter.

While disposing of this application, I have not gone into the merits of this case and it is left open to be dealt with by the respondents as per law.

Accordingly, OA is disposed of.

SAYEED AHMED BABA  
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON & MEMBER(A)