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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

WPC No. 2944 of 2016

- Santosh Kumar Rathore S/o Lakhan Lal Rathore, Aged About 30 Years R/o Village Bhorsidih, P.S. Baradwar, Tahsil Sakti, District Janjgir Champa, (Chhattisgarh)

---- Petitioner

Versus

1. Regional Transport Authority Bilaspur, (Chhattisgarh)
2. Secretary, Regional Transport Authority Bilaspur, (Chhattisgarh)

---- Respondent

For Petitioner
For Respondent /State

Mr. Anshul R. Shrivastava, Advocate
Mr. R amakant Mishra, Dy. AG

Hon'ble Shri Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra

Order On Board

30/11/2016

1. Grievance of the petitioner is that he has moved an application before the respondent on 24.08.2016 for grant of permanent stage carriage permit on the route Balco to Chandrapur via Korba, Urga, Bhaisma, Damau, Sakti, Malkharauda, Chhapora, Dabhra and one return trip daily, which is pending consideration.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the writ petition may be disposed of with a direction to the respondent to decide the said application expeditiously.
3. Learned State counsel would submit that the application of the

petitioner shall be considered and decided along with all pending applications for the concerned route, in accordance with law and on its own merits as expeditiously as possible.

4. In view of the fact that petitioner's application is pending consideration, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent to decide the petitioner's application and all other applications pending before it for the concerned route, within reasonable time.
5. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the case and the respondent authorities shall decide the matter, on its own merits, strictly in accordance with law, without treating any observation made in this order, as opinion on the merits of the case.

Sd/-

Judge

(Prashant Kumar Mishra)

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