

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**

**WPC No. 1265 of 2019**

Sipahi Lal S/o Shri Kalu Ram Aged About 42 Years R/o Ward No. 01,  
Kelhari, Tahsil Manendragarh, Koriya, District Koriya Chhattisgarh.,

**---- Petitioner**

**Versus**

1. Regional Transport Authority Ambikapur, Surguja Chhattisgarh.
2. Secretary Regional Transport Authority, Office Of R.T.O. Ambikapur,  
Surguja Chhattisgarh

**----Respondents**

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| For Petitioner       | Shri Anshul R. Shrivastava, Advocate |
| For Respondent/State | Shri Sanjay Agrawal, G.A.            |

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**Hon'ble Shri Justice Sanjay K. Agrawal**

**Order On Board**

**03.04.2019**

1. Grievance of the petitioner is that he has moved an application before the respondent on 20.02.2019 for grant of regular **stage carriage permit** on the route Pasaori to Manendragarh via Kelhari, Kathaotiya and two return trips 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 respondent 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 respondent to decide the petitioner's application and all other applications pending before it for the concerned route, within 30 days from the date of presentation of certified copy of this order.
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/-

**( Sanjay K. Agrawal )**

**Judge**