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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

WPC No. 433 of 2019

- Arti Rai W/o Shri Ajay Rai, Aged About 41 Years, R/o Marwahi Road, Pendra, Near Bus Stand, Pendra Road, Bilaspur, District Bilaspur Chhattisgarh.

---- Petitioner

Versus

1. Regional Transport Authority, Bilaspur Chhattisgarh.
2. Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Village - Mopka, Bilaspur Chhattisgarh.

---- Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Shri A. R. Shrivastava, Advocate
For Respondent-State	:	Shri Anmol Sharma, PL

Order On Board By

Hon'ble Justice Shri Prashant Kumar Mishra

13/02/2019

1. Grievance of the petitioner is that he has moved an application before the respondents on 31.05.2018 for grant of permanent stage carriage permit on the route Nagpur to Bilaspur via Manendragarh, Koda, Marwahi, Kotmi, Pendra, Kenda, Ratanpur, and one return 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

Ankit