

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.14435 of 2006

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Laxami Sah son of Late Baldeo Sah, resident of village- Jagarnathpur, Police Station Krtyanand Nagar, District Purnea, at present residing at Mohalla- Shiv Dham Nagar, Madhubani, Police Station Khajanchi Hat, District Purnea

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The Union of India, Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, New Delhi
2. The State of Bihar
3. Commissioner and Secretary, Rural Development Department, Government of Bihar, Development Secretariat, Bihar, Patna
4. Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Government of Bihar, Development Secretariat, Bihar, Patna
5. The District Development Rural Agency, Purnea through Dy. Development Commissioner cum Chief Executive Officer, Rural Development Agency, Purnea
6. The Dy. Development Commissioner cum Chief Executive Officer, District Rural Development Agency, Purnea
7. The Director, Accounts Administration and Self Employment, District Rural Development Agency, Purnea

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Gyanand Roy

For the Respondent/s : Mr. K.K.Singh, AC to SC 4

Mr Rajesh Kumar Verma, CGC

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY KUMAR TRIPATHI

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 10-08-2015

The issue raised in the present writ application has already been considered and decided in a batch of writ applications, led by CWJC No.14139 of 2006, decided on 13.8.2008.

The issue raised was enhancement of the age of superannuation of DRDA employees from 58 years to 60 years. The Court considered the matter and allowed the writ application with certain direction.

The rational and reasoning provided in the said writ application also applies to the case of the petitioner. The respondent authorities i.e. Deputy Development Commissioner- cum- Chief Executive Officer, DRDA, Purnea has an obligation to pass appropriate order keeping in mind the ratio of the decision rendered in CWJC No.14139 of 2006 (All India DRDA Staff Welfare v. State of Bihar & others).

Writ application is allowed in terms of the above.

(Ajay Kumar Tripathi, J)

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