

04.10.2024
Item No.34
RP
Ct. No.18

WPA 25085 of 2024
Banasree Chakraborty
Vs.
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Mrinal Kanti Sardar
....for Petitioner
Ms. Amrita Panja Moulick
....for State

Affidavit-of-service filed on behalf of the
petitioner is taken on record.

The petitioner is a retired Assistant Teacher
who superannuated on 30th April, 2016. Due to
superannuation of the petitioner first Pension
Payment Order was issued in favour of the petitioner
on 30th March, 2016 and in terms of the first Pension
Payment Order disbursement of retiral dues was
made in favour of the teacher. Subsequently, due to
revision of pay under ROPA 2019 revised Pension
Payment Order was issued on 27th May, 2021. The
writ petitioner claims interest on revised gratuity as
per revised Pension Payment Order.

State respondents are represented by
learned advocates.

Accordingly, the Director of Pension
Provident Fund and Group Insurance and the
concerned Treasury Officer are directed to pay
interest at the rate of 8% per annum to the writ

petitioner on revised gratuity as per revised pension payment order from 14th February, 2020 till the date of actual disbursement of revised gratuity amount in favour of the petitioner, within a period of eight weeks from the date of communication of this order.

Since no affidavit is called for, the allegations contained in the writ petition are deemed not to have been admitted.

The writ petition stands disposed of.

There shall be no order as to costs.

Urgent photostat certified copy of the order, if applied for, be given to the parties on usual undertakings.

(SAUGATA BHATTACHARYYA, J.)