ORDER SHEET West Bengal Administrative Tribunal

Present.The Hon'ble Justice Ranjit Kumar Bag &
The Hon'ble Dr. Subesh Kumar Das

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<u>03</u> 02/01/2019	For the Applicant : Mr. M.N. Roy, Mr. R. Pattanayak, Ld. Advocates.	
	For the State Respondent: Mr. G.P. Banerjee, Mrs. S. Agarwal, Ld. Advocates.	
	The applicant has prayed for direction upon the	
	respondents to grant of promotion to the applicant in the	
	post of Assistant Engineer (Civil) w.e.f. January 01, 1993	
	and other ancillary reliefs.	
	The contention of the applicant is that he joined in	
	the establishment of Directorate of Public Health	
	Engineering as Sub-Assistant Engineer (Civil) on October	
	14, 1981and was confirmed in the service on January 03,	
	1983. The further contention of the applicant is that he	
	passed departmental examination on March 11, 1983,	
	and got promotion to the post of Assistant Engineer on	
	January 02, 2011. The grievance of the applicant is that 5	
	(five) Sub-Assistant Engineers who were juniors to the	
	applicant, got promotion to the post of Assistant Engineer	
	w.e.f. November 21, 1994 in compliance with the order	
	passed by the Special Secretary to the Government of	
	West Bengal, Department of Public Health Engineering on	
	March 28, 2018 in terms of order passed by the Hon'ble	
	High Court at Calcutta in W.P.S.T. No. 253 of 2014,	

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W.P.S.T. No. 181 of 2014.

Mr. M.N. Roy, Learned Counsel for the applicant contends that the applicant submitted one representation before the Respondent No. 1 through Proper Channel on April 13, 2018, but the said representation has not yet been considered by the authority concerned. He further submits that the representation submitted by the applicant may be considered in accordance with law by the Respondent No. 4 within specific period of time.

Mrs. Agarwal, Learned Counsel representing the state respondents submits that the concerned Chief Engineer may consider the representation in accordance with law.

In view of such submission from the Bar, the Respondent No. 4, Chief Engineer, Mechanical Electrical, Southern Zone, Public Health Engineering Directorate, Government of West Bengal is directed to consider the representation submitted by the applicant before the Respondent No. 1 through Proper Channel on April 13, 2018 (Annexure 'K' to the original application) in accordance with law within a period of 8 (eight) weeks from the date of communication of the order and take necessary follow-up action, if any, after intimating the result of the representation to the applicant within a

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