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Ct. No. 24

Ab

WPA 30873 of 2024

Smt. Anjali Das (Pal)
Vs.
The State of West Bengal and others.

Mr. Ekramul Bari,
Mr. Sk. Imtiaj uddin.

... for the petitioner.

Mr. Swapan Kumr Datta,
Mr. Tapas Kumar Dey.

... for the State.

Mr. Shubradip Roy.

... for the University.

1. The report filed by the respondent no. 4 is taken on record.
2. Let the Principal Secretary, Department of Finance, Government of West Bengal, be added as party respondent in this proceeding.
3. The presence of the Finance Secretary is imperative as by orders of 2007 and of 2021 similarly situated persons, as submitted by the petitioner, have been granted pro rata gratuity and pension, which has been denied to the petitioner on the ground that she is not employed in a Government Institution.
4. Upon addition of party, the petitioner is directed to serve a copy of the writ petition upon the added respondent.
5. Let the Finance Secretary file a report as to the alleged discrimination adopted in case of the petitioner as compared to Bakul Chandra Bhadra.

6. Let such report be filed by May 22, 2026.
7. List this matter on May 22, 2026 under the heading
“For Orders”.

(Reetobroto Kumar Mitra, J.)