

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Criminal Writ Jurisdiction Case No. 1235 of 2019

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-34 Year-2016 Thana- DIGHA District- Patna

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SHAIENDRA PRASAD S/o Indra Deo Prasad Resident of North Mainpura,
P.S.- Krishnapuri, District- Patna.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar represented through Chief Secretary, Govt. Of Bihar, Old Secretariat Building Patna.
2. District Magistrate, Patna Collectariate Compound, Patna. Patna.
3. Special Rationing Officer, Patna, Collectariate Compound, Patna. Patna.
4. Rationing Supply Officer, Rationing Department, Patna, Collectariate Compound, Patna. Patna.

... .. Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Tilak Sao, Advocate
For the Respondent-State: Mr. Arvind Ujjwal, SC-5

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHWANI KUMAR SINGH
ORAL JUDGMENT

Date : 27-08-2019

In view of the availability of an equally efficacious statutory remedy of appeal against the order impugned passed by the Collector in a confiscation case under the Essential Commodities Act, 1955, I am not inclined to entertain this application preferred under Articles 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India for the release of food grains seized in connection with Digha P. S. Case No.34 of 2016 registered *inter alia* under Section 7 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955.



2. The application is dismissed with liberty to the petitioner to avail of the statutory appeal.

(Ashwani Kumar Singh, J)

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