

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 150 OF 2024

TUKAI PRAMANIK & ANOTHER - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. For the Applicants : Mr. M.N. Roy,
and Mr. G. Haldar,
Date of Advocates
order For the State Respondents : None

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06.08.2024 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.

In terms of a direction of this Tribunal in O.A. 1273 of 2015, an appointment under compassionate ground was given in favour of Suprakash Chakraborty, the brother of this applicant. The applicant, Tukai Pramanik is the married daughter of Uma Pada Chakraborty. In a representation dated 23.08.2023, filed before the respondent authorities, including the District Magistrate, Murshidabad, she expresses her anguish that her brother, Suprakash Chakraborty, the beneficiary of compassionate appointment, has stopped taking care of the elder sister, namely Suprabha Chakraborty, applicant No.2. The counsel for the applicants has stated that this elder unmarried sister is suffering from several ailments and due to her health conditions, she is required to be looked after properly. It is submitted that one of the primary criterias to be fulfilled for getting an appointment under compassionate ground is to look after other family members, particularly those, who are in need of proper care, like this sister, Suprabha Chakraborty. Since the brother, who has received an appointment under compassionate ground has ceased to look after the ailing sister, Suprabha Chakraborty, suitable direction is prayed to the respondent authorities.

Having heard the submissions and having considered the representation, a direction is given to the respondent No.2, the District Magistrate, Murshidabad, to cause an enquiry to find out if such allegation of the applicant relating to negligence in looking after the ailing sister, Suprabha Chakraborty by Suprakash Chakraborty is true. Suprakash is presently posted as a "Peon" in the office of Beldanga Block II, Saktipur, Murshidabad. The District Magistrate is advised to take suitable action if such allegation is found to be true.

The application is disposed of.

SCN.

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