

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 678 OF 2024

PRIYANKA DAS - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	:	Mr. Subhadip Chatterjee, Ms. Suva Gayen, Learned Advocates
	For the State Respondents	:	Mr. Shaon Bhattacharya, Learned Advocate
<u>3</u> 07.03.2025			

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.

Let affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondent authorities to offer an employment under compassionate ground after setting aside the memo No.138 dated 06.06.2024. By this memo the respondent authority, the Joint Secretary, Public Works Department rejected such a prayer on the ground that the deceased employee, Pradip Kumar Das, Ex-Work Guard was an employee under work charge establishment and his service was not brought under regular establishment, therefore, an employment under compassionate ground cannot be offered to the legal heirs of the work charged employee.

Heard the learned counsels.

Matter is admitted.

Let the matter appear under the heading "Hearing" on 25.06.2025. Reply / rejoinder, if any, in the meantime.

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