

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 526 OF 2024

PURNIMA GORAI - VERSUS - THE STATE OF WEST BENGAL & ORS.

Serial No. and Date of order	For the Applicant	:	Mr. Ajay Barman Ray, Ms. Krishna Yadav, Learned Advocates
<u>3</u> 07.04.2025	For the State Respondents	:	Mr. Debabrata Kole, Learned Advocate
	For the Principal Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal	:	Mr. Biswanath Mitra, Departmental Representative
	For the Private Respondent	:	None

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 23rd 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. Although attempt was made by the applicant's side to deliver copy of this application, but none has appeared today on behalf of the private respondent.

The prayer in this application is for a direction to the respondent authorities to issue duplicate copy of pension payment order of Binode Bihari Gorai and release family pension and other dues / benefits to the applicant.

As understood from the statements of the applicant in this application, the applicant married Binode Bihari Gorai, the deceased government employee on 10.03.1978. During subsistence of this first marriage, her husband on 07.03.1979 married one Alpana Gorai. On 28.11.1997, the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Purulia ordered monthly maintenance at the rate Rs.600/- to the applicant by deciding Misc. Case No.47 of 1995. The retired government employee expired on 01.12.2019. The applicant, being the first wife, submitted representations for family pension and other benefits before the authority on 10.01.2020 and 20.01.2020.

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The Tribunal is of the view that such matter should be heard in presence of the private respondent, Alpana Gorai d/o late Sasthi Gorai residing at village Biltora, P.O. Godibero, P.S. Raghunathpur, District Purulia – 723 126.

Matter is admitted.

Let the matter be listed under the heading “Hearing” on 10.07.2025. Let a copy of this order be communicated by the respondent No. 2, the Chief Medical Officer of Health, Deben Mahato Sadar Hospital, Purulia to the private respondent No.6. Let a confirmation of such service be filed by the C.M.O.H., Purulia before this Tribunal on the next date.

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

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