

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.22384 of 2013

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Saroj Kumar @ Saroj Prasad

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

Bihar State Electricity Board & Ors

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rewti Kant Raman

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Vinay Kirti Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SAMARENDRA PRATAP SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 07-10-2015 The petitioner states that he constructed a new house in Islampur, Nalanda. In spite of repeated request, the electric connection was not provided to him and as such he had to rely upon the generator.

The grievance of the petitioner is that the authorities of the Board raided his premises on 13.2.2013 and made a false allegation that he was drawing electricity illegally and a sum of Rs.71,677/- was raised by way of provisional assessment. The petitioner states that he has paid half of this amount pursuant to the order passed in his Anticipatory Bail application. The petitioner has also filed his objection.

Having considered the facts and circumstances of the case, this writ application is disposed of with a direction to the Assessing authority to dispose of the objection of the petitioner in accordance with law after providing an opportunity of hearing to

him preferably within two months from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order. It will be open for the petitioner to make a prayer for interim connection of electricity line.

(Samarendra Pratap Singh, J)

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