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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR**WRIT PETITION (S) NO. 2564 OF 2018**

Ajay Singh, S/o Shri Ram Bihari Singh, aged about 41 years, presently working as Lecturer Panchayat at Govt. Higher Secondary School, Sakrali, Block Dabhra, District Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)

... Petitioner**versus**

1. State of Chhattisgarh, through the Secretary, Department of Panchayat and Rural Development, Mantralaya, P.S. Rakhi, Tahsil Aarang, Naya Raipur, District Raipur (C.G.)
2. Commissioner-cum-Director, Directorate of Panchayat, Naya Raipur, District Raipur (C.G.)
3. Chief Executive Officer, Zila Panchayat, Janjgir, District Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)

... Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Mr. C.J.K. Rao, Advocate.
For Respondents	:	Mr. Manish Nigam, Panel Lawyer

Hon'ble Shri Justice P. Sam Koshy**Order on Board****23/03/2018**

1. The petitioner is aggrieved by the action of the respondents, whereby the increment granted to the petitioner is being withdrawn on the ground that he has not passed B. Ed/D. Ed examination.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the issue with regard to withdrawal/non-grant of increment on the ground of having not passed B.Ed/D. Ed examination was examined by this Court in the case of **Jayant Kumar Patle v. State of Chhattisgarh (WPS No.4271 of 2017 and batch of petitions, vide order dated 03-11-2017)** and various directions have been issued for affording proper opportunity of hearing and then decide the matter.
3. Learned State counsel would submit that the petitioner's claim would be examined after affording opportunity of hearing in terms of order dated 03-11-2017 passed in the case of **Jayant Kumar Patle** (supra).

4. Considering the aforesaid submission, this petition is finally disposed of, with a direction to the respondents for examination of petitioner's claim in terms of order passed by this Court in the case of **Jayant Kumar Patle** (supra) and take appropriate decision thereon.

5. The writ petition stands accordingly disposed of.

Sd/-
(P. Sam Koshy)
Judge

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