

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.5763 of 2015

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Kunti Devi, wife of Late Firan Mishra, resident village- Mishrauli, P.O-
Kansi-Simri, Police Station-Simri, District- Darbhanga.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Agriculture Department, Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Agriculture Department, Bihar, Patna. null null
3. The Director Agriculture, Agriculture Department, Bihar, Patna.
4. The Joint Agriculture Director-cum-Controller, Weights and Measures, Bihar, Patna.
5. The Administrator, Bihar State Agriculture Marketing Board (Repealed), Pant Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
6. Under Secretary (claims), Bihar State Agriculture Marketing Board (Repealed), Pant Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
7. B.D.O-cum-Special Officer, Assistant Director, Agriculture Produce Market Committee (Repealed) Patna/ Sasaram/ Darbhanga/ Chapra.
8. Assistant Commissioner, G.P.F Directorate, 4th Floor, Pant Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
9. The Accountant General, Bihar, Patna.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Prashant Kumar, Adv
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Madhuresh Prasad, GP-12 & Mr. Prabhat
Ranjan AC to GP-12
For the A.G. Bihar : Mr. Satish Chandra Jha, Adv

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MIHIR KUMAR JHA
ORAL JUDGMENT

2 26-06-2015 Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Having regard to the fact that the petitioner is the widow of Late Firan Mishra, a driver of the Agriculture Department, and has a grievance of payment of amount of provident fund deducted from the salary of her husband, which has not been paid as yet, this Court

would direct respondent no. 8, Assistant Commissioner, GPF Directorate, Patna to ensure that the payment of admissible amount of provident fund of the husband of the petitioner must be paid to the widow-petitioner with up to date statutory interest within a maximum period of six months from the date of receipt of this order.

As with regard to payment of benefit of ACP, the same being not retirement benefit, this Court would refrain from passing any order leaving the petitioner to claim the same before appropriate forum/Court.

With the aforementioned observation and direction, this application is disposed of.

(Mihir Kumar Jha, J)

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