

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.5712 of 2016

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Brajesh Kumar Singh son of Ram Pukar Singh, resident of Mohalla-New Colony Pakri, Ara, near Primary School, P.O. & P.S. Ara Nawadah, District –Bhojpur at Ara (Bihar) Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Chief Election Officer, Bihar, Patna
2. The District Magistrate Bhojpur at Ara
3. The Sub Divisional Officer, Ara Sadar
4. The Block Development Officer, Ara Town

..... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Manoj Kumar, Adv.

For the Respondent/s : Mr. S. Raza Ahmad, AAG-9

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE JYOTI SARAN
ORAL ORDER

2 29-03-2016 Heard the parties.

The petitioner prays for a direction to the authority concerned to permit him to contest election of the Zila Parishad in the Panchayat Election to be held in 2016. Even while making such claim it is mentioned by the petitioner that the area in question now forms part of municipal corporation and which is the reason that his nomination has not been accepted.

In view of the admission of the petitioner himself in paragraph 7 that his residential area now forms a municipality hence not being a resident of a Panchayat area, he is not entitled to contest a panchayat election.

Finding no merit in the writ petition, it is dismissed accordingly.

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(Jyoti Saran, J)