

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 594 of 2022

Sambhu Kumar Bhattacharjee & Ors. -- VERSUS – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and For the Applicants : Mr. A. Saha, Ld. Advocate.

Date of order For the State respondent : Mr. B.P. Roy, Ld. Advocate.

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21.12.2022

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.

In this application, the primary prayer is for a direction to the respondents to grant certain benefits to the applicants under the Memorandum dated 16.09.2011. Learned counsel for the applicants submits that the applicants are entitled as per this Memorandum to receive the benefits and a representation was also submitted to the Respondent No. 4, Superintending Engineer, Mechanical Circle, P.W. (Roads) Directorate on 31.12.2021 which was also recommended by the Superintending Engineer when he moved the proposal to the Chief Engineer, Headquarters. Learned counsel for the applicants prays for a direction to the respondent to consider this representation.

Mr. Roy, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State respondents submits that if such a direction is given to the Respondent No. 3, the same will be considered as per Rules.

After hearing the submissions of the learned counsels and perusing the record, the Respondent No. 3, Chief Engineer, Headquarters, P.W. (Roads) Directorate is directed to consider the representation submitted by the applicants to the Superintending Engineer, Mechanical Circle and forwarded with recommendation to him by the Superintending Engineer on 20.04.2022 within a period of eight weeks from the date of communication of this order.

Accordingly, the matter is **disposed of**.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

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