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** 35 of 2025

Suchitra Das -- **VERSUS** – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order

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24.07.2025

For the Applicant : Mr. Kaustuv Misra,

Ld. Advocate.

For the State Respondents

: Ms. R. Sarkar,

Mr. S. Debray, Mr. R. Bag,

Ld. Departmental Representatives.

For the Pr.AG (A&E), WB

: Mr. B. Mitra,

Ld. Departmental Representative.

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.

Ms. Sarkar, Learned Departmental Representative files a Report in this matter and submits that the Service Book of the deceased employee has been reconstructed. Let the Report be kept on record. After such reconstruction, now the proposal for family pension will be prepared and submitted. Ms. Sarkar also emphasises that the applicant is required to be present and submit relevant documents, if required.

Mr. Misra, learned counsel for the applicant points out that most of the documents have been submitted by the applicant. However, if there is any need for the applicant to be present physically and resubmit any of the documents, she is willing to do so.

With the above observation, the Tribunal directs the respondent no. 4, the District Magistrate and Collector, Paschim Medinipur to expedite the process for submitting the proposal of family pension of the applicant before the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, preferably within four (04) months from today.

The applicant is also directed to approach the office of the District Magistrate and Collector, Paschim Medinipur and co-operate with them by way of supplying the documents, if so required.

With the above direction, this application is disposed of.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)