

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

WPS No. 3305 of 2016

1. Alma Tigga W/o Manoj Tigga, Aged About 30 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Primary School Rengarghat, Block Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
2. Digambar Sai, S/o Parmeshwar Sai, Aged About 22 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Higher Secondary School, Korma, Block Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
3. Basant Kumar, S/o Balkishun, Aged About 32 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Middle School, Jhargaon, Block Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
4. Sukhmani Bai, W/o Ramkaran Ram, Aged About 31 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper Govt. Primary School, Jhagribahar, Block, Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
5. Taravati Bai, D/o Devnath Ram, Aged About 31 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Middle School, Tipentola, Block Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
6. Anupa Tigga, D/o Sunil Tigga, Aged About 27 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Primary School Dandpani, Block, Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
7. Smt. Devkumari, W/o Arjun Ram, Aged About 32 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Primary School Dholchuwan, Block Kunkuri, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
8. Budhman Sanyasi, S/o Mangwar, Aged About 32 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper Govt. Middle School, Dholchuwan, Block Kunkuri, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
9. Ku. Pooja, D/o Bajrang Ram, Aged About 22 Years Working Is Part Time Sweeper, Govt. Primary School, Mahuatoli, Block Kunkuri, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)

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Versus

1. State Of Chhattisgarh Through The Secretary, School Education Department, Mahanadi Bhawan, Mantralaya, New Raipur, District Raipur, (Chhattisgarh)
2. The Director, Public Instructions, Directorate, Raipur, District Raipur, (Chhattisgarh)
3. The Collector, Jashpur, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
4. The District Education Officer, Jashpur, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
5. The Block Education Officer, Duldula, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)
6. Block Education Officer, Kunkuri, District Jashpur, (Chhattisgarh)

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For Petitioners : Mr. C. Jayant K. Rao, Advocate

For State : Mr. Sangharsh Pandey, Dy. GA on advance copy.

Hon'ble Shri Justice Manindra Mohan Shrivastava
Order On Board

01/08/2016

Heard.

1. This petition has been filed by the petitioners, who are working as Part Time Sweeper on a fixed salary granted to them at the time of their appointment on the then existing Collector Rate. Petitioners have approached this Court claiming minimum wages as per minimum wage fixed by the Collector.
2. Learned counsel for petitioners submits that the petitioners have submitted their representations for grant of minimum wages, however, the same were remained pending without any decision till date.
3. The pleadings and documents placed on record show that the petitioners were appointed as Part Time Sweeper on the wages applicable in the case of Part Time Sweeper on Collector Rates.

If, after their appointment, wages have been revised, the cases of the petitioners are also required to be considered for grant of appropriate and existing minimum wages prescribed by the Collector.
4. Accordingly, petitioners' cases should also be considered and appropriate orders in their cases are required to be passed on their claim for grant of appropriate wages according to current rate of wages applicable to the category of employment, in which the petitioners are employed. The District Education Officer, District – Jashpur shall consider petitioners' claim and take appropriate decision.
5. With the aforesaid observation, the petition is finally disposed off.

Sd/-
(Manindra Mohan Shrivastava)
Judge