

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 307 of 2024

Dr. Partha Pratim Das. - Versus - The State of West Bengal & Others.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	: Mr. A. Sen, Mr. S. Kar, Advocates.
<u>01</u> 02.07.2024.	For the State Respondents	: Mr. G. P. Banerjee, 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 affidavit of service filed today be kept on record.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondent authorities to allow the applicant to appear in the interview for the post of Dental Surgeon –cum – Clinical Tutors / Demonstrators in Dental and Medical Colleges in the cadre of the WBDES.

From the submissions of the learned counsels, it is understood that the same prayer was also made in an earlier application being OA-291 of 2024. In that matter the Tribunal, after hearing both the sides passed an order dated 20.06.2024, in which the Secretary & Controller of Examinations, West Bengal Health Recruitment Board was directed to allow the applicant to present his documents before him, in particular the document which shows his Certificate of Registration renewed up to 31.12.2024. Further, the respondent was also directed to allow the applicant to appear for the interview for the same post, if so satisfied by his examination of the documents, and if otherwise eligible.

Mr. Sen, learned counsel for the applicant informs that though the applicant by virtue of the Tribunal's order in OA-291 of 2024 had submitted all the relevant documents in person but the respondent authority has not considered and taken any decision till date. This is the reason why the applicant was compelled to file this fresh application

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praying for the same point.

Mr. Banerjee, learned counsel submits that such a direction passed by this Tribunal in the earlier application is being examined and a final decision will be taken at the earliest.

Having heard the submission of the learned counsels, it is clear that in terms of this Tribunal's direction, the same prayer is being examined by the respondent authorities. Therefore, it would be appropriate if some time is allowed to pass before this application is admitted and heard. Mr. Banerjee has also informed that the direction passed earlier will be examined soon and communicated to the applicant. In view of submission of Mr. Banerjee, let this matter be taken on 31.07.2024 under the heading "Admission Hearing".

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)

Officiating Chairperson and Member (A)

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