

**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 258 OF 2023**

**METH RANI MALLICK @ DOM - Vs - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & OTHERS.**

Serial No. and  
Date of order

09  
16.04.2025

For the Applicant	:	Ms. Kaniz Kulsum Advocate
For the State Respondents	:	Mr. Manujendra Narayan Roy Mr. Gourav Halder Advocates
For the Principal Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal	:	Mr. Biswanath Mitra (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.

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

From the Speed Post track enclosed with the affidavit of service, it is evident that copies of the application were served on 17.03.2025 and 18.03.2025 upon the following respondents :

1(a) The State of West Bengal, Service through the Secretary, Department of Forest, Government of West Bengal, Aranya Bhawan, LA-10 A Block, Sector -III, Salt lake – 700 106.

1(b) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Aranya Bhawan, LA-10 A Block, Sector -III, Salt lake, Kolkata – 700 106.

1(c) The Chief Conservator of Forest Conservation and Extension, Directorate of Forest, Maidan, B.B.D. Bagh, Kolkata –

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1(d) The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Urban and Recreational Forestry, Eden Gardens, Kolkata -700021.

1(e) The Urban Recreation Forestry Division office at Eden Gardens, 10A, Shahid Khudiram Bose Road, B.B.D.Bagh, Kolkata - 700012.

None have appeared on their behalf before this Tribunal. Let a copy of this order be served by the applicant to the above respondents. Although, Mr.M.N.Roy and Mr.G.Haldar, learned counsels are present, but they represent Public Works Department. Mr.Roy, has been advised to find out whether he can represent the Forest Department.

A copy of this application was not served to the Principal Accountant General at its correct address. Let a copy be served at a correct address and affidavit of service be affirmed and filed on the next date of hearing.

Matter to appear under the heading 'Hearing' on 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2025.

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

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