ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

Mr. Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson and Hon'ble Member (A).

Case No. – OA 448 of 2023.

SABITA BASFORE- VERSUS-THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. S. Bhattacharjee,

Learned Advocate.

 $\frac{02}{03.01.2024}$

For the State respondents : Mrs. S. Agarwal,

Learned 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 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 counsel for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondent authority to consider the application for employment under compassionate ground. The employment as requested for arises after the death of her husband, Anil Basfore, who died-in-harness as a Group-D employee on 10.04.2021. An application for appointment under compassionate ground was submitted before the respondent authorities. The prayer is for a direction to expedite such consideration of the prayer.

Mrs. S. Agarwal, learned counsel for the State respondents submits that the State respondents have now received some of the relevant documents from the applicant's side and a final decision regarding the plain paper application is being taken.

Having heard the submissions of the learned counsels, this application is disposed of by directing the Director of Health Services – the respondent no. 2 to consider the application for employment under compassionate ground and issue the final order as per rules within twelve weeks from the date of communication of this

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order. Accordingly the application is	disposed of.
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