<u>ORDER SHEET</u> WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

<u>Present-</u>

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A) Case No. – <u>OA 148 of 2022</u>

Debabrata Roy -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order

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For the Applicant: Md. M. Hossain, Ld. Advocate.For the State respondent: Mr. G.P. Banerjee, Ld. 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 counsels for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

By the impugned order of the respondent dated 18.10.2019, the applicant, a Road Majdoor under regular establishment was put under suspension for having been arrested for his involvement in some crimes. Submission of Mr. Hossain, learned advocate for the applicant is that despite the applicant having been released on bail, neither the suspension has been revoked nor his salaries been released since the day he was put under suspension.

Appearing on behalf of the State respondent, Mr. Banerjee, learned counsel submits that such suspension is in force due to the fact that the criminal case has not yet been concluded.

Having heard the submissions of the learned counsels, this application is disposed of by directing the respondent no. 4, the Superintending Engineer, Central Circle PWD, Berhampore to review the order of suspension by a Committee as stipulated by the order No. 9266-F(P) dated 16.11.2012 within three (03) months from the date of this order.

Accordingly, this application is **disposed of.**

SAYEED AHMED BABA Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)