

**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 493 of 2023**

**Amitava Banerjee -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Serial No. and  
Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. Souvik Ganguly,  
Ld. Advocate.

For the State Respondents : Mr. G. Halder,  
Ld. Advocate.

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04.09.2025

For the Pr.AG (A&E), WB : Mr. B. Mitra,  
Ld. Deptt. Rep.

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.

In terms of direction of this Tribunal, Learned Registrar communicated the order dated 27.08.2025 to the District Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum.

Mr. Halder, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State respondents has confirmed receipt of such communication by the District Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum. However, on behalf of the District Magistrate & Collector, Birbhum, Mr. Halder prays for a short accommodation to comply with the direction. Mr. Ganguly, learned counsel has also submitted that from his end, copy of the order dated 27.08.2025 was served upon the District Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum.

Having regard to the request made by Mr. Halder, this Tribunal gives one last chance to the District Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum. The reply on behalf of the District Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum be filed positively before this Tribunal on the next date, failing which the Tribunal will view it as wilful disobedience and proceed against him in accordance with the rules.

Let the matter appear under the heading **“For Orders”** on **18.11.2025.**

Let a copy of this order be communicated to the District Magistrate and Collector, Birbhum by Mr. Halder, learned counsel for the State respondents.

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