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

W.P.A. No. 25561 of 2025

**Papiya Kundu
Versus
The State of West Bengal & Ors.**

Mr. Sudip Ghosh Chowdhury
Ms. Shreyeta Mitra
Ms. Pritha Biswas
Ms. Upasana Sarkar

...for the Petitioner.

Mr. Biswabrata Basu Mallick
Mr. Biman Halder
Mr. Amman Arif Ansari

...for the DPSC, Uttar Dinajpur.

Mr. Ratul Biswas
Mr. Kaushik Chowdhury

... for the WBBPE

Ms. Roma Halder
Ms. Tithi Paul

... for the State

1. Affidavit-of-service filed on behalf of the petitioner is taken on record.
2. By the present writ petition, the petitioner seeks for direction upon the respondent authorities to grant inter-District transfer to the petitioner from the District of Uttar Dinajpur to a school under Siliguri Primary School Council, District Darjeeling.
3. The petitioner contends that she joined as an Assistant Teacher in Makrandapur Free Primary School of Chopra, District Uttar Dinajpur on 3rd February, 2017. The petitioner is confirmed in service with effect from

3rd February, 2019. The petitioner has already completed 5 years of service. The house of the petitioner is situated about 78 kilometers away from her present place of posting. On 1st September, 2025 the petitioner made a representation before the authority concerned for her transfer. However, the said representation is still pending consideration. Hence, this writ petition.

4. Mr. Sudip Ghosh Chowdhury, learned Advocate appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the matter may be relegated to the appropriate authority for consideration of the representation of the petitioner for her transfer, in accordance with law.
5. Learned Advocates appearing on behalf of the West Bengal Board of Primary Education as well as District Primary School Council, Uttar Dinajpur and State-respondent leave the matter to the discretion of the Court.
6. In view of the submissions advanced on behalf of the respective parties, the respondent No.2, the Secretary, West Bengal Board of Primary Education, is directed to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 1st September, 2025 and dispose of the same by passing a reasoned order, in accordance with law, upon notice to the petitioner, within a period of ten weeks from the date of communication of this order.

7. The reasoned order is to be communicated to the petitioner within one week from the date of passing of such order.
8. Learned advocate for the petitioner is directed to communicate this order to the respondent no.2, the Secretary, West Bengal Board of Primary Education.
9. With the above direction, the writ petition being **WPA 25561 of 2025** stands disposed of.
10. Since no affidavits have been called for, the allegation made in the writ petition is deemed to be not admitted.
11. Interim order, if any, stands vacated.
12. All connected applications, if any, stand disposed of.
13. There shall be no order as to costs.
14. All concerned parties shall act in terms of the copy of the order duly downloaded from the official website of this Court.
15. Urgent Photostat certified copy of the order, if applied for, be given to the parties on compliance of all necessary legal formalities.

(Bivas Pattanayak, J.)