

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.21065 of 2013

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1. Ravindra Nath Pandey Son Of Late Shri Bhagwan Pandey Resident Of
Udwant Nagar, Block - Udwant Nagar, Police Station Udwantnagar,
District – Bhojpur Petitioner

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar
2. The Principal Secretary, Food Supply And Commerce Department,
Government Of Bihar, Patna
3. The District Magistrate, Bhojpur
4. The Sub Divisional Officer, Ara Sadar, District - Bhojpur
5. The Block Development Officer, Udwant Nagar, Bhojpur
6. The Block Supply Officer, Udwant Nagar, District - Bhojpur
..... Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. N.K. Agrawal, Sr. Advocate
Mr. Alok Kumar, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Ravindra Kr Choubey

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SAMARENDRA
PRATAP SINGH**
ORAL ORDER

2 06-10-2015 The PDS licence of the petitioner has been cancelled by the

licensing authority on the ground that his shop was closed at the

relevant time of inspection on 26.4.2012.

The petitioner submits that his licence has remained
cancelled for over 3 ½ years.

In my view, the closure of the shop on a particular day
would not constitute such a grave offence as to justify cancellation
of a license.

In the result, this writ application is allowed and the
impugned order of cancellation of petitioner's licence is set aside.

(Samarendra Pratap Singh, J)

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