

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.1859 of 2017

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1. Smt. Raj Kumari aged about 58 years, W/o Sri Rambhushan Choudhary, posted at Sub Divisional Hospital, Paliganj, Distt- Patna as a grade 'A' nurse, Resident of Village+P.O.- Gorgawan, P.S.- Shahpur Patori, Distt-Samastipur.
 2. Smt. Veena Kumari aged about 57 years, W/o Sri Parma Nand Singh, posted at Sub-Divisional Hospital, Paliganj, Distt- Patna, On a grade 'A' nurse, Resident of Village+P.O.- Shobhani, P.S.- Suryagarha, Distt-Lakhisarai.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Department of Health, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Secretary, Department of Health, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Joint Secretary, Dept of Health, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Deputy Secretary, Dept of Health, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Additional Secretary, Dept of Health, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
6. The Director-in-chief Health Services, Bihar, Patna.
7. The Regional Deputy Director, Health Services, Bihar, Patna.
8. The District Magistrate, Patna.
9. The Civil Surgeon cum Chief Medical Officer, Patna.
10. The Distt Provident Fund Officer, Patna.
11. The Senior Treasury Officer, Danapur, Patna.
12. The Manager, State Bank of India.
13. The Incharge, Medical Officer, Sub-Divisional Hospital, Paliganj, Patna.
14. Suman Kant Sinha, Bill Clerk Cum Treasury Messenger sub Divisional Hospital, Paliganj, Patna.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Pramod Kumar
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Ramadhar Singh-Gp25

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 21-03-2018

The learned counsel for the petitioners submits

that a sum of Rs. 10 lacs and 8 lacs respectively of the petitioner no. 1 and petitioner no. 2 have been illegally withdrawn from their G.P.F. account.



The respondents have filed a counter affidavit and submits that the present case is squarely covered by a judgment date 31.03.2016 passed in CWJC no. 17659 of 2015, wherein the Principal Secretary, Department of Health has been directed to credit back the amount of G.P.F. illegally withdrawn from the account of the petitioners. It is further submitted that in view of the aforesaid judgment of this Court dated 31.03.2016, many similarly situated employees have been granted all the benefits of G.P.F. illegally withdrawn from their account.

Accordingly, I direct the Principal Secretary, Department of Health to credit a sum of Rs. 10 lacs and 8 lacs; the illegally withdrawn G.P.F. amount, into the account of the petitioners no. 1 and 2 respectively within a period of four weeks from today.

The writ petition is disposed of on the aforesaid terms.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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