

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.11096 of 2017

Most Usha Devi widow of late Bharat Ram Resident of Mohalla- Mirganj
water Tower, Post Office Nawada, Police Station and District- Ara.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar through its Principal Secretary to the Government, P.H.E.D., Bihar, Patna, Bisheshwaraiya Bhavan, Bailey Road, Patna.
2. The Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health Engineering Department, Visheshwaraiya Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna
3. The Chief Engineer, Mechanical, P.H.E.D., Bihar, Patna, Bisheshwaraiya Bhavan, Bailey Road, Patna
4. The Superintending Engineer, Public Health Mechanical Circle, Patna.
5. The Executive Engineer, P.H. Mechanical Division, Sasaram.
6. The Accountant General, Bihar Veerchand Patel Marg, Patna.

... .. Respondents

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Lalan Kumar Singh
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Arvind Ujjwal-Sc4
For the Accountant General: Mr. Prabhat Ranjan

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
ORAL ORDER

3 21-05-2020 Due to COVID-19 Pandemic, the matter is being
taken up by way of Virtual Court proceeding.

The matter has been listed under the heading ‘For
Orders’ under the orders of Hon’ble the Chief Justice.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Following relief has been sought for in paragraph 1 of
the present writ application on behalf of the petitioner:

‘1. That by this writ application the
petitioner seeks indulgence of this Hon’ble Court
for issuance of an appropriate writs or directions
commanding the respondent to consider and grant



the family pension and with all retiral dues and also with all consequential benefits of service in the light of the law settled in the case of Sheela Devi by the Hon'ble Court in pursuance to the Bihar Pension Rules.”

Mr. Arvind Ujjwal, S.C.-4 appearing for the State submits that an amount of Rs. 15,225/- under the head Group Insurance vide Memo No. 75 dated 22.09.2009 and an amount of Rs. 6,755/- under the head Leave Encashment vide Memo No. 752 dated 25.09.2017 have been sanctioned and further vide Memo No. 759 dated 05.10.2017, a letter has been sent to the Accountant General for authorization of Pension and Gratuity.

Learned counsel for the Accountant General submits that family pension and D.C.R.G has been authorized vide Memo No. PEN 171017036078/201712032038PO/GO and vide letter no. 914 dated 31.08.2018, a letter has already been written to the Executive Engineer, P.H.E.D. to examine the case of the petitioner in the light of averments made in the writ petition and communicate if any further dues is there.

Considering the submissions made on behalf of the respondents, the present writ application stands disposed of with a direction to the concerned authority to make necessary payments of the retiral dues to the petitioner within a period of three months from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order.



With the aforesaid observation/direction, the present writ application stands disposed of.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

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