## 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 164 OF 2025

PRASANTA ROY - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. For the Applicant : Mr. Uttam Kumar Roy, and Learned Advocate

Date of

order

For the State Respondents : None

1 For the Principal Accountant General: Mr. Biswanath Mitra,

7.04.2025 (A&E), 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 (Pt.-II) dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under section 5(6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

Let affidavit of service filed be kept on record. Let a copy of Memo No. Pen.V...232837 dated 04.09.2019, filed on behalf of the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, be kept on record.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondent authorities to release GPF, Death Gratuity, G.I.S., arrear salary, if any, and other benefits along with interest. By its Memo No. Pen.V...232837 dated 04.09.2019, the Senior Accounts Officer/Pen.V, office of the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, conveying the Block Medical Officer of Health, Kamarpukur BPHC, Hooghly, sought for some clarifications and observed:

"Kindly submit the D.G. nomination form as executed by the deceased Govt. servant during her lifetime. In absence of the same, sanction may be accorded on the strength of Succession Certificate issued by the Court of Law, as brother above the age of 18 years does not included in the list of family for the purpose of Death Gratuity according to DCRB Rules, 1971 and furnished the same for releasing the Death Gratuity."

Matter is admitted.

Let the matter appear under the heading "Hearing" on 23.06.2025. Reply / rejoinder, if any, in the meantime. Learned counsel for the applicant is directed to communicate a copy of this order to the respondent Nos. 2, 3 and 4.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)
OFFICIATING CHAIRPERSON
and MEMBER (A)

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