

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

WPS No. 400 of 2018

Lalit Kumar Kerketta S/o Manvel Kerketta, Aged About 42 Years Working As Lecturer Panchyat, Govt. Higher Secondary School, Pendra, Block Chhura, District Gariyaband Chhattisgarh.

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Versus

1. State Of Chhattisgarh Through Secretary, Department Of Panchayat And Rural Development, Mahanadi Bhawan, Naya Raipur Chhattisgarh.
2. Commissioner - Cum - Director, Directorate Of Panchayat, Naya Raipur, District Raipur Chhattisgarh.
3. Chief Executive Officer, Jila Panchayat Raipur, District Raipur Chhattisgarh.
4. Chief Executive Officer, Jila Panchayat Gariyaband, District Gariyaband Chhattisgarh.

--- Respondents

Shri Harish Khuntiya, counsel for the petitioner/s.
Shri Majid Ali, Dy.G.A. for the State.

Hon'ble Shri Justice Manindra Mohan Shrivastava

Order On Board

11/01/2018

Heard.

1. Learned counsel for the parties would submit that the issue raised in this petition is squarely covered by order dated 28.11.2017 passed by this Court in WPS No.2530 of 2017 (Mukesh Kumar Patel and another Vs. State of Chhattisgarh and another) and batch of petitions wherein the circular dated 23.04.2016 has been quashed, petitions allowed and it has been declared that the petitioners therein shall be entitled to obtain the benefit of revised pay-scale on completion of 8 years service by including the services rendered by them on a lower post or on the same post.
2. In view of the aforesaid submission and the impugned order and action is based on circular dated 23.04.2016 which has been quashed in the case referred to herein above, the petition also deserves to be allowed with the direction that the petitioner shall be entitled to obtain the benefit of revised pay-scale on completion of 8 years service by including the services rendered by him / her on a lower post or on the same post.
3. No order as to costs.

**Sd/-
(Manindra Mohan Shrivastava)
Judge**