ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

Case No. - <u>OA 154 of 2022</u>

Samar Bhattacharya -- VERSUS - The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and

For the Applicant

: Mr. B.R. Neogi, Ld. Advocate.

Date of order

For the State respondent

: Mr. G.P. Banerjee,

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Mr. M.N. Roy, Ld. Advocates.

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.

Mr. G.P. Banerjee, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State respondents prays for time to submit reply. Mr. Banerjee submits that this application involves various points of law and therefore, this should be placed before a Bench comprising of two members (Judicial and Administrative). This is also supported by the learned counsel for the applicant.

In view of the above, let the matter be placed before a Bench comprising of two members (Judicial and Administrative) under the heading "Reply/Rejoinder" on 11.07.2023.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

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