

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.15809 of 2017

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Santosh Kumar son of Late Nageshwar Singh resident of village : Mataso Tola,
Sundar Chak, P.O. Fatehpur, District : Gaya.

.... Petitioner

Versus

1. The Chief Manager, State Bank of India, Main Branch, Gaya.
2. The Chief Manager, State Bank of India, Main Branch, Gandhi Maidan, Patna.

.... Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjay Kumar Pandey, Adv

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Satya Prakash Tripathy, Adv

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIKASH JAIN

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 20-02-2018

The present writ petition has been filed for directing the respondent no. 1 to reopen the Savings Bank Account bearing No.11160143669 of S.B.I., Gaya main branch which has been freezed/closed without serving notice or any information to the petitioner since July, 2017.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner's account with the respondent-Bank has been freezed/closed without affording any specific reason for the same, which is arbitrary and illegal. A representation dated 18.09.2017 (Annexure-2) has already been submitted to the Bank through registered post in this regard, which is still pending.

3. Learned counsel for the respondent-Bank appears and has been heard.



4. Having regard to the nature of the grievance of the petitioner, this writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent-Bank to consider the representation of the petitioner dated 18.09.2017 (Annexure-2), if still pending, on its own merits after grant of an opportunity of bearing heard to the petitioner in accordance with law expeditiously and in any event within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this judgment.

(Vikash Jain, J)

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