

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.2530 of 2019

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Khurshid Alam, Aged about 27 Years, Male, Son of Shafi Ahamad, Resident of Village- Chandsaraiya, P.S.- Piprakothi, District- East Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Joint Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The District Magistrate, East Champaran at Motihari.
4. The Sub-Divisional Officer, Sadar, Motihari, East Champaran.
5. Rajan Kumar, Son of Prabhu Singh, Resident of Village- Barkurwa, Ward No.15, P.S.- Pipra Kothi, District- East Champaran.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Karandeep Kumar
For the Respondent/s : Mr.S. Raza Ahmad (Aag5)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJEEV RANJAN PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

2 03-05-2019 Petitioner in the present case is seeking a direction to the respondents to make an enquiry in the matter of grant of licence of the Public Distribution System Shop in Gram Panchayat-Raj Bir Chapara, pursuant to the advertisement dated 30.11.2017 issued under the signature of the District Magistrate, East Champaran at Motihari. The allegations have been made against the merit list prepared for that purpose and a further prayer has been made to direct the respondents to grant the licence of dealership to the petitioner for Ward Nos.4 and 5.

In Paragraph No. '13' of the writ application a statement has been made that the petitioner has given



representation to the respondent concerned for redressal of his grievance but they are sitting tight over the matter.

Learned counsel for the State submits that the writ application may be disposed of with a direction to the District Magistrate, East Champaran at Motihari (Respondent No.2) to consider the representation of the petitioner, if any submitted with him and to pass an appropriate order thereon.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case as also the averments made in the writ application, this Court directs the District Magistrate, East Champaran at Motihari (Respondent No.2) to consider the representation of the petitioner, if any pending with him within a period of 60 days from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order. In case the petitioner wants to substantiate his representation or to file a fresh representation, he will be at liberty to do so within a period of 15 days from today and on the petitioner filing a fresh representation, the same will be considered and disposed of in the aforesaid manner.

The writ application stands disposed of, accordingly.

(Rajeev Ranjan Prasad, J)

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