ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

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

For the Applicant

Case No. OA - 637 of 2021

Sumodhur Banerjee - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and

: Mrs. S. Mitra, Advocate

Date of order

 $\frac{12}{15.05.2024}$

For the Respondents : Mr. G.P. Banerjee,

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.

Mr. Banerjee wishes to submit without any reply.

By filing this application, the applicant prayed for a direction to the respondent authorities to appoint him in the post of Inspector of Drugs. Such an advertisement for recruitment for the post of Inspector of Drugs was published on 22.02.2016 by West Bengal Health Recruitment Board. Though the applicant participated in all the selection process but eventually was not recommended for selection. While examining the papers in this application, the Tribunal's attention is drawn to a representation filed by the applicant before the respondent authorities dated 8th March, 2021. In the said representation, apart from agitating that the distribution of marks system as fixed by the Board in his 96th meeting had changed the rules of the game, the applicant also assumes that he had scored more marks, more than the writ petitioners' viz. Avijit Das, Suman Goswami and Bhaskar Das. As learnt from the submissions of the learned counsels, the three named persons were given the appointment in the same post in terms of a direction of the Hon'ble High Court. On being enquired, whether the applicant has obtained any RTI reply informing him of the total marks he had obtained, Mrs. Mitra replies in positive and wishes to file copy of such RTI reply on the next date. Let such information be filed by the next date by way of a supplementary application and let a copy of the same be served upon Mr. Banerjee.

Let the matter appear under the heading 'Reply / Rejoinder and Further Hearing' on 22.08.2024.

SAYEED AHMED BABA
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON & MEMBER(A)

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