

ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson and Administrative Member

Case No. – OA 536 OF 2024

RATNA DUTTA - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and Date of order
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19.11.2024

For the Applicant : Mr. G. Haldar,
Mrs. P. Sasmal,
Advocates

For the State Respondents : Ms. Ruma Sarkar,
Mr. Saurav Deb Ray,
Mr. R. Bag,
Departmental representatives

For the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal : Mr. Biswanath Mitra,
Departmental Representative

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.

Let affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

Mr. Haldar is not pressing prayers 8.(a), (b), (d) and (e). The prayer 8(c) is praying for a direction to the concerned respondent authorities to pay the family pension to the applicant in terms of memo No.732-F(Pen) dated 12.11.2008. The applicant is the unmarried daughter of the deceased employee Saila Mohan Dutta, who had served under the Department of Land and Land Reforms as a Revenue Inspector. From the submissions it is understood that the absence period of the deceased employee and applicant's father from 03.08.1976 to 30.12.1984 is to be regularised. As explained by Ms. Sarkar, the Department has initiated steps for regularisation of this absent period which will require the approval of the Finance Department as well.

Heard the learned counsels.

The matter is admitted.

Let the matter appear under the heading "Hearing" on 27.02.2025.

SCN.

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