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 303 of 2024 Sri Himadri De and Others. - Versus - The State of West Bengal & Others.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicants : Ms. D. Paramanik,

Advocate.

 $\frac{02}{06.08.2024}$.

For the State Respondents

: Mr. S. Ghosh,

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.

The prayer in this application is for setting aside the Finance (Audit) Department vide Notification No. 9099-F dated 23.08.2009 and all subsequent notifications. In terms of a Notification No. 3317-F dated 22.03.2001,the West Bengal Junior Audit & Accounts Service was unified with West Bengal Audit & Accounts Service w.e.f. 01.03.2001. By the notification 9099-F such merger of the two services was antedated with notional effect from 01.04.1981.

Heard the learned counsels for the parties, the matter is admitted.

The point of limitation be kept open.

Ms. Paramanik has prayed for an interim order restraining the respondent authority for giving effect to Memo. Nos. 837 (5) dated 03.05.2024 and 1164-F dated 29.04.2024. Such prayer also be heard on the next date of hearing.

Let the matter appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 02.09.2024.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)
Officiating Chairperson and Member (A)

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