

**ORDER SHEET**

**WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**

**Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.**

**Present-**

**Mr. Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson and Hon'ble Member (A).**

Case No. – OA 359 of 2023.

SUBRATA MANDI & ORS - VERSUS- THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and  
Date of order

02  
19.9.2023

For the Applicants : Mr. S. Bhattacharjee,  
Ld. Advocate.  
For the State respondents : Mr. M.N. Roy,  
Ld. Advocate.

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 counsel for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

Affidavit of service filed today be kept on record.

Mr. S. Bhattacharjee, learned counsel for the applicants prays for liberty and accommodation to correct the mistake in the prayer portion.

Mr. M.N. Roy, learned counsel for the State respondents submits that the application challenging the successful candidates have not been added as necessary party in this application.

The prayer in this application is for cancellation of the list of some of the successful candidates belonging to the Scheduled Tribe category. Mr. Bhattacharjee in his submission points out that some of those successful candidates having surnames like “Mahata”, “Mondal” have availed the benefits of this post claiming to be Scheduled Tribe pertaining to Scheduled Tribe.

The Tribunal has expressed his views in this matter and enquired whether the applicants in this application have expressed their doubts regarding the

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authenticity of the Scheduled Tribe certificates and the competence of the competent authority issuing such certificates to the candidates? In response, Mr. Bhattacharjee prays for accommodation to check these and submit the response by the next date.

Let the matter come under the heading "Admission Hearing" on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2024.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)  
Officiating Chairperson and Member (A).

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