ORDER SHEET

WEST BENGAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700 091.

Present-

The Hon'ble Sayeed Ahmed Baba, Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)

Case No. – <u>OA 656 of 2018</u>

Abhijit Halder & Another -- **VERSUS** – The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Serial No. and

For the Applicants

For the PSC, WB

: Mrs. P. Saha,

Date of order

Ld. Advocate.

For the State respondent

: Mr. G.P. Banerjee,

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Ld. Advocate.

17.05.2023

: Mr. S. Bhattacharjee,

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 23rd 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 for the contesting parties, the case is taken up for consideration sitting singly.

Mrs. P. Saha, learned advocate for the applicants submit that since this is a matter of appointment and since various points of law are involved, therefore, this matter be placed before a Bench comprising of two members (Judicial and Administrative). In response, both Mr. G.P. Banerjee, learned counsel for the State respondents and Mr. S. Bhattacharjee, learned counsel for the PSC, WB support this view point.

In view of the above submissions by the learned counsels of all the parties, let this matter be placed before a Bench comprising of two members (Judicial and Administrative) under the heading "Hearing" on 29.09.2023.

CSM/SS

SAYEED AHMED BABA Officiating Chairperson & Member (A)