

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.13895 of 2019**

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Priti Kumari W/o Shri Niranjana Kumar R/o Village- Gonpura, ward no. 04,  
P.S.- Fulwarisharif, District- Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the District Magistrate, Patna.
2. District Magistrate Patna.
3. District Program Officer-cum-1st Appellate Authority Patna.
4. Child Development Project Officer Fulwarisharif, Patna.
5. Kalyani Sinha W/o Shri Maheshwar Kumar R/o Village- Gonpura, ward no.7, P.S.- Fulwarisharif, district- Patna.
6. Selection Unit of AnganwariSevika Ward No.4, Village- Gonpura, P.S.- Fulwarisharif, district- Patna.

... .. Respondent/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Mishra  
For the Respondent/s : Ms. Kumari Amrita (GP3)

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR**  
**ORAL ORDER**

2      12-07-2019                      Heard the learned counsel for the petitioner and  
  
the State.

The petitioner has challenged the order dated  
17.05.2019 passed by the District Programme Officer-cum-  
1st Appellate Authority, Patna in Anganwari Appeal Case No.  
44 of 2017, whereby the selection of the petitioner on the  
post of Anganwari Sevika in Ward No. 4 of Village –  
Gonpura in the district of Patna has been cancelled and the  
C.D.P.O. has been directed to issue a letter of engagement



to the private-respondent no. 5 in place of the petitioner.

The petitioner has not appealed against the aforesaid order before the District Magistrate, Patna who is the second appellate authority in such matters.

Under the aforesaid circumstances, this Court directs the petitioner to prefer an appeal against the order impugned in the present petition before the District Magistrate, Patna within a period of four weeks, who, on receipt of the same, shall after giving adequate opportunity to the parties including the private-respondent no. 5, pass an order in accordance with law within a further period of eight weeks thereafter.

With the aforesaid observation / direction, this petition stands disposed off.

**(Ashutosh Kumar, J)**

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