<u>ORDER SHEET</u> WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

SCN

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson and Administrative Member

Case No. - OA 363 OF 2022 BASUDEB BHATTACHARJEE - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	:	Mr. Saurav Bhattacharjee, Mr. K. Biswas, Advocates
<u>3</u> 20.06.2024	For the Respondents	:	Ms. Ruma Sarkar, Mr. Saurav Deb Ray, Mrs. Anjana Bhattacharjee, Departmental representatives.

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. Let supplementary affidavit filed on behalf of the appellant be kept on record. Copy served.

Mr. S. Bhattacharjee, learned counsel submits that efforts are being made to search the status of the criminal case pending against the deceased employee in Barrackpore Sub-Divisional Court. The status of such case as and when known to the applicant will be filed before the Tribunal.

The Departmental Representatives have submitted that unless the fate of the criminal case against the deceased employee is known, prayer in this application for family pension cannot be considered.

Let the matter be listed under the heading "Hearing" on 10.09.2024.

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