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WPA 2702 of 2026

Sambit Gon
Vs.
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Sudip Ghosh Chowdhury
Ms. Shreyeta Mitra
Ms. Pritha Biswas
Ms. Upasana Sarkar
.... for the petitioner

Mr. Debasis Sur
.... for the State

Mr. Sourav Mitra
.... for the SSC

Mr. Kunal Ganguly
.... for the WBBSE

1. Let affidavit-of-service, as filed in Court, be kept on record.
2. In spite of service, none appears on behalf of the school authorities.
3. The petitioner's application for transfer stood rejected by the school Authority on October 7, 2021, on the ground that the petitioner does not fall within the 10% of teachers eligible for transfer.
4. It appears that a long time has elapsed from the date of rejection of the petitioner's prayer. The staff strength of the school has changed within these four years.

5. In view of the above, the instant writ petition stands disposed of with the observation that it will be open for the petitioner to apply afresh seeking transfer.
6. In the event such an application for transfer is made by the petitioner, then the same shall be considered by the head of the institution in accordance with law at the earliest.
7. The suspension of 'Utsashree Portal' will not be an impediment for the concerned authority to consider the application for transfer of the petitioner. The same shall be considered in an offline mode.
8. If the application of the petitioner stands allowed, then necessary consequential steps shall be taken by the authority without any further delay.
9. With the aforestated directions, the writ petition is, thus, disposed of.
10. There shall, however, be no order as to costs.
11. Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties on usual undertaking.

(Reetobroto Kumar Mitra, J.)