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| *02*  *23/02/2018* | *Mrs. Pallabi Majumder,*  *Learned Advocate.*  ***For the Applicant :***  *Mrs. Sunita Agarwal,*  *Learned Advocate.*  ***For the State Respondents :***  *Mr. Biswanath Mitra,*  *Departmental Representative*  ***For the Principal Accountant :***  ***General (A&E), West Bengal***    *The instant application has been filed praying for family pension in favour of the applicant who is 81 years old. The Counsel for the applicant has submitted that the applicant has approached this Tribunal earlier OA 30 of 2015 which was disposed of vide order dated 22.07.2015 wherein it has been recorded that admittedly the name of the applicant was mentioned in the pension sanction order. Thereafter though certain correspondences have been made between the different respondents but till date she has not received the actual family pension.*  *The departmental representative on behalf of the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal (respondent no. 5) has drawn our attention to the letter dated 30.10.2017 (annexure – M) addressed to the Superintendent cum Principal, Calcutta Medical College asking for certain documents for final approval.*  *During the course of hearing the Counsel for the applicant has drawn our attention to the annexure – J, letter dated 28.06.2017 whereby Finance Department, Pension Brnach have no objection for dispensing with the requirement of the service book of late employee. Therefore, she has prayed for a direction to the respondents to make earlier payment of the family pension.*  *The Counsel for the respondents has prayed for some time to file reply.*  *Heard the parties. Perused the record. It is noted that it is a very unfortunate case when admittedly most of the documentation part has already been done but somehow or other reasons the actual payment has not been made.*  *In view of the above we grant 15 days time to the respondents to take appropriate action for making payment of the family pension and to file reply with regard to the claim of interest for delayed payment as made by the applicant along with documents by the next date. Rejoinder, if any, by two weeks thereafter.*  *Let the matter be listed on* ***21.03.2018.***  *Plain copy.*  ***Dr. A. K. CHANDA URMITA DATTA (SEN)***  ***MEMBER(A) MEMBER(J)***  *Rajat* |  |