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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 6715 of 2019

L. B. Shah S/o Shri Gopinath Shah Aged About 58 Years Working As Executive Engineer At Water Resources Department District Raigarh Chhattisgarh, District : Raigarh, Chhattisgarh

---- Petitioner

Versus

1. State Of Chhattisgarh Through Its Secretary Water Resources Department, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhavan, Atal Nagar, Nava Raipur, District Raipur Chhattisgarh, District : Raipur, Chhattisgarh
2. Engineer In Chief Water Resources Department Shihava Bhavan Raipur Chhattisgarh, District : Raipur, Chhattisgarh
3. Chief Engineer Office Of Chief Engineer, Minimata (Hasdev) Bango Project, Bilaspur Chhattisgarh, District : Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh
4. Superintendent Engineer Kelo Project, Dam Division, Kharsiya, District Raigarh Chhattisgarh, District : Raigarh, Chhattisgarh
5. Appellate Authority State Of Chhattisgarh, Rajyapal Bhawan Raipur Chhattisgarh, District : Raipur, Chhattisgarh

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For Petitioner	:	Mr. Vinod Deshmukh, Advocate
For State	:	Mr. Jitendra Pali, Dy. AG

Hon'ble Shri Justice P. Sam Koshy

Order on Board

02/09/2019

1. The challenge in the present writ petition is to the impugned order Annexure P-1 dated 25.01.2018 whereby the petitioner has been inflicted with an order of punishment of stoppage of three annual increments with cumulative effect.

2. According to the petitioner, he has immediately preferred an appeal against the said order on 08.03.2018 and appellate authority till date has not taken a decision.
3. Given the aforesaid facts, this Court is of the opinion that ends of justice would meet if the appellate authority is directed to ensure that appeal which the petitioner has preferred and which is pending consideration may be decided at the earliest preferably within a period of three months from the date of receipt of copy of this order.
4. It shall be the responsibility of the petitioner to apprise the appellate authority so far as the order passed by this Court is concerned.
5. The writ petition accordingly stands disposed off.

Sd/-
(P. Sam Koshy)
Judge

Rohit