HIGH COURT OF TRIPURA AGARTALA

WP(C) NO.734 OF 2021

Sri Kalu Das and ors.

Vs.

The State of Tripura and ors.

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE T. AMARNATH GOUD

Present:

For the Petitioner(s) : Mr. Koomar Chakraborty, Advocate.

For the Respondent(s) : Mr. D. Bhattacharjee, G.A.

Mr. S. Saha, Advocate.

30.06.2022

<u>Order</u>

This instant writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking the following reliefs:-

- "i) Issue Rule, calling upon the respondents and each one of them, to show cause as to why a Writ of Mandamus and/or in the nature thereof, shall not be issued, mandating/directing them to include the names of the petitioners in the common seniority list of Diploma Holder Junior Engineers (Mechanical), Department of Agriculture, Government of Tripura;
- ii) Issue Rule, calling upon the Respondents and each one of them to show cause as to why a Writ of Mandamus and/or in the nature thereof, shall not be issued, mandating/directing them to grant the financial up-gradations of CAS-I, on completion of 4 years of service, as per Rule 10 of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 1999 read with the prescription, contained in the Recruitment Rules (Annexure-4 supra), ACP-2, on completion of total 17 years of service, as per Rule 10 of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 2009, MACP-3, on completion of total 25 years of service, as per Rule 12 of the Tripura State Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 2017, in favour of the petitioners, with effect from the respective dates, as mentioned at Paragraph 2.9 supra;

iii) Issue Rule, calling upon the respondents and each one of them, to show cause as to why a writ of mandamus and/or in the nature thereof, shall not be issued, mandating/directing them to treat the past services rendered by the petitioners on ad hoc basis, for the purpose of pension and other retirement benefits;

- iv) Call for the records, appertaining to this Writ Petition;
- v) After hearing the parties, be pleased to make the rule absolute in the terms of (i) to (iii) above;
 - vi) Costs of and incidental to this proceeding;
- vii) Any other relief(s) as to this Hon'ble High Court maydeem fit and proper."

Heard Mr. K. Chakraborty, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner as well as Mr. D. Bhattacharjee, learned G.A. assisted by Mr. S. Saha, learned counsel appearing for the Staterespondents.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this instant writ petition is disposed of directing the respondents to consider the representation of the petitioner with regard to granting of the service benefits within a period of 2(two) months from the date of receipt of the copy of this order.

JUDGE

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