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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- 640 of 2023

Ankita Goswami & Ors. - Vs - The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and

Date of order

For the Applicant : Mr. D. Chatterjee,

Learned Advocate.

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10.07.2024.

For the State Respondents

Mr. G.P. Banerjee,

Learned 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 23rd November, 2022 issued in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 5 (6) of the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985.

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Mr. Chatterjee, learned counsel prays for a direction to the respondent authorities to fill up the reported vacancies with the applicants. Mr. Chatterjee informs that around 1500 (fifteen hundred) such vacancies are available which were not filled up by the recommended candidates. From the submission of Mr. Chatterjee, it has become apparent to the Tribunal that the applicants are themselves not aware of how much marks they received in the selection process, particularly the marks allotted to them in the interview. However, the Tribunal feels that unless the applicants are aware of their final marks in the selection process, including the interview, they cannot properly ventilate their grievances. Mr. Chatterjee has been advised to seek such information through R.T.I. Act to help the applicants know their total marks. Upon instruction, he will file an R.T.I. before the Board and file the R.T.I. reply, if so available by the next date.

Mr. Banerjee, learned counsel has submitted that the prayer itself in the application is not a valid prayer for the reason that the applicants being unsuccessful in the selection process have prayed for a direction to the respondent authorities to fill up the vacant posts by their

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Let the matter appear under the heading Further Hearing on 22.08.2024.

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

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