ORDER SHEET WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Mrs. Urmita Datta (Sen), Member(J).

Case No. - OA 379 of 2020 Nayan Mondal - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and
Date of orderFor the Applicant: Mr. J. Chakraborty, Ld. Adv.For the State Respondent: Mr. M.N. Roy, Ld. Adv.

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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.

Affidavit of service filed by the applicant is kept on record.

Counsel for the applicant has prayed for leave to add the Secretary, Department of Agriculture as respondent no. 1 (a). Prayer is allowed.

The instant application has been filed mainly praying for a direction upon the respondents to consider the case of the applicant for compassionate appointment. As per the applicant, his father died on 03.03.2018 (Annexure A-2). Subsequently, the applicant submitted application for compassionate appointment on 03.07.2018 and 21.07.2018 (Annexure A-5). Therefore, one enquiry committed was formed vide Memo. dated 23.10.2019 (Annexure A-9). However, till date no decision has been communicated to him.

As per the applicant, since he is passing through acute financial crisis, his purpose would be served if the respondent no. 1 (a) i.e. Secretary, Department of Agriculture would be directed to take final decision with regard to the compassionate appointment within a stipulated period of time.

Mr. M.N. Roy, counsel for the respondent has submitted that they have no objection to take final decision with regard to the compassionate appointment of the applicant if so directed.

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Accordingly, the respondent no. 1 (a) i.e. Secretary, Department of Agriculture is directed to take final decision with regard to the compassionate appointment to the applicant within a period of three months from the date of receipt of the order by way of reasoned and speaking order.

Accordingly, the OA is disposed of with no order as to cost.

Parties are directed to act upon the Web copy of the order.

Mrs. URMITA DATTA (SEN) MEMBER (J)

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