

ORDERSHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700 091.

Present-

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

CaseNo.-OA 255 of 2018

Rupa Chakraborty--**VERSUS**--The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No.and
Date of order

For the Applicant : Mrs. Jui Dutta Chakraborty,
Ld. Advocate.

For the State Respondents : Mr. S.K. Mondal,
Ld. Advocate.

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05.02.2025

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 this application having a prayer for an employment under compassionate ground, it is evident that the applicant had furnished her plain paper application before the Chief Medical Officer of Health, Barasat, North 24-Parganas on 30.06.2014. This application was well within the two years permissible time to be filed by the applicant. Earlier, her father had died on 03.06.2014 working as a Homeopathic Compounder-cum-Dresser at SHD, Halisahar, North-24 Parganas. From the copy of the plain paper application, it is also clear that it was duly received and acknowledged by the office of the respondent authority. The proforma application which is the proper application was also furnished by the applicant but no signature or seal appears on the body of the proforma application. However, a copy of letter dated 28.06.2014 addressed to the Chief Medical Officer of Health, Barasat, North 24-Parganas by Arunika Ganguly appears to have been acknowledge by the officials with the signature and seal of Block Medical Officer of Health. The applicant being the married daughter of the deceased employee argues in the application that she being the only child has the responsibility to look after her mother and therefore, an appointment under compassionate ground will be beneficial to both her and the mother. Since no reply/report is forthcoming from the State respondent's side and since the Mrs. Jui Dutta Chakraborty, learned counsel for the applicant submits that it will suffice if a direction is given to consider the application, therefore, the respondent no. 2 (ii), the Director of Health Services, Department of Health and Family Welfare is directed to examine the application praying for an employment under compassionate ground. After examination and if necessary giving an opportunity of hearing to the applicant, this application may be disposed of by taking a final decision preferably within four (04) months from the date of communication of this order.

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Accordingly, this application is **disposed of**.

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Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)