

NAFR**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR****WPC No. 1995 of 2019**

- Rajendra Singh Chhabra S/o Late Santosh Singh Chhabra Aged About 65 Years R/o Jarhagarh Ward No. 37 Ambikapur, District Sarguja Chhattisgarh.

---- Petitioner**Versus**

- State Transport Authority Chhattisgarh Raipur Chhattisgarh.

---- Respondent

For Petitioner :- Shri Shailendra Kumar Bajpai, Advocate
For Respondent :- Shri Anmol Sharma, PL

Hon'ble Shri Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra**Order On Board****19/06/2019**

1. Grievance of the petitioner is that he has moved an application before the respondent on 27.09.2018 for change in timing in permanent stage carriage on the route Wadraf Nagar to Baidhan, 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 authority 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