

**ORDER SHEET**

**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 114 of 2024.

DILIP MAJHI- VERSUS- THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and  
Date of order

02  
10.09.2024

For the Applicant : Mr. G. Singh,  
Advocate.  
For the State Respondents : Mr. D. Koley,  
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.

Affidavit of service filed today be kept on record.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the Respondent authorities to decide and to take a decision relating to the prayer of the applicant for employment under compassionate ground. Mr. Singh, learned counsel draws attention to Memo 696 dated 27.10.2021 and submits that such a proposal was submitted to the department, it has not yet taken any decision nor conveyed such decision if taken, to the applicant. The father of the applicant was an employee in the Public Works Department of Bhatar Highway Sub Division No.-1 as road Majdoor, who died while in service on 28.09.2013. Having applied for employment under compassionate ground, the Respondent authority – Executive Engineer, Burdwan North Highway Division, P.W.(Roads) Directorate submitted a proposal to the Joint Secretary of the Department on 27.10.2021 enclosing all the relevant documents.

Mr. Koley wishes to take instruction and update status report of the response of the Respondent authority before this Tribunal on the next date of hearing.

Heard the learned counsels of both sides.

The matter is admitted.

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Let the matter appear under the heading "Hearing" on 19.11.2024. Reply and rejoinder, if any, in the meantime.

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

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