

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.9481 of 2015

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M/s Laxmi Jee Modern Rice Mill, situated at Village- Judge Bazar, P.S.-
Bihiya, District- Bhojpur, through its Proprietor Smt. Renu Devi, w/o Sri
Lalan Prasad.

.... Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the District Magistrate, Bhojpur, Ara.
2. The District Certificate Officer, Bhojpur, Ara.
3. The District Manager, State Food Corporation Bhojpur at Ara.
4. The Sub-Divisional Office, Piro, District- Bhojpur.

.... Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner	:	M/s. Naresh Malhotra, Senior Advocate and Binod Kumar Sinha, Advocate
For BSFC	:	M/s. Shailendra Kumar Singh and Gopal Krishna, Advocates
For the State	:	Mrs.Jahan Ara, A.C. to AAG V

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CORAM: HONOURABLE DR. JUSTICE RAVI RANJAN
ORAL ORDER

2 07-07-2015 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and the
BSFC.

On limited issue being raised at the time of hearing,
this writ application is being disposed of granting liberty to the
petitioner to file his objection under Section 9 of the Bihar and
Orissa Public demands Recovery Act, 1914 (hereinafter to be
referred to as “the Act”) within a period of two weeks from today.
If such objection is filed by the petitioner, let a decision be taken
by passing a reasoned order upon the same on its own merit and in
accordance with law by the Certificate Officer under Section 10 of
the Act within a period of four weeks, if such order has already
not been passed by him.

Let no coercive action be taken against the petitioner for recovery of the certificate amount till such decision is taken by the Certificate Officer.

BSFC would also be required to immediately file its reply so that the matter is decided within the time granted by this Court.

(Dr. Ravi Ranjan, J)

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