ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

THE HON'BLE SAYEED AHMED BABA, OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON AND ADMINISTRATIVE MEMBER Case No. -OA 375 of 2017

Bholanath Pan - Vs - The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and Date of order

For the Applicant Mr. Debabrata Karan,

> Mr. Debopriyo Karan Learned Advocates.

19 04.04.2024

> For the State Respondents None.

For the Pr. A.G.W.B. Mr. B. Mitra.

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

On consent of the learned counsels for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

In terms of directions of this Tribunal in OA-876 of 1998, the Director of Health Services passed an order 522 dated 29.12.2008 by which this applicant along with others were absorbed into regular establishment in Group D post. Earlier they were D.D.T. Spray workers and working under different districts under the Health and Family Welfare Department. Accordingly, this applicant joined the post of G.D.A. on 16.01.2009 before the C.M.O.H, Paschim Midnapur. Soon thereafter on 30.06.2010, attaining the age of 60 (sixty) years, the applicant superannuated. Thus, not having served the required number of years, the applicant was not eligible to receive pension.

Having heard the submissions and on considering the records of this application, the Tribunal has come to the finding that the prayer of pension in this application is not admissible for the primary reason that the applicant had served in the post of G.D.A. for only 1 ½ years. Therefore, finding no merit in this application, this application is disposed of without passing any orders.

> (SAYEED AHMED BABA) OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBER (A)