WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Present-

The Hon'ble Justice Soumitra Pal. & The Hon'ble Mr. P. Ramesh Kumar.

Case No - OA 209 of 2018.

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02	For the Applicant : Mr. Arunava Banerjee,	
18.07.2018.	Mrs. S. Das Gupta, Advocate.	
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	For the State Respondent : Mr S. Ghosh, Advocate.	
	In this application, the applicant, a permanent	
	Staff Nurse Grade –II working in Kanaipur Block Primary	
	Health Centre has challenged the order of transfer, being	
	memo dated 27 th January, 2018, transferring her from	
	Kanaipur Block Primary Health Centre to Arambagh SSH,	
	Hooghly. Prayer has also been made to allow her to	
	continue in service at Kanaipur Block Primary Health	
	Centre, where she is presently working.	
	Heard Mr. Banerjee, learned Advocate for the	
	applicant appearing along with Mrs. S. Das Gupta,	
	Learned Advocate and Mr. Ghosh, Learned Advocate for	
	the State Respondents. It appears that earlier the	
	petitioner was served with an order of transfer	
	transferring her from Kanaipur Block Primary Health	
	Centre to Serampur Sub Divisional Hospital, Hooghly.	
	The petitioner complained that as she is ill ,	
	she is unable to do rigorous service and has prayed for	

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	exemption from night duty service. A Medical Board was	
	constituted to examine her. It appears from the medical	
	report at pages 49 to 50 of the application, that she was	
	given relaxation for one year. It is submitted that since	
	the State Respondents without considering her state of	
	health and ignoring the Memo dated 22nd October, 2013	
	issued by the Joint Secretary to the Government of West	
	Bengal, whereby it has been stipulated that	
	"transfer/posting prayer on medical grounds may	
	be considered as special case in relaxation of normal	
	duties on the basis of views of Medical Board to be	
	formed for the said purpose", the order of transfer	
	may be reconsidered by the District Authorities.	
	It is submitted by Mr. S. Ghosh, Learned	
	Advocate for the State Respondents that in the said	
	medical report, there was a direction for reinvestigating	
	the health of the applicant. Mr. S. Ghosh further submits,	
	on instruction, that after the impugned Memo of	
	transfer was issued, she has been released on 27 th	
	January, 2018. Therefore, the State Respondents do not	
	admit the allegations made in the application,	
	particularly the statements made in paragraph 6.8.	
	Having heard the Learned Advocates for the	

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	parties and considering the facts and circumstances of			
	the case, this application is disposed of by giving liberty			
	to the applicant to join the transferred post as indicated			
	in the memo dated 27 th January, 2018. After she joins			
	the transferred post she is at liberty to file a			
	representation ventilating her grievances before the			
	CMOH, Hooghly, the Respondent No. 4, annexing			
	necessary documents, within a fortnight. If such			
	representation is filed, the said Respondent No. 4 shall			
	dispose of the same by passing a reasoned order to be			
	communicated to the applicant within five weeks after			
	giving an opportunity of hearing and after considering			
	the report of Medical Board to be constituted in tune			
	with the Memo dated 27 th October, 2013.			
	Since the application is disposed of at the			
	stage of admission without calling upon the respondents			
	to file reply, the allegations made therein are deemed to			
	have been denied.			
	(P. Ramesh Kumar) (Soumitra Pal) Member (A) Chairman.			
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