WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Present-

The Hon'ble Urmita Datta (Sen) Member (J) & Hon'ble P. Ramesh Kumar, Member (A) OA-1142 of 2016

Ka	ongkon Mondal <u>Vs</u> The State of West Bengal & Ors.	
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<u>09</u> 21.12.2018	For the applicant : Mrs. Sonali Mitra, Learned Advocate.	
	For the respondent : Mr. S. Bhattacharya, Mr. A. Dutta, Departmental representative	s.
	The instant application has been file praying for following relief :-	ed
	 a) An order do issue directing the responder their agents, subordinates and successors rescind, cancel and withdraw the impugne memo dated 21.05.2015 in Annexure-E this application forthwith. b) An order do issue directing the responden their agents and successors to gravitation 	to ed to ts,
Page /1	compassionate appointment to the applica under the died-in-harness category in a post commensurate with the education qualification forthwith any hindrance fro any quarters. c) An order directing the respondents, the agents, subordinates and successors	nt ny nal om eir

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09	produce all records and proceedings so that	
21.12.2018	conscionable justice may be administered by	
	granting the relief for hereinabove.	
	d) To pass such other or further orders or	
	orders as to the Hon'ble Tribunal may deem	
	fit and proper.	
	As per the applicant, his father died on	
	31.07.2005 (Annexure-A).Thereafter his mother applied	
	for the compassionate appointment in favour of her son	
	on 24.08.2005. Since he was minor at that material point	
	of time, he filed application for compassionate	
	appointment after attaining majority on 04.08.2006.	
	However, the application of his mother was rejected in	
	the year 15.03.2006 (Annexure-D). Subsequently the	
	prayer of the applicant was rejected by the authority vide	
	order dated 21.05.2015 on the issue of minor at the time	
	of death of govt. employee (Annexure-E), against which	
	the applicant made another prayer for reconsideration.	
	Again by communication dated 11.08.2015, the Deputy	
Page /2	Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal asked the SDL &	

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09 21.12.2018	LRO, Basirhat to furnish the certain documents for further examination. As no communication has been made in this regard, being aggrieved, the applicant has filed the instant application in the month of November, 2016.	
	The counsel for the respondent has filed their reply wherein they have stated that the case of the applicant was rejected twice by the authority on the same ground of being minor at the time of death of govt. employee as per the circular prevailing at that point of time of the death of the employee. Subsequently his case was again considered in 2015 and after considering the same under the prevailing circular, his application was again rejected in the year 21.01.2016. However, the order has also not been challenged by the applicant. Therefore, respondents have prayed for quashing of the OA.	
Page /3	The applicant has filed his rejorned he has stated that the first rejection	

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<u>09</u> 21.12.2018	04.00.2000 was made rejecting the application of the	
	Heard the parties and perused the records. It is noted that as per the applicant since he is still facing financial hardship, his case should not be rejected on the ground of being minor at the time of death of the govt. employee. As per the respondent, they are abide by the Govt.'s orders' on the issue of compassionate appointment and thereafter rightly rejected the case of the petitioner. It is also noted that the case of the applicant was earlier rejected on the ground of not having financial distress which was not been challenged by the applicant. However, the case of the applicant has	
P/4	been rejected on the ground that he was time of death of the deceased employed	

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09	position of law that the compassionate appointment has		
21.12.2018	to be considered under the specific scheme of the Govt.		
	prevailing at the time of death of the govt. employee and		
	in the instant case, they have considered the case of the		
	applicant and as per Govt. Orders of 301-Emp of 2002,		
	there is a bar in considering the case of a minor or to wait		
	up to attainment of majority for the purpose of		
	compassionate appointment. Therefore, they have rightly		
	rejected the case of the applicant. However, as per the		
	claim of the applicant since his case was reconsidered in		
	the year 2015, therefore, G.O. 251-Emp of 2013 is		
	applicable in his case. However, it is observed that as per		
	the circular of 2013 also, minor issue is still prevailing		
	and, therefore, they have rightly rejected the case of	the	
	applicant vide order dated 21.02.2016. Accordingly, OA is		
	dismissed with the above observations with no order as		
	to costs.		
	P. RAMESH KUMAR URMITA DATTA (SEN) MEMBER(A) MEMBER (J)		
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