

**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 60 OF 2024**

**SARMISTHA SAHA & ANOTHER - Vs - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & OTHERS.**

Serial No. and  
Date of order

06  
11.03.2025

For the Applicants : Mr. Kamalesh Bhattacharya  
Mrs.Sunita Agarwal  
Advocates  
For the State Respondents : Mr. Soumendra Narayan Ray  
Advocate  
For the Principal Accountant : Mr.Biswanath Mitra  
General (A&E) West Bengal (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 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 and the learned Departmental Representative for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

Mr.K.Bhattacharya, learned counsel has submitted that although the applicants have prayed for a direction for awarding Scale No. 14, but due to financial stringency they were compelled to receive provisional pension at Scale No. 12 without prejudice to the rights of the applicants to the outcome of this case.

Mr. S.N.Ray, learned counsel wishes to file a report covering the core issue of this matter which is awarding Scale No. 14 to the applicants during the period they were holding the charge of CDPO.

Let such report be filed and a copy be served upon the other side.  
Matter to appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2025.

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

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