#### **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 586 OF 2023

SONALI MADDI - Vs - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & OTHERS.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr.K.Bera

Advocate

 $\frac{03}{10.06.2024}$ 

For the State respondents : Mr.Manujendra Narayan Roy

Advocate

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 applicant has prayed for a direction upon the respondent authorities to consider her application for employment under compassionate ground. Submission of Mr.K.Bera, learned advocate appearing on behalf of the applicant is that ever since the death of her husband in service on 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2011, she has been filing several representations. In compliance to the authorities, she has submitted all relevant documents as well appeared for personal hearing. It was much later in the year 2019 that the Superintendent of Police, Purba Bardhaman informed the applicant that her application has been submitted before the Home and Hill Affairs Department vide Memo. dated 05.05.2020.

Mr.M.N.Roy, learned counsel submits that if a direction is given to the competent respondent, the same will be considered as per rules.

Having heard the submissions of the learned counsels, this application is disposed of by directing the respondent No. 2 (ii) the Additional Chief Secretary / the Principal Secretary, Home and Hill

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Affairs Department to consider the prayer of the applicant for employment under compassionate ground as per rules within a period of three months from the date of communication of this order. The decision of the department may be conveyed to the applicant within two weeks thereof.

Accordingly, the application is disposed of.

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

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