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**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR****MCC No. 770 of 2017**

(Arising out of judgment/order dated 20.09.2003 in Case No.1661 of 2003 of the learned Hon'ble Court)

Subir Ku Lodh S/o Shri Makhan Ch. Lodh, Aged about 45 years, presently posted as Agriculture Assistant, State Bank of Indore, Sirgitti, Branch Bilaspur, R/o Tikrapara, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh.

---- **Petitioner****Versus**

1. State Bank of India Corporate Centre, State Bank Bhawan, Madame Cama Road, Nariman Point, Mumbai, 400021
2. Chief General Manager, Local Head Office, Bhopal Circle, Hoshangabad Road, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.
3. Deputy General Manager, Zonal Office, Bayron Bazar, Raipur, Chhattisgarh.
4. Assistant General Manager, Regional Manager Business Office No. 6, Nehru Chowk, Vikas Bhawan, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh.

---- **Respondents**


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For Petitioner : Mr. Amrito Das, Advocate.

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**Hon'ble Shri Justice Sanjay K. Agrawal****Order On Board****24/10/17**

Heard on application for restoration of Writ Petition No. 1661 of 2003.

2. The applicant is seeking restoration of Writ Petition No. 1661 of 2003 which was dismissed by this Court for want of prosecution vide order dated 20.09.2017.
3. On due consideration of the submissions of the learned counsel for the applicant and the grounds taken in the restoration petition, I am satisfied that the absence of the applicant's counsel on 20.09.2017, when the Writ

Petition No. 1661 of 2003 was taken up for hearing, was based on *bonafide* grounds.

4. The M.C.C. No. 770 of 2017 is, therefore, allowed and the Writ Petition No. 1661 of 2003 is restored to its original number subject to payment of cost of Rs.10,000/- (Ten Thousand) to the High Court Legal Aid Committee within ten days from today.

SD/-  
**(Sanjay K. Agrawal)**  
Judge