

Dear friends,

I am to extend you all my best wishes on the eve of auspicious occasion of 'SARADIYA DURGOTSAV'. Hope this festival will bring all the happiness to you and all of your family members, relatives and friends.

Friends I would take this opportunity to also intimate that in order to fulfill our commitment of taking pro-active action at the earliest opportunity to safeguard the interest of our service cadres, particularly for those who have recently joined the service. After long thirty years, our Association is engaged in another legal battle at the honorable High Court, Calcutta. The Acting CDPOs have recently filed a CAN petition referring the case no WPST 212/2012 to prevent the so called reversion to the post of ACDPO as advised by the Finance Department, Govt of West Bengal.

It is relevant to mention that the case no WPST 212/2012, pending at the Division Bench under Ld. Justice Nisitha Nirmala Matre and Ld. Justice Tapabrata Chacraborty (Court no. 17), is **claiming regularization of acting CDPOs in the post of CDPO with retrospective effect**. We strongly believe that the regularization of the Acting CDPO with retrospective effect will adversely affect service prospect of our cadres particularly for the younger generation. We felt that our beloved organization - the **West Bengal Jr. Social Welfare Service Association**, which has all along been committed to safeguard the interest and prospect of our service cadres since its inception in the year 1975, is required to respond to the need of the hour and take a pro active action at this juncture.

As you are aware, regarding the Acting CDPO issue, we have been lodging our protest in continued manner from the very beginning of introduction of this irregular system. We have submitted several representations and memorandum to the highest decision making authority of our Department. We meet our Departmental Secretary in a deputation on 06.07.16 regarding this issue. We organized mass signature campaign which evoked overwhelming response from the members of our service cadre. The copies of mass signature campaign received from all the Districts were submitted to the Departmental Secretary and Minister vide memo no. 12 / GS-PR / 16 dated 26.07.16 (Copy enclosed). But unfortunately our Departmental authority turned blind eye to our justified demand. This apathy and indifferent attitude necessitates our taking up of legal battle as last resort to protect our rights, interests and dignity.

Friends, we would request you all to keep vigil and to extend your hands of cooperation to fight this legal battle so that this long standing irregularity is eliminated through a decisive conclusion.

Please be in touch with all the members of our service and seek their support too for the battle ahead.

Awaiting your response

Sincerely yours'

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Ref No. 12 / GS-PR / 16

Date: 25.07.16

To
The Secretary,
CD Deptt & WD & SW Deptt.,
Govt. of West Bengal

Sub:-Signature campaign for immediate filling up of all the posts scheduled to be filled up by members of WBSWS only.

Madam,

We took up a programme of mass signature campaign in favour of our aforesaid demand and got an overwhelming response from the members of our cadre service in a very short period of time. At present 272 officers are posted under WBSWS, among them more than 200 officers are members of our Association. 171 officers (almost 85% of our strength) signed the mass petition physically and the rest showed solidarity with the demand though they were not able to sign the copy physically for various reasons.

Furthermore each and every District has sent the signed copy of mass petition for your kind perusal. In the view of the above we hope that you will show justice to their demand and bail out the Department from such a mess.

With regards

Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,

General Secretary / President

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Govt. of West Bengal.