

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.12903 of 2017

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Rinku Kumar Singh S/o Tripura Nand Singh R/o Vill +PO - Bodha Chapra, PS - Awtar Nagar, District - Saran.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Public Health and Engineering Department, Bihar, Patna.
3. The Chief Engineer (Mechanical), Public Health Engineering Department, Patna.
4. The Executive Engineer, Public Health Division, Chapra.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ravi Shankar Ganguli

For the Respondent/s : Mr. S.RAZA AHMAD - AAG5

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIKASH JAIN

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 12-04-2018

The present writ petition has been filed for a direction to the respondents not to deduct the amounts of Rs. 50,953/- against the agreement no. F-2-23/13-14 and Rs. 1,56,634/- against agreement no. F2-01/14-15 from the bills as there was no delay on the part of the petitioner in completion of the contract works.

2. Learned counsel for the respondents appears and has been heard.

3. Having regard to the nature of grievance, the writ petition stands dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to approach the Bihar Public Works Contracts Disputes Arbitration Tribunal for redressal of his grievances.

4. It is made clear that in case such an appeal is filed, the



concerned authority would have regard to the present proceeding being pursued by the petitioner while considering any issue relating to condonation of delay, if applicable.

5. It is made clear that this Court is not expressing any opinion on the merits of the claim of the petitioner.

(Vikash Jain, J)

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