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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

WPC No. 3337 of 2018

- Raipur Bus Service Through Its Managing Partner Gurmeet Singh Sandhu S/o Shri Jashwant Singh Sandhu Aged About 55 Years R/o Ganj Para, Durg District Durg Chhattisgarh

---- Petitioner

Versus

1. Regional Transport Authority, Jagdalpur, Chhattisgarh
2. Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Jagdalpur, Chhattisgarh

---- Respondents

For Petitioner
For Respondent-State

Shri A. R. Shrivastava, Advocate
Shri Sameer Beher, PL

Hon'ble Justice Mr. Prashant Kumar Mishra

Order On Board

05/12/2018

1. Grievance of the petitioner is that he has moved an application before the respondents on 02.06.2018 for grant of regular stage carriage permit on the route Durg to Jagdalpur via Gunderdehi, Balod, Dallirajhara, Bhanu Pratappur, Antagarh, Narayanpur, Kondagaon and one single trip daily, which is pending consideration.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the writ petition may be disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the said application expeditiously.
3. Learned State counsel would submit that the application of the petitioner shall be considered and decided along with all pending

applications for the concerned route, in accordance with law and on its own merits as expeditiously as possible.

4. In view of the fact that petitioner's application is pending consideration, the present writ petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to decide the petitioner's application and all other applications pending before it for the concerned route, within reasonable time.
5. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the case and the respondent authorities shall decide the matter, on its own merits, strictly in accordance with law, without treating any observation made in this order, as opinion on the merits of the case.

Sd/-
Prashant Kumar Mishra
Judge

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