

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.14846 of 2013

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Ranjeet Kumar S/O Late Brahmdeo Yadav Resident of Mohalla- Mahmudichak,
Rajendranagar, P.S.- Kadamkuan, District- Patna

.... Petitioner

Versus

1. The Patna Municipal Corporation through the Commissioner, Buddh Marg, Patna
2. The Commissioner, Patna Municipal Corporation, Buddh Marg, Patna
3. The Executive Officer, Patna Municipal Corporation, Kankarbagh Circle, Patna
4. The Additional Commissioner (Revenue), Patna Municipal Corporation, Buddh Marg, Patna
5. The Chief Engineer, Patna Municipal Corporation, Maurya Lok Engineering Branch, Bailey Road, Buddh Marg, Patna

.... Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Kripa Nand Jha, Advocate

For the Respondents: Mr. Hargovind Singh Himkar, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIKASH JAIN

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 10-09-2015

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the respondents.

2. This writ petition has been filed seeking a direction to the respondents to make payment of the remaining amount of admitted dues of Rs. 2,57,425/- raised in respect of the work done by the petitioner for running *Souchalaya* which was later on demolished for construction of drainage and widening of the road.

3. It is submitted on behalf of the petitioner that even according to respondent no.4 in his notings dated 17.01.2011, an amount of Rs.2,57,425/-out of the total settlement amount of Rs.2,90,000/- could be refunded to the petitioner and for which the petitioner has filed

various representations before the Respondent No. 2 which are said to be pending.

4. In view of the nature of the grievance of the petitioner, this writ petition is disposed of with consent of the parties, granting liberty to the petitioner to approach the Respondent No. 2 with a fresh representation, who will examine the matter and take steps for payment of the outstanding amount of the admitted dues of the petitioner within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order. If the outstanding amount is admitted but not paid to the petitioner within the said period, then he would be entitled for simple interest at the rate of 10% per annum to be calculated from the date it became due till the date of its final payment. It is further clarified that if the remaining claim of the petitioner is not found admitted, then he should be communicated the reasons for reaching such conclusion.

(Vikash Jain, J)

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