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12.02.2025
Ct. No. 18
(ARPAN)

W.P.A. 453 of 2025

**Syed Mahammad Abu Teleb
Vs.
The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Mr. Ujjal Ray
Sk. Abdur Rahim

...for the Petitioner

Mr. Rudranil De
Mrs. J. Das

...for the State

Mrs. Supriya Dubey

...for W.B.C.S.S.C

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

Petitioner is an Assistant Teacher in a
Government aided secondary school who applied for
transfer on general ground. The grievance of the
petitioner is that his transfer application which was
made on Utsashree portal was sent back by the District
Inspector of Schools (S.E.), Purba Bardhaman being
respondent no.5 to the school where petitioner is
presently serving.

Learned advocate for the petitioner relies upon
Government notification dated 3rd January, 2022 issued
by the Additional Secretary to the Government of West
Bengal and submits that if petitioner is found to be a
single teacher in the subject in the school, respondent
no.5 ought to have made an effort to find out a teacher
from neighbouring school who can be deputed in the
place of petitioner temporarily till regular teacher joins
the resultant vacancy.

State respondent and West Bengal Central School Service Commission are represented by learned advocates.

It is submitted on behalf of the State respondents that in the event of processing transfer application of a single teacher in a school 3rd January, 2022 notification needs to be followed.

Having considered the respective submissions made on behalf of the parties, writ petition stands disposed of directing the respondent no.5 to make an endeavour to find out a suitable teacher from neighbouring school who can man the post of the petitioner temporarily till regular incumbent joins the post. If such alternative arrangement is made, petitioner shall be transferred in accordance with law.

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

(Saugata Bhattacharyya, J.)