

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
WATER RESOURCES INVESTIGATION & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
ESTABLISHMENT SECTION
6TH FLOOR (TOP), BLOCK-A, KHADYA BHAWAN COMPLEX
11A, MIRZA GHALIB STREET, KOLKATA -700087

No. 126(A)-WI/O/3P-05/2022

Dated: 31.01.2024

ORDER

In pursuance of Finance (Audit) Department, Group-P1, U.O. No. Group P1/2023-2024/0442 Dtd. 15.01.2024 read with U.O. No. Group P1/2021-2022/0196 Dtd. 07.09.2021, the undersigned is directed to say that the erstwhile **promotion order** in respect of **Shri Pradip De**, presently *Engineer-in-Chief & Ex-Officio Secretary of this Department*, for joining to the post of **Additional Chief Engineer (A.I.), Water Resources Development Directorate** from the post of **Superintending Engineer (A.I.)** vide Notification No. 1096-WI-11014(20)/2/2020-SECTION(WRIDD) Dtd. 14.09.2020 issued by Water Resources Investigation & Development Department is hereby cancelled due to abolition of the **post of Additional Chief Engineer** from both of the Wings, viz. Agri-Irrigation & Agri-Mechanical w.e.f. 09.03.2018 whereas Shri De joined the post of **Additional Chief Engineer (A.I.)** on 16.09.2020 which is irregular as per the said U. O. Nos. of Finance (Audit) Department and simultaneously Shri De is hereby reverted to his **original post of the Superintending Engineer (A.I.)** belonging to West Bengal Senior Service of Agricultural Engineers under the administrative control of this Department w.e.f. 16.09.2020 under the pay structure of WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019 in the **Level-21 [Rs. 1,23,100-1,91,800]** {Pre-ROPA in the Pay Band of Rs. 37,400-60,000/- (PB-5) plus Grade Pay of Rs. 8,700} along with other allowances as admissible since **Shri De** was elevated to **Level-21** from **Level-19** as per **WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019** for his achievement of the **benefit of 25 years'** continuous & satisfactory service w.e.f. 05.10.2014 and accordingly his pay is hereby re-fixed below in the post of **Chief Engineer** w.e.f. 02.08.2021 by promotion from the post of **Superintending Engineer (A.I.)** after his achievement of the benefit for 27 years' service w.e.f. 09.03.2018 with the re-designated post of **Superintending Engineer (Selection Grade)**.

Furthermore, the undersigned is also directed to say that as the situation occurred due to irregular issuance of the order for promotion in respect of **Shri Pradip De** by this Administrative Department was beyond the control of the officer concerned, the **overdrawn of pay** for such irregular promotion **shall not be recovered from Shri De** as per the views of Finance (Audit) Department, Group-P1 under U.O. No. Group P1/2023-2024/0442 Dtd. 15.01.2024.

2. The erstwhile promotion order in respect of **Shri De** for joining to the post of **Chief Engineer, Water Resources Development Directorate** from the post of **Additional Chief Engineer (A.I.)** vide Notification No. 1063-WI-11014(19)/3/2021-SECTION(WRIDD)-Dept. of WRID Dtd. 30.07.2021 issued by this Department is also hereby cancelled w.e.f. 02.08.2021 to avoid chronological anomaly in this regard.

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3. In terms of this Department's Notification No. 1655-WI-2P-6/2016 dtd. 23.11.2021 and Notification No. 355-WI/O/12A-2/2021 dtd. 24.02.2022 read with Finance (Audit) Department, Group-P1 U.O. No. Group P1/2021-2022/0196 Dtd. 07.09.2021, **Shri De, Superintending Engineer (A.I.)** is entitled to avail the award for completion of **27 years' continuous and satisfactory service w.e.f. 09.03.2018 upto 01.08.2021**, i.e. from the date of effect of the said benefit upto the previous date of promotion to the post of Chief Engineer along with re-designation of the post of Superintending Engineer (Selection Grade) and accordingly he is awarded with the said benefit by re-designating him as Superintending Engineer (Selection Grade) under the pay structure of WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019 in the Level-22 [Rs. 1,23,600-1,92,500/-]{Pre-ROPA in the Pay Band of Rs. 37,400-60,000/- (PB-5) plus Grade Pay of Rs. 8,900/-}.

4. Subsequently, **Shri Pradip De, Superintending Engineer (Selection Grade)**, Water Resources Development Directorate belonging to West Bengal Senior Service of Agricultural Engineers under the administrative control of this Department is hereby **appointed on promotion** to the post of **Chief Engineer w.e.f. 02.08.2021** under the pay structure of WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019 in the **Level-22 [Rs. 1,23,600-1,92,500/-]{Pre-ROPA in the Pay Band of Rs. 37,400-60,000/- (PB-5) plus Grade Pay of Rs. 8,900/-}** and other allowances as admissible.

