

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.715 of 2018

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Prashant Bagla Son of late Shiv Kumar Bagla resident of Old Exchange Road, Ward No. 10, P.S. - Sitamarhi, District - Sitamarhi.

.... Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Chief Secretary, Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Department of Food and Consumer Protection, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Inspector General, Department of Vigilance, Bihar, Patna.
4. The Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Bihar, Patna.
5. The Deputy Chief Transportation, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. Bihar, Patna.
6. The District Manager, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation, Sitamarhi.
7. The District Transport Officer, Sitamarhi.
8. The District Magistrate cum Chairman Selection Transport Committee, Sitamarhi.

.... Respondents

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Appearance:

For the Petitioner : Mr. Shashi Bhushan Kumar, Adv
For the BSFC : Mrs. Namrata Mishra, Adv
For the State : Mr. Upendra Pratap Singh, AC to SC 4

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE VIKASH JAIN

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 21-02-2018

The present writ petition has been filed for the following reliefs:-

- (i) For issuance of writ of mandamus commanding upon the respondents to enter into agreement in pursuance to the letter dated 25.03.2017 issued by the Deputy Chief Transportation, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. Bihar,



Patna (hereinafter referred to as “the BSFC”) to the District Manager, Sitamarhi, BSFC for the transportation and handling work as petitioner was selected in the tender and was in waiting list.

- (ii) For issuance of writ of mandamus commanding upon the respondents to take appropriate work from the petitioner as transportation and handling agent in terms of the letter dated 25.03.2017 issued by Deputy Chief Transport, BSFC, Patna.
- (iii) For a direction to the respondent no. 3 (Vigilance Department) to enquire the entire matter regarding scam in the above transport issued and then take appropriate action.
- (iv) For other reliefs which may be granted to the petitioner in the facts and circumstances of this case.

2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that it will suffice if the petitioner’s representation dated 12.02.2017 (Annexure-11) filed before the Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Bihar, Patna (Respondent No. 4) is directed to be disposed of, in which event, the present writ petition need not be pressed on merits.

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

4. Having regard to the nature of the grievances and the stand of the petitioner, the present writ petition is disposed of with a



direction the Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Bihar, Patna (Respondent No. 4) to consider and dispose of the petitioner’s representation dated 12.02.2017 (Annexure-11) if the same is pending before him, after grant of opportunity of hearing to the petitioner in accordance with law expeditiously and preferably within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this judgment.

(Vikash Jain, J)

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