

**ORDER SHEET**  
**WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

**Present-**

**The Hon'ble Justice Soumitra Pal, Chairman**

**Case No. –OA 298 of 2022**

**SRI PRABAL BISWAS - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.**

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	:	Mr. Amitava Dasgupta, Ms. Debleena Dasgupta, Advocates
<u>3</u> 12.07.2022	For the State Respondents	:	Mr. Gaurav Haldar, Advocate

The matter is taken up by the single Bench pursuant to the order contained in the Notification No.118-WBAT/1E-08/2003 (Pt.-II) dated 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under section 6(5) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

It appears from the order dated 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2022 that Mr. Gaurav Haldar, learned advocate had entered appearance on behalf of the State respondents. Mr. Haldar submits that his appointment may be regularised.

Since Mr. Haldar entered appearance on behalf of the State respondents on 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2022 and is also appearing today, the learned Legal Remembrancer, West Bengal is directed to regularise the appointment of Mr. Haldar.

In the application, Prabal Biswas, the applicant, - who had worked as Sub Assistant Engineer, under the West Bengal State Agricultural Marketing Board, Kolkata, - has prayed for certain reliefs, the relevant portion of which is as under:-

- “(a) *Direct the Respondents to allow the applicant his legitimate claim to seniority and service benefit reckoning the correct date of appointment and joining as Sub-Assistant Engineer.*
- (b) *Direct the Respondent Authority to allow CAS benefit reckoning the correct date of requisite service period of Twenty Five Years.”*

Mr. Amitava Dasgupta, learned advocate for the applicant submits that for

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the ends of justice, the Chief Executive Officer, West Bengal State Agricultural Marketing Board, Kolkata, the respondent no.2(c) may be directed to consider the representation dated 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2020, being Annexure 'C' to the application.

Heard Mr. Haldar.

SCN. Having heard the learned advocates for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the application is disposed of by directing the Chief Executive Officer, West Bengal State Agricultural Marketing Board, Kolkata, the respondent no.2(c) to give a reply to the letter dated 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2020, being Annexure 'C' to the application, to be communicated to the applicant within a period of fifteen weeks from the date of presentation of a copy of this order downloaded from the website of the Tribunal.

(SOUMITRA PAL)  
CHAIRMAN