

Court No. - 33

Case :- WRIT - A No. - 17866 of 2023

Petitioner :- Pradeep Kumar Singh

Respondent :- State Of U.P. And 5 Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Sanjeev Kumar Singh

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C.

Hon'ble J.J. Munir,J.

Heard Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh, learned Counsel for the petitioner at a considerable length.

This petition has been preferred by the petitioner, who is a social worker and also a representative of Village Panchayat Bamnauli, Block Tamkuhiraj, District Kushinagar saying that the appointment of respondent no. 6 as a Peon with the Kisan Sewa Sahkari Samiti Limited, Raj Mathauli, District Kushinagar is illegal because he is a brother-in-law of the President of the said Sewa Sahkari Samiti. It is not the petitioner's case that he stakes his claim to the post in question.

It is a well settled principle by now that in service matters, no public interest litigation is maintainable. This writ petition is also not one for issue of a *quo-warranto* and there is no occasion, therefore, for this Court to examine if a *quo-warranto* lies in this case, given the position held by respondent no. 6.

This petition is, accordingly, **dismissed as not maintainable.**

Order Date :- 1.11.2023

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