

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.22906 of 2019

1. The Union of India through Director General, Department of Posts, Dak Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
2. The Chief Postmaster General Bihar Circle, G.P.O. Complex, Patna-800001
3. The Post Master General Northern Region, Muzaffarpur-842001
4. The Director of Postal Services Northern Region, Muzaffarpur-842001
5. The Superintendent of Post Offices Siwan Division, Siwan-841226
6. The SDI Central Siwan Postal Division, Siwan-841226

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

Priya Kumari D/o Manan Choudhary Resident of Village- Laheji, P.o.- Leheji,
P.s.- M.H, Nagar Hasanpura, District-Siwan

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Manoj Kumar Singh, Adv.
For the Respondent/s : Mr.

CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SINGH

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

2 21-11-2019 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned
counsel for the respondent.

This application has been filed with a prayer to quash
the interim order dated 3.1.2019 passed in O.A. No.60/23/2019
(Priya Kumari Vs. The Union of India & Ors.) passed by the
Central Administrative Tribunal, Patna Bench whereby and
whereunder the learned Tribunal has granted ad-interim relief to
the respondent by directing the respondents to restrain from



implementing the impugned order dated 20.12.2018 till the next date of hearing.

Learned counsel points out that while passing the impugned order, perhaps, it escaped the attention of the Hon'ble Members of the Bench that in a case of another similar applicant a different order came to be passed.

We notice that the impugned order was passed way back on 3rd of January, 2019.

As such, we see no reason to interfere at this point of time save and except that the order being interim in nature, it is open for the petitioner to invite the attention of such of the Hon'ble Bench. Only if the Bench refrains from vacating the order, it would be appropriate for the petitioner to approach this Court.

With the aforesaid observation, this application is disposed of.

In any event, we request the Hon'ble Bench to hear the matter on merits and decide the same expeditiously and preferably within a period of three months from the date of presentation of a copy of this order.

Learned counsel points out that proceedings of contempt have been issued. We are sure that with the passing of



the instant order, the Tribunal shall refrain from passing any order thereupon.

(Sanjay Karol, CJ)

(Dinesh Kumar Singh, J)

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