

Court No. - 36

Case :- WRIT - A No. - 14539 of 2023

Petitioner :- Smt Manorama Pal

Respondent :- State Of U.P. And 2 Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Shailendra Kumar Singh

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C.,Ajeet Singh

Hon'ble Manjive Shukla,J.

1. Heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, learned Standing Counsel appearing for the Respondent No.1 as well as Sri Ajeet Singh, learned counsel appearing for the Respondents No. 2 and 3.

2. Facts of the case, in brief, are that husband of the petitioner while working on the post of Assistant Teacher in Primary School Baraur-II Malsa, Kanpur Dehat, died in harness on 24.2.2017. Petitioner has submitted an application for compassionate appointment in place of her husband on 30.4.2017 and thereafter has also submitted a reminder on 7.8.2023.

3. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner has submitted that till date application submitted by the petitioner for her compassionate appointment has not been considered and decided, though it is well settled proposition of law through catena of judgments of the Hon'ble Supreme Court that application seeking compassionate appointment must be considered and decided on urgent basis.

4. On the other hand, Sri Ajeet Singh, learned counsel appearing for the Respondents No. 2 and 3 though has opposed the writ petition but could not satisfy the court as to for what reason till date application filed by the petitioner for her compassionate appointment has not been considered and decided.

5. Sri Ajeet Singh, learned counsel appearing for the Respondents No. 2 and 3 has further submitted that ends of justice would be served if a direction is issued by this court to Respondent No.2 to consider and decide the petitioner's application for compassionate appointment within a fixed time frame.

6. In view of the aforesaid submissions advanced by the learned

counsels appearing for the parties, this writ petition is finally disposed of with direction to Respondent No.2 to consider and decide petitioner's case for compassionate appointment within a period of two months from the date of service of certified copy of this order.

Order Date :- 1.11.2023

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