

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.16545 of 2008

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Balbhadra Pandey, son of Surya Narayan Pandey, resident of village-
Gobardhan Chak, P.S. Belhar, District- Bhagalpur

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. The Secretary, Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department,
Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Secretary, Water Resources Department, Government of Bihar,
Patna.
4. The Deputy Secretary of the Government of Bihar, Water Resources
Department, Bihar, Patna.
5. The Chief Engineer, Water Resources Department, Government of
Bihar, Bhagalpur.
6. The Superintending Engineer, Water Resources Department, Circle
Office, Bhagalpur
7. The Executive Engineer, Irrigation Division, Bijikhorwa, Belhar,
District- Banka
8. The Sub-divisional Officer, Irrigation Sub-division, Belhar, District-
Banka.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dharendra Nath Jha

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Mishra, A.C. to S.C.17

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESH KUMAR DATTA
ORAL ORDER

2 18-09-2015 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

The petitioner seeks regularization of his service in the
Department of the State Government, where he claims to have
worked on the post of Chowkidar since November, 1979 till
20.10.1984 and thereafter on daily wages till January, 2005 as
seasonal labourer.

At the outset, learned counsel for the State raises an
objection that no such relief can be sought by the petitioner in

view of the law laid down in the case of Secretary, State of Karnataka and others vs. Umadevi (3) and others: (2006) 4 SCC 1.

I am inclined to accept the aforesaid submission of learned counsel for the State.

The writ application is, accordingly, dismissed.

(Ramesh Kumar Datta, J)

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