

**ORDER SHEET**

**WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**

**Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.**

**Present-**

**The Hon'ble Justice Soumitra Pal, Chairman.**

**Case No. – OA 70 of 2021.**

**ARNAB MALLICK - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.**

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	: Mr. G. Halder, Advocates.
<u>02</u> 24.02.2021	For the State Respondent	: Mr. G.P. Banerjee, Advocate.

The matter is taken up by the single Bench pursuant to the Notification No. 949-WBAT/2J-15/2016 dated 24<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under sub section (6) of section 5 of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

Let affidavit of service filed be kept on record.

Since despite service of notice none appears on behalf of the State respondents, Mr. G.P. Banerjee, learned advocate, who normally appears on behalf of the State respondents, is requested to appear in this matter. Let a copy of this original application be served on Mr. Banerjee, which is served and accepted. The Legal Remembrancer, West Bengal is directed to regularise the appointment of Mr. Banerjee.

In this application Arnab Mallick, the applicant, who is at present posted as Laboratory Attendant, has prayed for a direction upon the respondents to promote him to the post of Lower Division Clerk under 10 per cent quota as per memorandum dated 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 1995. It is submitted that though representations dated 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2020 and 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 were filed before the Director of State Drugs Control and Research Laboratory, Government of West Bengal, Kolkata, - the respondent no. 2, those have not been considered. Aggrieved this application has been filed.

Mr. G.P. Banerjee, learned advocate for the State respondents submits if directed, the respondents will consider the said representations in accordance with law.

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Having heard the learned advocates for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of this case, the application is disposed of by directing the Director of State Drugs Control and Research Laboratory, Government of West Bengal, Kolkata, - respondent no. 2 to dispose of the representations dated 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2020 and 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2020, by passing a reasoned order to be communicated to the parties, within fifteen weeks from the date of presentation of a copy of this order downloaded from the internet/website, after giving an opportunity of hearing and after verifying the records. I make it clear that I have not gone into the merits of the application and all points are kept open to be dealt with by the respondent no.2.

(SOUMITRA PAL)  
CHAIRMAN

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