

**WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**

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

**Present-**

**The Hon'ble Mrs. Urmita Datta (Sen), Member(J)**

**Case No. – OA-535 of 2020**

Serial No. and Date of order	Arnoy Kumar Banik	<b>VERSUS</b> – The State of West Bengal & Ors.
	For the Applicant	: Mrs. S. Mitra, Learned Advocate.
	For the State Respondents	: Mr. G.P. Banerjee, Learned Advocate.
	<u>04</u> 29.03.2022	

The matter is taken up by the Single Bench pursuant to the order contained in the Notification No. 118-WBAT/1E-08/2003 (Pt.-II) dated 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 6 (5) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

On consent of counsel for both the parties, matter has been taken up for hearing. Affidavit of service has been filed. Let it be kept with the record.

The instant application has been filed praying for a direction upon the respondents to take final decision with regard to compassionate appointment of the applicant.

As per the applicant, his elder brother died on 10.09.2017 since his father pre-deceased, the applicant was dependent upon his brother. Subsequently, he made representation before the authority for compassionate appointment on 04.04.2018 and subsequently his case was forwarded to the Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Home & Hill Affairs Department (police Establishment Branch) vide letter dated 08.02.2019 by the D.G.& I.G. of Police, W.B. However, till date no final decision has been communicated to him. Therefore, the counsel for the applicant has submitted that it would suffice his purpose if the competent authority would be directed to take final decision in this regard within a stipulated period of time.

The counsel for the respondent has no objection for such proposition.

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In view of the above, the Additional Chief Secretary, Home & Hill Affairs Department is directed to take final decision with regard to compassionate appointment of the applicant after considering the letter dated 08.02.2019 and to take final decision by way of reasoned and speaking order and communicate the same within a period of twelve weeks from the date of receipt of the order. Accordingly, OA is disposed of with no order as to costs.

Since the circumstances beyond control, the Registry is unable to furnish plain copies of this order to the learned advocates for the parties, the Registry is directed to upload this order on the website of the Tribunal forthwith and parties are directed to act on the copies of the order downloaded from the website.

URMITA DATTA (SEN)  
MEMBER (J)

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