

**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 683 OF 2023**

**SANJIT CHAKRABORTY - Vs - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & OTHERS.**

Serial No. and  
Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. Swapan Kumar Nandi  
Advocate

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05.12.2023

For the State Respondents : Mr. Goutam Pathak Banerjee  
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 to the respondent authorities to release his retirement benefits including pension. Submission of Mr.S.K.Nandi, learned counsel for the applicant is that the applicant has superannuated since 31.01.2023. It appears from the records that the pension proposal with certain remarks was presented before the office of the Principal Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal which was returned back to Commandant, State Armed Police, 13<sup>th</sup> Battalion, Barjora on 08.02.2023 with certain remarks relating to “draft charges in proposed departmental proceedings against the applicant.”

Mr.S.K.Nandi, further submits that though the applicant superannuated since January, 2023 he has neither been sanctioned his pension and other retirement benefits nor any departmental proceedings have been initiated against the applicant.

Submitting on behalf of the respondent authorities,

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Mr.G.P.Banerjee, learned counsel for the State respondents prefers to file a status report by the next date. Let such status report be filed and also mentioning who would be the appropriate authority to disburse his pension and other retiral benefits.

The matter is admitted. Let the matter appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2024.

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

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