

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Administrative Member.

Case No. –OA-491 of 2021

Mangala Chowdhury. - Versus - The State of West Bengal & Others.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	: Mr. S. K. Mandal, Advocate.
<u>4</u> 18.04.2022.	For the State Respondents	: Mr. B. P. Roy, Advocate.

A supplementary application is filed by the learned advocate for the applicant today be kept on record.

In the instant case, the father of the applicant died in the year 2006 when the applicant was a minor. On 11.04.2011, the mother of the applicant applied for compassionate appointment on behalf of the applicant because she was a minor at the time of the death of her father. During processing of her application, the authorities asked the applicant to appear before a committee for verification.

Eventually, the Commissioner, Home and Hill Affairs Department, Police Establishment Branch, Government of West Bengal through a memo dated 24.02.2020 rejected the proposal for compassionate employment giving the reason as follows:

“The candidate, Smt. Mangala Chowdhury was only 11 (eleven) years 07 (seven) months 07 (seven) days at the time of the death of his father i.e. the candidate was minor at the time of the death of her father.”

The applicant has prayed for setting aside the impugned order dated 24.02.2020.

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Mr. B. P. Roy, learned advocate for the respondent submits for an accommodation so that a reply on behalf of the respondents will be filed by next date against the original application and supplementary application also.

Submission of Mr. Roy is allowed.

Let the matter appear under the heading "For Orders" on 27th June, 2022. Reply and rejoinder, if any, in the meantime.

(SAYEED AHMED BABA)
MEMBER(A)

S.M.