

Court No. - 10

Case :- WRIT - A No. - 18931 of 2023

Petitioner :- Vijay Kumar Maurya

Respondent :- State Of U.P. And 3 Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Shree Prakash Upadhyay

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C., Shashi Kant Mishra

Hon'ble Kshitij Shailendra, J.

1. Sri Vipul Kumar, learned counsel, has put in appearance on behalf of respondent no.3. Vakalatnama filed by him is taken on record.

2. Heard Shree Prakash Upadhyay, learned counsel for the petitioner, learned Standing Counsel for respondent nos. 1 and 2, Sri S.K. Mishra, learned counsel for respondent no. 4, Sri Vipul Kumar, learned counsel for respondent no.3 and perused the record.

3. The petitioner's request for payment of Group Insurance amount is pending consideration before the respondents and despite moving application dated 29.9.2015, the same has not been released.

4. Learned counsel for the Nagar Panchayat, Gyanpur, submits that it is the Life Insurance Corporation of India, who pays the insurance amount and the role of Nagar Panchayat is limited to forwarding the documents of the same.

5. Learned counsel for the L.I.C. has produced a copy of letter dated 2.11.2023, whereby the Executive Officer of the Nagar Panchayat has been asked to send the documents and details in relation to the petitioner's claim. Though, Sri S.K. Mishra, submits that requisite papers have already been forwarded to the L.I.C. long back, it is contended that the same are not traceable.

6. The writ petition is **disposed of** with the following directions:

(i) The Nagar Panchayat, Gyanpur District Bhadohi - respondent no.4 shall remit the copies of relevant records and instructions to the L.I.C. in furtherance of the letters dated 2.11.2023 before 10.12.2023.

(ii) The L.I.C. shall process the claim of the petitioner in the month of December, 2023 and shall make the requisite payment to the petitioner before 31.1.2024.

(iii) In case, any amount is not found to be payable to the petitioner, specific reasoned order shall be passed by the competent authority of the L.I.C. within the same period of time.

7. The petitioner is directed to serve a certified copy of this order in the office of respondent no.4 within two weeks from today.

Order Date :- 8.11.2023

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