ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

Case No. OA - 226 of 2025

Sudhangshu Bhowmick & Others - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No.

For the Applicants : Mr. Sekhar Mustaphi,

and

Learned Advocate.

Date of order

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For the Respondents : Mr. G. Halder,

Learned Advocate

The matter is taken up by the Single Bench pursuant to the order contained in the Notification No. 638 – WBAT / 2J-15/2016 dated 23rd November, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5(6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

The applicants have filed this application praying for a direction to the respondent authorities to extend him the benefits as contained in circular No. 9008-F(P) dated 16th September, 2011. The applicants are Contractual Workers under Executive Engineer, Birbhum Highway Division – II, PWD (Roads) Directorate. It has been brought to notice of the Tribunal that these petitioners had approached this Tribunal earlier in O.A. – 36 of 2016 praying for similar relief. The Tribunal by its order dated 17.12.2018 had directed the Principal Secretary of the Department to consider the entitlement of the applicants to get such remuneration. A copy of Memo 7812 dated 12.02.2019 shows that a personal hearing was to be taken by the Principal Secretary, PWD on 19.02.2019.

Mr. Halder, learned counsel wishes to take instructions and find out the outcome of such personal hearing and if any reasoned order was passed since the prayers in the earlier application and this application are similar.

Let the matter appear under the heading 'Admission Hearing' on 13.11.2025.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON & MEMBER(A)

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