

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Letters Patent Appeal No.2196 of 2016

In
Miscellaneous Jurisdiction Case No.682 of 2015

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Mostt. Nilam Sharma Wife of late Ravindra Sharma resident of Mohalla-
Makhania Kuan, East Gali, Police Station- Pirbahor, District- Patna.

... .. Appellant/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. The Chief Engineer, South Bihar, Bhawan Construction Department, Patna.
3. The Superintendent Engineer, South Bihar Anchal, Patna.
4. The Superintendent Engineer, Public Work Department, Patna Division, Patna
5. The Executive Engineer, Public Work Department, Patna Division, Patna cum
Drawing and Dispersing Officer.
6. The Provident Fund Officer, Patna.
7. The Accountant General, Bihar, Patna.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Appellant/s : Mr. Anil Kumar, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Raj Ballabh Prasad Yadav- AAG 11

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJEEV RANJAN PRASAD

ORAL JUDGMENT

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

Date : 10-04-2018

This L.P.A. filed under Clause X of the Letters Patent
has been filed against an order dated 4.9.2016 passed in M.J.C.
No.682 of 2015 which was filed for initiating action for contempt
under Article 215 read with 12 of the Contempt of Court Act and
the M.J.C. has been disposed of in the following terms:

“In view of ratio of the decision rendered in the
case of the State of Bihar & ors. v. Bimli Devi, reported in
2016(1) PLJR 452, this contempt application is disposed of.”



Meaning thereby, the learned Writ Court did not deem it appropriate to initiate action for contempt. Once in a contempt proceeding, learned Court has not taken any action, a Letters Patent Appeal is not maintainable.

In view of the above, the appeal is misconceived and is, therefore, dismissed.

(Rajendra Menon, CJ)

(Rajeev Ranjan Prasad, J)

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