

24.03.2025  
(D/L 24)  
Ct.-19  
(Susanta  
Samar)

**IN THE HIGH COURT AT CALCUTTA  
CONSTITUTIONAL WRIT JURISDICTION**

APPELLATE SIDE

W.P.A. 6822 of 2025

Manasi Mondal

-Vs-

The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Anindya Bose,  
Mr. Santanu Maji,  
Mr. Subhayu Das,  
Mr. D. Mondal.  
Mr. R. Banerjee,

... For the petitioners.

Mr. K. J. Yusub, Ld. AGP,  
Mr. Saurav Chaudhuri,

.... For the State.

Mr. Avishek Prasad,

.... For the DPSC (Malda).

Affidavit-of-service filed on behalf of the  
petitioner be kept with the record.

The petitioner is the Assistant Teacher of  
a school under Malda District Primary School  
Council.

The petitioner had B.Ed. as her training  
qualification before joining the service. She is  
complaining that she is not getting A-Category  
Scale of Pay for not having six months Bridge  
Course from a recognized institution.

Mr. Bose, learned advocate for the  
petitioner submits that similarly placed teachers  
have been given the benefit of 'A' Category Scale  
of Pay.

He prays that the issue may be relegated to the Commissioner of School Education, Government of West Bengal, the respondent no. 3 herein, for consideration.

The respondent no. 3 is directed to consider the prayer of the petitioner for 'A' Category Scale of Pay in accordance with law and to facilitate such consideration; the petitioner is directed supply the complete copy of the writ petition to the respondent no. 3.

The respondent no.3 shall make all endeavour to complete his exercise in this regard as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of six weeks from the date of communication of this order.

W.P.A. 6822 of 2025 is disposed of with the above terms without any order as to costs.

Since no affidavit has been invited, the allegations made in the writ petition are deemed to have been denied by the respondents.

Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be supplied to the parties subject to compliance with all requisite formalities.

**(Biswajit Basu, J.)**