

ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

Case No. – OA 343 of 2023

Ajit Kumar Porey -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and
Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. G. P. Banerjee, Ld. Advocate.

For the State respondent : Mr. R.K. Mondal, Ld. Advocate.

For the Pr. AG (A&E), WB : Mr. B. Mitra, Depttl. Rep.

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04.07.2023

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.

On consent of the learned counsels for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

Affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondents to correct the applicant's date of joining in service as 17.01.1989 instead of 20.12.2001 and correct the same for his seniority in the gradation list. The applicant had joined the service as a Cleaner-cum-Attendant (CCA) under Fire and Emergency Services Department on 17.01.1989. Submission of Mr. Banerjee is that the above fact of his joining on 17.01.1989 is evident from page 12 of this application in which the order dated 16.01.1989 confirms the applicant, Ajit Kumar Porey being appointed in this post. Also evident is the joining report of the applicant submitted before the Officer-in-Charge, Gariahat Fire Station which is dated 17.01.1989.

Mr. Mondal, learned advocate for the State respondent also agrees that the date of joining as prayed for 17.01.1989 is correct and this anomaly is being corrected by the office of the respondent. Further, the pension papers submitted to the office of the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal also bears the same date of joining on 17.01.1989. He also assures such rectification in other documents will be done at the earliest.

In view of the above submissions, this application is **disposed of** with a direction to the respondent authority to rectify the date of joining in the relevant documents during the service life of the applicant and consequential benefits, if any, to be disbursed accordingly.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

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