5. **Shri De** exercised his option to get his pay fixed in terms of **WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019 w.e.f. 01.01.2016** and accordingly his pay is hereby **re-fixed** for being awarded the benefit of **27 years' service w.e.f. 09.03.2018 upto 01.08.2021** with the **re-designated post of Superintending Engineer (Selection Grade)** as well as his **promotion to the post of Chief Engineer, W.R.D.D. w.e.f. 02.08.2021** from the re-designated post of **Superintending Engineer (A.I.) (Selection Grade)** in the **Level-22 [Rs. 1,23,600-1,92,500/-]{Pre-ROPA in the Pay Band of Rs. 37,400-60,000/- (PB-5) plus Grade Pay of Rs. 8,900/-}** in the following manner:-

PARTICULARS	PAY BAND/PAY LEVEL	BASIC PAY (RS.)
Basic Pay (Band Pay + Grade Pay) as on 01.01.2016 as per WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2009	Pay Band-5(37,400-60,000)+Grade Pay-8,700	51,980/-
Amount arrived at by multiplying the Basic Pay by 2.57 as on 01.01.2016		1,33,588.6
Rounded off to next rupee		1,33,589
Revised Basic Pay on the date of initial pay fixation in the applicable level in the Pay Matrix corresponding to the Pay Band & Grade Pay as on 01.01.2016 as per WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019	Level-21(1,23,100-1,91,800)/Cell-4	1,34,500
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2016 due to annual increment	Level-21(1,23,100-1,91,800)/Cell-5	1,38,500
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2017 due to annual increment	Level-21(1,23,100-1,91,800)/Cell-6	1,42,700

Basic Pay as on 01.07.2018 due to annual increment	Level-21(1,23,100-1,91,800)/Cell-7	1,47,000
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2018 by awarding with 27 years' service benefit, non-functional promotion to the post of Superintending Engineer (Selection Grade) w.e.f. 09.03.2018	Level-22(1,23,600-1,92,500)/Cell-7	1,47,600
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2019 due to annual increment	Level-22(1,23,600-1,92,500)/Cell-8	1,52,000
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2020 due to annual increment	Level-22(1,23,600-1,92,500)/Cell-9	1,56,600
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2021 due to annual increment	Level-22(1,23,600-1,92,500)/Cell-10	1,61,300
Basic Pay w.e.f. 02.08.2021 due to promotion to the post of Chief Engineer	Level-22(1,23,600-1,92,500)/Cell-11	1,66,100
Basic Pay as on 01.07.2022 due to annual increment	Level-22(1,23,600-1,92,500)/Cell-12	1,71,100

Thus, the **Basic Pay of Shri De** in the post of **Chief Engineer** stands at **Rs. 1,71,100/-** in the **Level-22 (Rs.1,23,600-1,92,500/-)** {Pre-ROPA PB-5(37,400-60,000) plus Grade Pay of Rs. 8,900/-} w.e.f. **01.07.2022** under the pay structure of **WBS(ROPA) Rules, 2019**.

6. The issuance of this order will **supersede** the **erstwhile promotion orders** of this Department in respect of **Shri Pradip De** to the post of **Additional Chief Engineer (A.I.)** vide **Notification No. 1096-WI-11014(20)/2/2020-SECTION(WRIDD) Dtd. 14.09.2020** & **Chief Engineer** vide **Notification No. 1063-WI-11014(19)/3/2021-SECTION(WRIDD)-Dept. of WRID Dtd. 30.07.2021** as well as the **concerning pay fixation orders** of this Department in respect of him vide **Order Nos. (i) 1990/WI-11014(12)/6/2020-SECTION(WRIDD)-Dept. of WRID Dtd. 18.11.2020** & **(ii) 1420-WI-11014(12)/6/2020-SECTION(WRIDD)-Dept. of WRID Dtd. 29.09.2021** respectively.

The Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal and all other concerned are hereby informed accordingly.

This order will take immediate effect.

By order of the Governor,

Sd/-

Deputy Secretary
To the Government of West Bengal
Water Resources Investigation & Development Department

No. 126(A)/1(18) – WI/O/3P-05/2022

Dated: 31.01.2024

Copy forwarded for information and taking necessary action to:-

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2. The Pay & Accounts Officer, Kolkata Pay Account Office-I, 8/22, Phears Lane, Kolkata-700012;
3. The Engineer-in-Chief & Ex-Officio Secretary, Water Resources Investigation and Development Department ;
4. The Financial Advisor of this Department;
5. The Director of Personnel & Ex-Officio Chief Engineer, Water Resources Development Directorate, 6th Floor, Block-B, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata-700087;
6. The Chief Engineer-I, Water Resources Development Directorate, 6th Floor, Block-B, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata-700087;
7. The Chief Engineer-II, Water Resources Development Directorate, 6th Floor, Block-B, 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata-700087;
8. The Director, State Water Resources Investigation Directorate, Nirman (Sech) Bhawan, 3rd Floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091;
9. The Administrator (Chief Engineer), Teesta Command Area Development Authority, Siliguri, Water Resources Investigation Directorate;
10. The Project Director, West Bengal ADMI Project, Block-14/2, CIT Scheme-VIII(M), ICMARD Buildings, 8th Floor, Ultadanga, Kolkata-700067;
11. The Managing Director, West Bengal Agro-Industries Corporation Ltd., 23B, N.S. Road, Kolkata-700001;
12. The Managing Director, West Bengal State Minor Irrigation Corporation Ltd., 5, Mustaque Ahmed Street, Kolkata-700016;
13. The P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge of this Department;
14. The Sr. Law Officer & Ex-Officio Assistant Secretary of this Department;
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Deputy Secretary

to the Government of West Bengal

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