

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.4025 of 2016

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Navin Kumar Singh son of Late Ram Nandan Singh Resident of village -
Hasanpur Kainju, P.O. Madhopur Digharua, P.S. Bangra, Distt. -
Samastipur, Bihar

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Chief Secretary, Government Bihar, Patna
2. The Principal Secretary, Rural Development Department, Government of Bihar, Patna
3. The Commissioner, Darbhanga Division, Darbhanga
4. The District Magistrate, Samastipur
5. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Samastipur
6. The Block Development officer, Tajpur
7. The Secretary, State Election Commission, Bihar, Patna
8. The State Election Commission through its Secretary, Sone Bhawan, Veerchand Patel Path, Patna

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance:

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Yogendra Mishra, Advocate Mr. Rajesh Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr. Shyam Kishore Sharma, GA-1
For the State E.C.	:	Mr. Amit Shrivastava, Advocate Mr. Girish Pandey, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE JYOTI SARAN
ORAL ORDER

2 11-03-2016 It is the argument of Mr. Yogendra Mishra, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner that although the mistake as regarding the population of Kothia Panchayat falling in the District of Samastipur has been admitted by the Block Development Officer in his letter dated 10.2.2016 attributing it to a typographical error but yet no steps have been taken by the District Panchayat Raj Officer or the District Magistrate, Samastipur for correction of the population of the Ward Nos. 1 to 7 under the Kothia Panchayat.

The representation of the petitioner addressed to the State Election Commission, the District Magistrate and the District Panchayat Raj Officer, Samastipur is available at page-52, page-40 and page-38 respectively.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and considering the grievance raised in the backdrop of the admission of the Block Development Officer, Tajpur as contained in his letter dated 06.2.2016 present at Annexure-4, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the District Magistrate, Samastipur to consider the grievance of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders and considering that the Panchayat Elections are underway, an expeditious disposal would be appreciated.

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(Jyoti Saran, J)

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