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Sukanti Paul & Ors.
Vs.
The State of West Bengal & Ors.

Mr. Manujendra Narayan Roy
Mr. Biswarup Nandy
Mr. Gourav Haldar
... for the petitioners.

Mr. Pulakesh Bajpayee
Mr. Subit Majumdar
... for the State

Mr. B. P. Banerjee
... for the respondent no. 5

1. The petitioners are the legal heirs of the deceased employee who was lastly serving as a Superintendent of Digha State General Hospital.
2. Though the employee had been placed under suspension and disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against him and criminal cases were also pending against him, before they could attain finality the employee expired.
3. Thus, all proceedings have currently abated and the same appears from the orders of the learned court below. However, the said orders have not been provided to the concerned authority.
4. Petitioners are granted leave to produce such documents including the orders in addition to the documents already provided with the respondent no. 2 by December 10, 2026.
5. The concerned authority is directed to immediately

deliberate on the issue and if found otherwise eligible to take steps expeditiously for release of all terminal benefits of the deceased employee in favour of the petitioners who are his legal heirs and representatives. The entire process will be concluded by January 31, 2027.

6. With the afore-stated directions, the writ petition is disposed of.
7. There shall, however, be no order as to costs.
8. Urgent photostat certified copy of this order, if applied for, be given to the parties on priority basis.

(Reetobroto Kumar Mitra, J.)