

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 160 OF 2023

SONJU MONDAL - Vs - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & OTHERS.

Serial No. and
Date of order

06
19.02.2025

For the Applicant : Mr. Goutam Pathak Banerjee
Advocate

For the State respondents : Mr. Soumendra Narayan Ray
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.

Mr.G.P.Banerjee, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the applicant refers to a judgement of the Hon'ble High Court in WPST-170 of 2014 and the order of this Tribunal in OA-40 of 2019. Submission is that in terms of such a direction in WPST-170 of 2014, this Tribunal in OA-40 of 2019 also passed directions to the effect that the legal heirs of the work charged employee, who had completed more than ten years service are entitled to appointment under compassionate ground.

After close examination of this order, the Tribunal finds that the High Court had mentioned Memo. No. 4026-F dated 22.04.1974 and in terms of such Notification, the Government had directed that work charged staff with a minimum of ten years continuous service shall be absorbed in regular establishment against vacancies.

Mr.S.N.Ray, learned counsel opposing the prayer in this application, wishes to present relevant judgements of the Hon'ble High

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Court and the Supreme Court before this Tribunal on the next date.
Similarly, Mr.Banerjee has been advised to present a copy of Memo. No.
4026-F dated 22.04.1974.

Let these documents be filed before this Tribunal on the next date
and the matter to appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 25th June, 2025.

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

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