ORDER SHEET WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Justice Soumitra Pal, Chairman.

Case No. – OA 32 of 2021. RAJSEKHAR DAS - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and Date of order

for the Applicant

: Mr. R.K. Acharyya, Mr. B.B. Maity, Advocates.

02 24.02.2021

For the State Respondent : Mrs. S. Agarwal, Advocate.

The matter is taken up by the single Bench pursuant to the Notification No. 949-WBAT/2J-15/2016 dated 24th December, 2020 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under sub section (6) of section 5 of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

Let affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

In this application Rajsekhar Das, the applicant, has prayed for a direction upon the respondents to give appointment on compassionate ground. It appears that the mother of the applicant Kamini Bala Das working as Health Supervisor (Female) in Block Medical Officer of Health, Patashpur-II, in the district of Purba Medinipur had expired on 20th August, 2017 leaving behind the applicant, his father and one married sister and one unmarried sister. Thereafter, on 12th August, 2018 the applicant made an application for service in the dying in harness category before the Block Medical Officer of Health, Patashpur, -District – Purba Medinipur, - the respondent no. 4. It appears from page 23 of the application that the Chief Medical Officer of Health, Purba Medinipur, – the respondent no. 3 had accepted the application of the applicant for employment on compassionate ground by memo dated 15th November, 2018. It is submitted by Mr. B.B. Maity, learned advocate for the applicant that since the application for appointment on compassionate ground is pending since 2018, appropriate order may be passed.

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Mrs. S. Agarwal, learned advocate appearing on behalf of the State respondent submits, if directed, the respondent authorities will take steps in accordance with law.

Having heard the learned advocates for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of this case, the application is disposed of by directing the Director of Health Services (Personnel), the respondent no. 2, to pass appropriate order regarding employment of the applicant on compassionate ground within fifteen weeks from the dateof presentation of a copy of this order downloaded from the internet/website, after giving an opportunity of hearing and after verifying the records and after making necessary enquiry.

I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of this matter and all points are kept open to be dealt with by the respondent no.2.

(SOUMITRA PAL) CHAIRMAN

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