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. – <u>OA 580 of 2023</u>

Laltu Das -- VERSUS - The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant : Md. M. Ali, Ld. Advocate.

For the State respondent : Mr. S.N. Ray, Ld. Advocate.

 $\frac{02}{20.09.2023}$

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 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.

Affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

An advertisement was issued and selection process initiated for the engagement of "house father" required for Suryadaya Children Home for Deaf and Dumb Boys and Girls at Karnajora, Raiganj, Uttar Dinajpur. Submission of Mr. Ali, learned counsel for the applicant is that the applicant participated in all the stages of the selection process but the result was never published. Against an information sought under the RTI Act, the respondent informed him that due to "administrative reasons", the selection process was cancelled. It appears that a new advertisement for the same post has been published by the respondent which is dated 02.08.2023. Mr. Ali informs that the applicant has again applied for the post and willing to participate in the selection process.

Appearing on behalf the respondent, Mr. Ray submits that the earlier advertisement had to be cancelled due to certain administrative exigencies. However, a new advertisement has been published and the applicant may again apply and participate in the selection process.

In view of the above facts and circumstances, the Tribunal does not see any reason why it should interfere with the selection process at this stage. Further, since the applicant has again applied and going to participate, there is no reason why the Tribunal should pass any order.

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

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

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