## 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 06 OF 2023 AVIJIT ROY CHOWDHURY & 36 ORS. - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No.

For the Applicants

Mr. Sankha Ghosh,

Advocate

and

Date of order

For the State Respondents

Mr. Gautam Pathak Banerjee,

Advocate

13.04.2023

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

At the very outset Mr. Gautam Pathak Banerjee, learned counsel for the State respondents prays for further accommodation.

Mr. Sankha Ghosh, learned advocate submits a copy of the correspondence dated 04.04.2023 addressed by the AIG (HQ) of Correctional Services, West Bengal to the Secretary to the Government of West Bengal, Department of Correctional Administration, Kolkata which may be kept on record.

Mr. Ghosh submits that the process has begun and the matter has been referred to the Department.

Let the matter appear under the heading "Reply, Rejoinder and Objection" on 20.09.2023.

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

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