

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.1968 of 2015

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Smt. Neeta Jha W/o Birendra Kumar Jha, Resident of Bhabha Nagar, Bhagwanpur,
P.O. - Bhagwanpur, P.S. - Sadar, District - Muzaffarpur(Bihar).

.... Petitioner

Versus

Authorized Officer Syndicate Bank (A Government of India Undertaking),
Bhagwanpur Branch, Pawapuri Bhagwanpur, NH-28, Bhagwanpur, P.S. - Sadar,
District - Muzaffarpur, Bihar - 842001.

.... Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Arbind Kumar Jha, Advocate

For the Respondent : Mr. Sanjiv Kumar, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE DR. JUSTICE RAVI RANJAN

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 12-02-2015

Assailing the decision dated 29.1.2014 taken by the
Debts Recovery Tribunal, Patna in M.A. No. 470 of 2013 and M.A.
N. 7 of 2014 (Smt. Neeta Jha &ors Vs. A.O. Syndicate Bank), the
Bank preferred appeal bearing Appeal No. 16 of 2014 before Debts
Recovery Appellate Tribunal , Allahabad.

A joint submission at the Bar is that the appeal is
pending for the last one year but no hearing could take place in view
of the fact that the office of the Chairman of the Appellate Tribunal
is still vacant. But now a supplementary affidavit has been filed
stating that Debts Recovery Appellate Tribunal, Delhi is functioning
as incharge of Debts Recovery Appellate Tribunal, Allahabad.

Such being the situation, this writ application is

being disposed of directing the Debts Recovery Appellate Tribunal, Delhi, which is admittedly now incharge of the Debts Recovery Appellate Tribunal, Allahabad, to take up the appeal and after its hearing take a decision on its own merit and in accordance law. Since much delay has already occurred, it is expected that the Appellate Tribunal would dispose of the aforesaid appeal expeditiously preferably within a period of four months from the date of receipt / production of a copy of this order.

The petitioner as well as respondent are also expected to cooperate for expeditious disposal of the appeal concerned.

(Dr. Ravi Ranjan, J)

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