

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 47 of 2022**

*Debojyoti Chowdhury Mondal* -- **VERSUS** – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order : For the Applicant : Mr. M. Karim,  
Mrs. P. Chakraborty, Ld. Advocates.  
For the State respondent : Mr. D. Kole, Ld. Advocate.

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10.04.2023

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.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondent to appoint the applicant under die-in-harness scheme. The father of the applicant working as a GDA under Chief Medical Officer of Health, Birbhum died-in-harness on 29.05.2002. The applicant is the elder son of the deceased employee and was minor at the time of death of his father. Later on 21.11.2021, the applicant submitted a proforma application for his employment.

Mr. M. Karim, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the applicant submits that the respondent has neither communicated to the applicant nor offered any compassionate employment, therefore, a direction may be given to consider the proforma application submitted by the applicant for compassionate employment.

Mr. D. Kole, learned counsel for the State respondent submits that if such a direction is given, the same will be complied by the respondent as per existing rules. After hearing both the learned counsels, the respondent no.2, the Director of Health Services, Department of Health & Family Welfare, Government of West Bengal is directed to consider and dispose of the proforma application for compassionate appointment submitted by the applicant, Debojyoti Chowdhury Mondal for compassionate employment against his father who died-in-harness as a GDA under Chief Medical Officer of Health, Birbhum as per rules within a period of 12 (twelve) weeks from the date of communication of this order.

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

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