

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No. 8522 of 2018

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Rupam Rani, Wife of Late Dilip Kumar Sinha, resident of C/o Sri Man Mohan,
Advocate, 'D' Block Kadamkuan, Police Station Kadamkuan, District- Patna.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Higher Education, having his Office in Vikas Bhawan, New Secretariat, Police Station Sachivalaya, District Patna.
2. The Vice Chancellor, B.R. Ambedkar, Bihar University, Muzaffarpur.
3. The Registrar, B.R. Ambedkar, Bihar University, Muzaffarpur.
4. The Finance Officer, B.R. Ambedkar, Bihar University, Muzaffarpur.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.
For the B.R.A. Bihar University	:	Mr. Navin Prasad Singh, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr. Madhukar Mishra, A.C. to S.C.

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE AHSANUDDIN AMANULLAH
ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 14-08-2018

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner; State and
B.R.A. Bihar University (hereinafter referred to as the 'University').

2. The petitioner has moved the Court for the following
reliefs:

*“That this writ application is filed for
issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus
directing the respondents to pay leave
encashment and gratuity to the petitioner with
statutory and penal interest.”*

3. Counter affidavit has been filed on behalf of the
University in which the stand is that Leave Encashment has been
paid to the petitioner and with regard to Gratuity, Rs. 747833/- has



been sanctioned. Learned counsel for the University took a categorical stand before the Court that the same shall also be paid within two weeks.

4. Having regard to the aforesaid, the writ petition stands disposed off with a direction to the Registrar of the University to ensure that the amount of Gratuity is credited into the account of the petitioner latest within three weeks from today.

5. The Court would only indicate that as the matter is being disposed off on the assurance given by learned counsel for the University with regard to payment being credited into the account of the petitioner within two weeks, non-compliance shall result in serious consequences for the officers concerned. The authorities would look into the matter as to whether payment of Gratuity would carry any interest, and if the same is applicable, it shall be paid to the petitioner, in accordance with law.

(Ahsanuddin Amanullah, J.)

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