## <u>ORDER SHEET</u> WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

**Present-**

## The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

Case No. – <u>OA 569 of 2023</u>

Kalyan Kumar Chatterjee -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and For the Applicant : Mrs. S. Mitra, Date of order Ld. Advocate. For the State : Ms. R. Sarkar, 02 Respondents No. 1 & 2 Mr. S. Debray, 08.12.2023 Mrs. A. Bhattacharya, Ld. Depttl. Reps. For the Pr.AG (A&E), : Mr. B. Mitra, West Bengal Ld. Depttl. 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.

On consent of the learned counsels for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

Affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

The applicant has prayed for a direction to sanction his full pension along with arrears after being acquitted in a criminal case. Submission of Mrs. Mitra, learned counsel is that the applicant was allowed only interim allowance due to his involvement in a criminal case, but since the Learned Additional Session Judge, 3<sup>rd</sup> Court, Barrackpore, North 24-Parganas has passed an order, by which he has been acquitted from the same criminal case, therefore, a direction may be given to the respondent authority to sanction and disburse his full pension along with his arrears.

Since it is not clear on what ground such interim allowance was given to the applicant, the Tribunal advises the respondents no. 1 and 4 to file a status report highlighting the reason why an interim allowance was given to the applicant on the next date of hearing.

The matter is admitted.

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Let the matter appear under the heading "Hearing" on 30.01.2024.

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

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