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- 284 of 2024

Subhrajyoti Saha - Vs - The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and

Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. S. Bhattacharya,

Learned Advocate.

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12.09.2024.

For the State Respondents

Mrs. S. Agarwal,

Learned 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. Bhattacharya, learned counsel has submitted that the delay of 14 months from the date of impugned order from 03.09.2021 was due to the fact that the applicant not being familiar with the rules was under the impression that his representations before the respondent authority would be considered. It is correct that the applicant had filed total 9 (nine) representations before different respondent authorities. The Tribunal is satisfied with the reasons presented by the applicant's side and, therefore, such delay is condoned. This application is admitted.

Let the matter appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 28.01.2025. Reply/Rejoinder, if any, in the meantime.

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