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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**Writ Petition (S) No.6943 of 2008**

Dr. Smt. Mamta Singh Sengar, W/o Dr. R.S. Sengar, aged about 40 years, R/o Baikunthpur, District Koriya (Chhattisgarh)

---- **Petitioner****versus**

1. State of Chhattisgarh, through Secretary, Chhattisgarh Public Service Commission, D.K.S. Bhawan, Raipur (Chhattisgarh)
2. Chhattisgarh Public Service Commission, through Chairman, Shankar Nagar, Raipur (Chhattisgarh)
3. Under Secretary, Chhattisgarh Public Service Commission, Raipur (Chhattisgarh)
4. Superintendent of Post Office, Raigarh Division (Chhattisgarh) at Raigarh
5. Sub Post Master, Post Office Baikunthpur, District Koriya (Chhattisgarh)

---- **Respondents**

For Petitioner	:	Shri Atanu Ghosh, Advocate
For State/Respondent No.1	:	Shri Prafull N. Bharat, Additional Advocate General

Hon'ble Shri Navin Sinha, Chief Justice**Order on Board****22/01/2016**

1. Heard Learned Counsel for the Petitioner and the State.
2. On the own showing of the Petitioner, her application in response to the advertisement did not reach the authorities before the last date fixed.
3. The argument of the Petitioner that she is not responsible for postal delay stands squarely answered in (2006) 12 SCC 561 (State of Bihar v. Amarendra Kumar Mishra) that postal delay cannot be considered an explanation to consider grant of relief on sympathy.
4. Even otherwise the advertisement was made on 28.5.2008 and the last date for submission of the application was 31.7.2008. Quite obviously appointments must have been made by now.
5. The writ petition therefore has become infructuous. It is disposed.

Sd/-
(Navin Sinha)
CHIEF JUSTICE