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WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble SAYEED AHMED BABA, Member(A)

	Case No. – Sipra Biswas(Naskar		OA-115 of 2021 VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.
Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	:	Mr. A. Mitra, Learned Advocate.
$\frac{06}{19.05.2022}$	For the State Respondent	:	Mr. G.P. Banerjee, Learned Advocate.

In the instant case, the deceased employee who worked in the Department of Consumer Affairs died while in service on 14.08.2014. The applicant in this OA is the wife of the deceased employee who had submitted an application for job under the compassionate ground.

The respondent authority, after processing of her application vide Memo 2831 dated 14.06.2019 has conveyed that an employment under the compassionate ground has been approved by the Department. In a letter addressed by the Deputy Secretary of the Consumer Affairs Department, the Director of Consumer Affairs and Fair Business Practices, was advised that an appointment on compassionate ground has been approved and suitable action be taken against a suitable vacancy in Group-C post under the exempted category.

The learned advocate on behalf of the respondent submits that this offer of appointment on compassionate ground is still very much valid against a suitable vacancy whenever it occurs.

Learned advocate for the applicant submits that this offer has been in existence for the last three years but till date no such appointment has been given. Therefore, he prays for a direction to the respondents to expedite the appointment at an early date, even if an offer of Group-D post is given, this will be accepted.

After having heard the learned advocates, the respondent No. 4 is directed to expedite the appointment of Smt. Sipra Biswas (Naskar) wife of the deceased employee for a compassionate employment either in Group-C or Group –D within

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four months from the date of presentation of a copy of this order downloaded from the website of this Tribunal. Such direction was also given by the Deptt. of Consumer Affairs to him earlier.

Accordingly, OA is disposed of.

SAYEED AHMED BABA MEMBER (A)

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