

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.17721 of 2018

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Harendra Prasad, Son of Late Surya Prasad, resident of Suraj Bhawan, Main Road Buxar, Ward No. 25, P.S. Buxar (T), District Buxar.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar, through Principal Secretary, Energy Department, Bihar, Patna.
2. The Chief Managing Director, Bihar State Power Holding Company Limited, Vidyut Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
3. The General Manager, South Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited, Vidyut Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
4. The Executive Engineer Electricity Supply Sub- Division, South Bihar Distribution Company Limited, Buxar.
5. The Sub- Divisional Electrical Engineer, South Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited.
6. The Assistant Electrical Engineer, South Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited, Buxar.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Satyapal Singh

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Abbas Haidar- SC-6

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 19-09-2018

The short prayer of the petitioner in the present writ petition is that the outstanding dues of Rs. 712018/- be directed to be taken by the respondent company in installments.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner would deposit a sum of Rs.2.5 lacs by 24.09.2018 and the balance amount would be deposited in six monthly installments.

It is further submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the respondent Company be directed to install a



test meter since the petitioner has apprehension that the present meter is not working properly.

In view of the limited prayer of the petitioner, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the petitioner to deposit a sum of Rs.2.5 lacs by 24.07.2018 and it is further directed that the balance amount of outstanding dues as indicated in the bill for the month of June, 2018 shall be deposited in six monthly installment.

It is needless to state that the current electricity dues shall be paid separately. The respondent Authorities are further directed to consider the representation of the petitioner regarding installation of test meter and dispose of the same within a period of four weeks from today.

The present writ petition is disposed of with the aforesaid direction.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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