<u>ORDER SHEET</u> 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 169 of 2023</u>

Amrabati Kewat -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	: Mr. G.P. Banerjee, Mr. Sourav Bhattacharjee,
<u>05</u> 18.11.2024	For the State Respondents	Ld. Advocates. : Mr. S.K. Mondal, 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.

Mr. Mondal, learned counsel for the State respondents files a copy of order in WPST 8 of 2022. Let the copy be kept on record and copy be served upon the other side. Submission of Mr. Mondal is that the Hon'ble High Court has in a similar matter upheld the order of the Tribunal in rejecting an application for compassionate employment to a legal heir of a deceased work charged employee. The relevant para of the order is as under:

> "There is no scheme, which is framed by the Department, concerning the compassionate appointment of the dependant of the deceased work charged employee and, therefore, we do not find that there is any illegality or infirmity on the decision of the authority as well as the Tribunal in rejecting the application."

Mr. Banerjee, learned counsel also wishes to file a copy of relevant judgment passed by the Hon'ble High Court relating to compassionate employment to the legal heirs of deceased work charged employee. Let such copy of judgment be filed before this Tribunal and copy be served upon the other side. Mr. Banerjee further argues that in the past, the respondent authority had offered such an employment to one Rita Majumdar who is the daughter of a deceased work charged employee, Tapas Majumdar.

Though, Mr. Mondal was advised to check the fact whether Rita Majumdar was offered an employment or not, but no such response has been received.

Let the matter appear under the heading "For Orders" on 27.02.2025.

SAYEED AHMED BABA Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

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