## 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 - 326 of 2025

**Smt. Swapna Roy and Others - VERSUS -** THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS. Serial No.

and

Date of order

11.07.2025

For the Applicants : M

: Mrs. S. Das,

Learned Advocate

For the Respondents

: None.

For the Respondent No. 6

: Mr. Anirban Ghosh,

Learned Advocate

For the Pr. A.G. (A & E),

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: Mr. B. Mitra,

West Bengal

(Departmental Representative)

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

Affidavit of service filed be kept in record.

The applicant has filed this application praying for a direction upon the respondent authorities for release of family pension with arrears and similar benefits from the service of deceased, Dr. Dipak Kumar Roy. Mrs. Das, learned counsel submits that the applicants are family members of Dr. Dipak Kumar Roy, a medical officer who was last posted at Siliguri. From the statements in this application, it is understood that the deceased Dr. Dipak Kumar Roy served his service up to 15.04.1992 in Siliguri Sub-divisional Hospital. Although he was transferred to Chittaranjan Seva Sadan, Kolkata on 14.05.1992 but he did not join the said post. Similarly, another transfer order upon him for joining in the Howrah General Hospital was also not complied. Later on 02.03.2018 he expired.

Mr. Anirban Ghosh, learned counsel representing respondent no. 6, the Superintendent, Howrah State General Hospital, Shibpur submits that the deceased employee Dr. Dipak Kumar Roy never served in Howrah District Hospital, Shibpur. The hospital does not have any service records pertaining to Dr. Dipak Kumar Roy. Mr. Ghosh also submits that the correct name of respondent no. 6 should be the Superintendent, South Howrah District Hospital, Shibpur, Howrah.

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The matter is admitted.

Mrs. Das, learned counsel prays for liberty to correct the address of the respondent no. 6. Prayer is allowed. Let such correction be made and copy of this application along with copy of this order be served upon the corrected respondent no. 6 by the applicant side.

Mr. Ghosh who has represented Superintendent, South Howrah State General Hospital, Shibpur, Howrah submits that since this respondent is not related with this matter, therefore, the name of Superintendent, South Howrah District General Hospital, Shibpur be expunged from the array of respondents. Allowed.

Let a copy of this order be communicated by the applicant side upon the respondent no. 2, Director of Health Services. Respondent no. 2, Director of Health Services is directed to file a reply in this matter through their legal counsel before this Tribunal on the next date.

Let the matter appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 20.08.2025.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON & MEMBER(A)

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