

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.8745 of 2018

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Md. Zeeshan Saifee

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State of Bihar & Ors

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Umesh Kumar Mishra

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Prabhakar Jha- Gp27

Mr. Shankar Kr. Thakur, A.C. to G.P.-27.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR
UPADHYAY
ORAL ORDER

2 08-05-2018 Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and counsel
appearing on behalf of the State.

Petitioner has filed this writ application for appointment on
compassionate ground. The father of the petitioner died in harness
on 20.03.2016. The State Government has formulated a policy of
social security in the nature of providing compassionate
appointment to the dependent of the employees who died in
harness. The father of the petitioner died on 20.03.2016 and the
petitioner has approached before the respondent authorities for
consideration of his case for compassionate appointment.
Unfortunately, the respondents have not finalized the claim of the
petitioner for compassionate appointment as yet

Considering the objective behind Compassionate
appointment which is provided to the family of the deceased



employee to tide over the financial hardship occasioned on the untimely death of bread earner, therefore, the respondents are directed to take final decision on the claim of petitioner who is dependent of employee died in harness at the earliest preferably within a period of 60 days from the date of production of a copy of this order. While taking decision, they are required to keep in mind that compassionate appointment is a social security measure and it has to be practiced considering the philosophy behind and not to adopt approach which may render the concept of social security in the nature of compassionate appointment as imaginary and illusionary.

With the aforesaid, the writ application stand disposed of.

(Anil Kumar Upadhyay, J)

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