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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR**Writ Petition (S) No. 4065 of 2018**

Smt. Neha Verma W/o Santosh Kumar Madhariya, Aged About 24 Years,
Working as A.N.M. Primary Health Center Gudheli, Block Berla, District
Bemetara, Chhattisgarh

---- Petitioner**Versus**

1. State of Chhattisgarh through the Secretary, Department of Health and Family Welfare, Mahanadi Bhavan, Mantralaya New Raipur, Chhattisgarh
2. Director, Director of Health Services, Indrawati Bhavan, Mantralaya, New Raipur, Chhattisgarh
3. Chief Medical and Health Officer, District Health Officer Bemetara, Chhattisgarh
4. Block Medical Officer, Block Berla, District Bemetara, Chhattisgarh

---- Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Shri Rajendra Kumar Patel, Advocate
For Respondent/State	:	Shri Chandresh Shrivastava, Panel Lawyer

Hon'ble Shri Justice P. Sam Koshy**Order On Board****20/06/2018**

Heard on admission.

1. The present writ petition has been filed seeking for a direction to respondent no.3 for extending the benefit of maternity leave.
2. The said issue has already been decided by this Court in the case of **Devshree Bandhe vs. Chhattisgarh State Power Holding Company Limited and others** in WPS 101/2017. The said judgment has also been reiterated in **WPS No. 3365 of 2017** decided on 26.07.2017 in the case of **Dr. Vijay Laxmin Chandra vs. State of Chhattisgarh and others**.

3. Counsel appearing for the State fairly admits that the issue involved in the present writ petition in fact is covered by the aforesaid decision of this Court.

4. In the light of the aforesaid judgments passed by this Court, the present writ petition also deserves to be and is accordingly allowed with a direction to the respondent no. 3 to ensure that the petitioner is provided with all maternity benefits at par with the government employees.

Sd/-
(P. Sam Koshy)
Judge