

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.3431 of 2015

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Pankaj Singh, son of Shri Dharamnath Singh, resident of village-Saryupar,
Police Station- Daudpur, District- Saran (Chapra).

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Secretary, Food Supply and Commerce,
Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Saran at Chapra.
3. The Sub-Divisional Officer, Sadar Chapra, District-Saran.
4. The Block Supply Officer, Manjhi, District- Saran.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Umesh Kumar Mishra

For the Respondent/s : Mr. R.K. Priyadarshi- SC32

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE JYOTI SARAN
ORAL ORDER

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Learned counsel for the parties are present.

This matter has been listed under the heading ‘To be mentioned’ at the instance of learned counsel for the petitioner who makes a limited prayer for disposal of the writ petition with a direction to the District Magistrate, Saran at Chapra to dispose of the application filed by the petitioner in Confiscation Case No.03 of 2013 seeking release of the food-grains seized pursuant to the registration of Daudpur Police Station Case No.140 of 2013 for the offences punishable under section 7 of the Essential Commodities Act.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and taking note of the limited prayer made by the petitioner, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to District Magistrate,

Saran at Chapra to consider and dispose of the application filed by the petitioner for release of goods under section 6-E of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 in Confiscation Case No.03 of 2013 dated 28.10.2014 in accordance with law and after opportunity of hearing to the petitioner within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order.

(Jyoti Saran, J)

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