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# WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

#### Present-

The Hon'ble Justice Soumitra Pal, Chairman

### Case No. - OA 862 OF 2021

PRADIP SARKAR & OTHERS - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

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For the Applicants : Mr. Soumi Ganguli

Mr.Sayan Roy Advocates

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25.08.2022

For the State respondents

Mr.Soumendra Narayan Ray

Advocate

The matter is taken up by the single Bench pursuant to the order contained in the Notification No. 496-WBAT/1E-08/2003 (Pt.-II) dated 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under section 6 (5) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

In the application, the applicants, who are temporary, casual and daily rated workers of Kangsabati Left Bank Sub-Division No. II, Mukutmonipur, Bankura, have prayed for enhancement of wages, increments, additional benefits, including post retiral benefits, after considering the representations which have been annexed to the original application.

Mr.S.Roy, learned advocate for the applicant submits that the respondents may be directed to consider the representations filed by each of the applicants.

Mr. S.N.Ray, learned advocate appearing on behalf of the State respondents, referring to order dated 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 2010, submits since it is evident from the annexures to the application that the applicants have not rendered service for at least 240 days and 6 years, no order may be passed.

Having heard the learned advocates for the parties and considering the facts and circumstances of the case, the application is disposed of by directing the Principal Secretary, Department of Irrigiation and Wateways, Government of West Bengal, the respondent no. 1 to give replies to each of the

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representations dated 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2021, annexed to the application within fifteen weeks from the date of presentation of a copy of this order downloaded from the website of the Tribunal, after considering the relevant memo. and circulars governing the field.

(SOUMITRA PAL) CHAIRMAN

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