

**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 37 of 2024**

**Anirrita De -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Serial No. and  
Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. M.N. Roy,  
Mrs. S. Agarwal,  
Ms. S. Chakraborty,  
Ld. Advocates.

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29.01.2024

For the State Respondent : Mr. D. Koley,  
Ld. 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.

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

By filing this application, the applicant has prayed for setting aside the impugned reference appearing at page 24. This impugned reference gives the reason for rejection of the application for non-submission of all the years mark sheets. By an advertisement dated 12.12.2022, the West Bengal Health Recruitment Board invited an application to fill up the post of Food Safety Officer (General Services). Candidates were required to upload all the documents online, including all the mark sheets, as stipulated in the advertisement. But inadvertently, the applicant, instead of uploading the mark sheets of all the 8 Semesters, uploaded only the mark sheets of Semester 7 and 8. Mark sheets for Semesters 1 to 6 could not be uploaded. Realising her mistake and praying for consideration, she submitted a representation before the Board.

Submission of the learned counsels is that a direction may be given to the respondent no. 4, the Secretary & Controller of Examination to consider her representation filed on 13.01.2024 and after accepting the remaining mark sheets, she be allowed to be interviewed for the said post.

Having heard the submissions of the learned counsels, the Tribunal is of the opinion that the applicant has been very candid in her submission by admitting the fact that due to inadvertence, she missed to upload the mark sheets relating to Semesters 1 to 6. A representation has been filed before the

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respondents requesting for consideration of this fact and allowing her to appear in the interview.

In view of foregoing observations, the respondent no. 4, the Secretary & Controller of Examination is directed to consider her representation dated 13.01.2024 within a period of four weeks from the date of communication of this order and take the final decision in this matter sympathetically.

Accordingly, the application is **disposed of**.

**SAYEED AHMED BABA**  
**Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)**

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