

ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Mrs. Urmita Datta (Sen), Member(J).

Case No. - OA 231 of 2018

Md. Alauddin Momin - **VERSUS** - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. For the Applicant : Md. Salahuddin,
and Ld. Advocate.
Date of order For the State Respondent : None.
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24.02.2021

The matter is taken up by the Single Bench pursuant to the Notification No. 949-WBAT/2J-15/2016 dated 24th December, 2020, issued in exercise of the powers conferred under sub section (6) of Section 5 of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

None for the respondent.

Since no reply has been filed by the respondent, the matter is taken up for hearing. During the course of the hearing, the counsel for the applicant has drawn my attention to the Memo. dated 14.06.2017, whereby the Commissioner of Textiles and Sericulture, Govt. of West Bengal had requested the Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Department of Agriculture to clarify whether the applicant would be considered in General Category or OBC (A) Category. However, according to the applicant till date no decision has been communicated to him with regard to his compassionate appointment. Therefore, the counsel for the applicant has submitted that it would suffice applicant's purpose if the respondent no. 8 i.e. the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Department of Agriculture be directed to take final decision with regard to the compassionate appointment of the applicant taken into account the Memo. dated 14.06.2017 within a stipulated period of time.

In view of the above, the respondent no. 8 i.e. the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Department of Agriculture is directed to take final decision with regard to the compassionate appointment of the applicant and communicate the same by way of a reasoned and speaking order within a period of three months from the date of receipt of the order.

Accordingly, the **OA is disposed of with no order as to cost.**

The parties are directed to act upon the Website copy of the order.

SS/CSM

Mrs. URMITA DATTA (SEN)
MEMBER (J)