

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.1171 of 2020

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Ajay Kumar Singh, son of Late Braja Bhushan Singh @ Late Braj Bhushan Prasad Singh, Resident of Village- Chapar (Jorawar), Post Office- Chapar, Police Station- Mohiuddin Nagar, District- Samastipur, Mobile No. 9431035954.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The Union of India through the Chief Secretary, New Delhi.
2. The Secretary, Union Forest and Environment Department, New Delhi.
3. The Secretary, Union Finance Department, New Delhi.
4. The Secretary, Union Urban Development Department, New Delhi.
5. The Secretary, Union Water Resources Department, New Delhi.
6. The Secretary, Union Electric Department, New Delhi.
7. The Secretary, Union Science and Technology Department, New Delhi.
8. The Secretary, Planning Commission, New Delhi.
9. The State of Bihar through Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
10. The Principal Secretary, Forest and Environment Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
11. The Principal Secretary, Public Health Engineering Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
12. The Principal Secretary, Revenue and Land Reforms Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
13. The Commissioner, Darbhanga Division, Darbhanga.
14. The Collector, Samastipur.
15. The Chief Engineer (Citizen), Public Health Engineering Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
16. The Secretary, Bihar Human Rights Commission, Bailey Road, Patna.
17. The Executive Engineer, Public Health Division, Samastipur.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Surendra Kumar Mishra, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. Rajesh Kumar Verma(ASG)
		Mr. Sarvesh Kumar Singh, AAG-13
		Mr. Tej Pratap Singh, AC to AAG-13

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR UPADHYAY

ORAL ORDER



(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

2 18-01-2020 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the respondents.

Petitioner has prayed for the following relief/s:

“For issuance of an appropriate writ by way of Public Interest Litigation is being filed on behalf of the petitioner in the nature of Mandamus or any other appropriate writ/writs, order/orders, direction/directions, command/commands for directing the respondents to construct a Cremation Centre/ Mukti Dham for the rural areas in State of Bihar.”

After the matter was heard for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner shall be content if a direction is issued to the concerned respondents to consider and decide the representation, which the petitioner shall be making afresh within a period of four weeks from today.

Learned counsel for the State states that upon receipt of such request, if any, the same shall be dealt with in accordance with law, expeditiously and positively within a period of three months from the date of receipt thereof.

Equally, liberty is reserved to the petitioner to take recourse to such alternative remedies as are otherwise available in accordance with law.

We are hopeful that as and when petitioner takes



recourse to such remedies, as are otherwise available in law, before the appropriate forum, the same shall be dealt with, in accordance with law and with reasonable dispatch.

The petition stands disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

(Sanjay Karol, CJ)

(Anil Kumar Upadhyay, J)

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