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WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

Mr. Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson and Hon'ble Member (A).

Case No. – OA 1066 of 2017.

MANIK PASMAN- VERSUS- THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL AND OTHERS.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant

: Mr. D.K. Mukherjee,

Advocate.

22 15.6.2023

For the State Respondents

: Mr. M.N. Roy, 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 23rd 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's father working as a Resham karmi under the Directorate of Textile (Sericulture) died in harness on 12th March, 2012. Thereafter, Dipali Pasman, widow of the deceased filed an application for compassionate employment in favour of Manik Pasman, her son on 8th September, 2016. Later, the applicant Manik Pasman himself submitted an application on 14th September, 2017. Against such application, a three-men screening committee was constituted which enquired and submitted its report. Submission of Mr. D.K. Mukherjee, learned counsel for the applicant is that a direction be given to the respondent authority to consider and dispose of this application for compassionate employment.

Mr. M.N. Roy, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State respondents submits that if such a direction is given, the same will be complied as per rules.

After hearing the submissions of the learned counsels, this application is disposed of by directing the respondent no. 2(ii) – the Commissioner, Textile and

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Sericulture, Department of Agriculture to consider this application for compassionate employment and pass a reasoned order as per rules within twelve weeks from the date of communication of this order. Let this be made clear that I have not gone into the merit of the case and all facts of the application are kept open for consideration by the respondent authorities.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)
Officiating Chairperson and Member (A).

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