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HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA
AT SHILLONG

WP(C). No 311 of 2020

Date of Order: 08.12.2020

Smti. Rupa Gurung Vs. The Registrar, North Eastern Hill University (NEHU).

Coram:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ranjit More, Judge.

Appearance:

For the Petitioner/Appellant(s) : Ms. S.Bhattacharjee, Adv.

For the Respondent(s) : Mr. S.Sen, Adv.

1. Heard.

2. The petitioner has been continuously working with the respondent since 1990 as a Cleaner on daily wage basis. The case of the petitioner is that she is entitled for the benefit of temporary status in pursuant to the scheme. It is also the case of the petitioner that her case is covered by the decision of this Court dated 23-05-2018 passed in WP(C). No. 92 of 2017. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner had already made a representation dated 02-09-2020 to the respondent-Registrar requesting for grant of benefit of temporary status. However, this representation is also not decided.

3. Mr. S.Sen, learned counsel for the respondent on instruction made a statement that the said representation dated 02-09-2020 would be decided expeditiously.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner also has no objection to disposed of this petition in terms of the direction to the respondent to decide the same representation.

5. In above circumstances, petition is disposed of by passing the following order:

1) Respondent is directed to decide the petitioner's representation dated 02-09-2020, copy of which is annexed at page 25 of the writ petition as expeditiously as possible and in any case within the period of four months from the date of receipt of this order.

2) Petitioner's representation shall be decided in its own merit and in accordance with law. Respondent however, shall give opportunity of hearing to the petitioner while disposing the representation.

3) In order to comply with this order, petitioner shall remain present before the respondent-Registrar on 16-12-2020 at 11am along with copy of said representation and copy of this order.

Accordingly, writ petition stands disposed of.

Judge

Meghalaya
08.12.2020
"Samantha PS"