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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**Writ Petition (S) No. 3900 OF 2015**

Smt. Rani Verma W/o Ajay Verma, aged about 34 years, R/o village Ausar, post Ranitarai, Tahsil Patan, District Durg (C.G.)

---Petitioner**Versus**

1. State of Chhattisgarh, Through the Secretary, General Administration Department Mahanadi Bhavan, Mantralaya, New Raipur, District Raipur (C.G.)
2. Chief Engineer, Mahanadi Godavari Kachhar, Water Resources Department, Raipur (C.G.)
3. Executive Engineer, Water Resources Department, Raipur, District Raipur (C.G.)

---Respondents

For Petitioner : Mr. Ajay Shrivastava, Advocate.
 For State/Respondents : Mr. Sangharsh Pandey, Dy. Govt. Advocate

Hon'ble Shri Justice Sanjay K. Agrawal**C A V Order****30/11/2015**

1. The father of petitioner while working as field assistant in the Water Resources Department died in harness on 19/07/2011 leaving wife Smt. Pushpa Verma and one daughter Smt. Rani Verma (petitioner herein). The petitioner being a daughter of deceased, made an application for compassionate appointment, which has been rejected by respondent No.2 relying upon

Clause-3 of circular dated 10/06/2003 holding that petitioner being married daughter is not entitled for compassionate appointment.

2. This Court in **Writ Petition(S) No. 296 of 2014** (*Smt. Sarojni Bhoi v. State of Chhattisgarh and Others*) decided on 30/11/2015 has held the Clause 3(1)(c) of circular dated 10/06/2003, to be void and inoperative to the extent of excluding married daughter for consideration from compassionate appointment, therefore, this writ petition is disposed of in similar terms. The petitioner may make fresh representation along with copy of the order dated 30/11/2015 passed in Writ Petition(S) No.296 of 2014 before respondent No.2, who in turn shall consider and decide the case of the petitioner for compassionate appointment afresh in accordance with law expeditiously in light of judgment rendered in *Smt. Sarojni Bhoi* (supra).

Sd/-
(Sanjay K. Agrawal)
JUDGE