# <u>order sheet</u> 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 352 of 2024 Kalyan Pramanik. - Versus - The State of West Bengal & Others.

Serial No. and Date of order $\frac{01}{30.07.2024}.$	For the Applicant	: Mr. S. Chatterjee, Mr. A. Mukherjee, Mr. K. Sk., Advocates.
	For the Respondent Nos. 1 to 5	: Mr. G. P. Banerjee, Advocate.
	For the Respondent No. 6	: Mr. A. Chatterjee, Advocate.
	For the Respondent No. 7	: Mr. S. N. Ray, 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 23<sup>rd</sup> 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 applicant has prayed for a direction to the respondent authorities to set aside the transfer order dated 22.07.2024 issued by the Finance Department. By such transfer order the applicant holding the present post of Finance Officer, Bally Municipality has been transferred as Accounts Officer in the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health, Dakshin Dinajpur.

Mr. S. Chatterjee, learned counsel appearing for the applicant submits that this transfer order was issued with malafide intention since the applicant as the Finance Officer had raised objections in several of the bills to be passed.

Mr. Banerjee, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the Finance Department files a copy of Memo. No. 1866 dated 29.07.2024 and submits that, in the meantime, one Nurshid Alam, WBA&AS the Reliever Officer has already taken over the charge of Finance Officer, Bally Municipality. It appears that though the reliever has joined but the applicant, Kalyan

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Pramanik has not, till date, joined his new place of posting at Dakshin Dinajpur.

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

Mr. Chatterjee prays for an interim direction staying the operation of the transfer order which is opposed by the respondent authorities.

The Tribunal feels that since today the matter has come under the heading "Admission Hearing" and the matter is being admitted, let such prayer for interim order be heard on the next date when the matter is taken up under the heading "Hearing".

Let the matter appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 07.01.2025.

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

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