

24.04.2025
Court No. 18
Item No. 33
(Suvendu)

WPA 7648 of 2025

Debashri Patra
-Versus-

The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Shuvro Prokash Lahiri
Mr. Rajesh Naskar
Ms. Indrani Roy
Mr. Ankan Mondal
.....for the petitioner

Mr. Ranjan Saha
....for the DPSC, Paschim Medinipur

Mr. Biswajit De
Mr. Debanjana De
.....for the State

Mr. Ratul Biswas
Mr. Kaushik Chowdhury
.....for the WBBPE

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

Matter relates to transfer of the petitioner
from one district to another. Petitioner made
off-line application before the concerned
authority on 28th February, 2025 seeking
transfer on general ground.

Grievance of the petitioner is in spite of
preferring transfer application in the month of
February, 2025 till date same has not been
decided by the concerned respondent authority.

Respondents are represented by learned advocates and it is submitted that due to suspension of Utshasree portal decision could not be taken.

Since it is inter-district transfer from one primary school in Pashim Medinipur to another primary school in Purba Medinipur, transfer application needs to be decided finally by the West Bengal Board of Primary Education.

The Sub-Inspector of Schools of the concerned circle is directed to forward the transfer application of the petitioner along with necessary endorsement to the District Primary School Council, Paschim Medinipur by fortnight from date of communication of this order. On receipt of transfer application, the Chairman of District Primary School Council, Paschim Medinipur shall process the transfer application and forward the same to the Secretary, West Bengal Board of Primary Education by three weeks thereafter. On receipt of transfer application, Secretary, West Bengal Board of Primary Education shall decide the same in accordance with law by four weeks thereafter. The decision to be taken by the Secretary of the Board shall be communicated to the petitioner by ten days thereafter.

However, transfer application of the petitioner shall not be rejected on the ground of suspension of Utshasree portal.

Writ petition stands disposed of.

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

(Saugata Bhattacharyya, J.)