

Item No. 8

02.09.2022
Ct-24

In The High Court At Calcutta
Constitutional Writ Jurisdiction
Appellate Side

WPA 5460 of 2022
Tapas Mullick Chowdhury
v.
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Debabrata Acharya
Mr. Chandan Kumar Lal
... for the petitioner.

Mr. Tapan Kumar Mukherjee
Ms. Tuli Sinha
... for the State.

Mr. Sandipan Banerjee
Mr. Sobhan Majumder
Mr. Ankit Sureka
... for HMC.

The Controller of Finance, Howrah Municipal Corporation has forwarded a report before this Court signed on August 30, 2022. A copy of the same has been handed over to the learned advocate appearing for the petitioner.

The said report mentions that the office has already processed the pension case of the petitioner and forwarded the same to the Director of Pension, Provident Funds & Group Insurance for issuance of the Pension Payment Order.

Be it recorded that the petitioner is already receiving his provisional pension.

The petitioner has retired in October 2017. It is high time that the respondent authorities release the terminal benefits of the petitioner.

In view of the above, the respondent no. 3 is directed to take immediate steps for issuing the Pension Payment Order in favour of the petitioner without any further delay.

The respondent authorities including the Howrah Municipal Corporation shall ensure that the petitioner receives all his terminal benefits latest within a period of four months from the date of communication of a copy of this order.

The writ petition stands disposed of.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be given to the parties after completion of all legal formalities.

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(Amrita Sinha, J.)