ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

<u>Present-</u> The hon'ble sayeed ahmed baba, officiating chairperson and administrative member, Case No. – OA 455 OF 2020

SMT. BHAGMANI DEVI - Vs - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & OTHERS.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant

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Advocate

19.02.2024

For the State Respondents

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Advocate

For the Private Respondent:

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Mr.P.S.Das 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 counsels for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

This applicant claiming to be the wife of the deceased employee, Sanjiva Kumar Gupta has prayed for a compassionate employment. Likewise, another person, Bina Gupta has also claimed for the compassionate employment as widow of the deceased employee.

After hearing the submissions of the learned counsels and examining the records, it is the finding of this Tribunal that the matter in this application is not within the determination of this Tribunal.

Mrs.S.Agarwal, learned counsel also informs that in the service records, including the service book of the deceased employee, there is neither any mention of the applicant's name, Bhagmani Devi nor that of Bina Gupta, the private respondent, also claiming to be the wife of the deceased employee.

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Since adjudication of such family dispute is not within the determination of this Tribunal, this application is disposed of without passing any orders. Liberty to both the parties to seek remedy in appropriate forum.

Accordingly, the application is disposed of.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBER (A)

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