**Court No. - 3**

**Case :-** WRIT - C No. - 9019 of 2023

**Petitioner :-** Nav Durga Pooja Samiti Thru. President Shindhraj
**Respondent :-** State Of U.P. Thru. Prin. Secy. Home Lko. And 4 Others
**Counsel for Petitioner :-** Lalu Prasad Bhatt
**Counsel for Respondent :-** C.S.C.

**Hon'ble Vivek Chaudhary,J.**
**Hon'ble Manish Kumar,J.**

1. Heard learned counsel for petitioner and learned Standing Counsel for State.

2. Petitioner has approached this Court claiming that he has applied for permission to hold Durga Pooja by installing the idol of 'Maa Durga' in the ensuing Navratri and its immersion process thereafter, before the District Magistrate, Bahraich and his grievance would be sufficiently met in case the representation dated 22.09.2023, is considered and decided expeditiously in a time bound manner.

3. Looking into the facts and circumstances and without entering into merits of the case, respondent no.2-District Magistrate, District - Bahraich is directed to consider the representation of petitioner and pass appropriate reasoned and speaking order on the same, in accordance with law, within a period of five days from the date a certified copy of this order is placed before him.

4. With the aforesaid, the writ petition is disposed of.

5. Let a certified copy of this order be issued to learned counsel for the petitioner on payment of usual charges, today itself.

**(Manish Kumar, J.) (Vivek Chaudhary, J.)**

**Order Date :-** 13.10.2023
Arjun/-

Digitally signed by :-
ARJUN PRASAD
High Court of Judicature at Allahabad,
Lucknow Bench