

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**WPS No. 3085 of 2020**

- Vedant Vibhushan Verma S/o Tekram Verma Aged About 40 Years Working As Lecturer (L. B.) At Govt. High School, Kosmanda, Block Pallari, District Baloda Bazar-Bhatapara Chhattisgarh

---- Petitioner**Versus**

1. State Of Chhattisgarh Through The Secretary, Department Of School Education, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Atal Nagar Nawa Raipur District Raipur Chhattisgarh
2. Secretary Department Of Panchayat And Rural Development, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Atal Nagar Nawa Raipur District Raipur Chhattisgarh
3. Commissioner-Cum-Director Directorate Of Panchayat, Atal Nagar, New Raipur, District Raipur Chhattisgarh
4. Chief Executive Officer Zila Panchayat Baloda Bazar-Bhatapara, District Baloda Bazar-Bhatapara Chhattisgarh
5. District Education Officer Baloda Bazar-Bhatapara, District Baloda Bazar-Bhatapara Chhattisgarh

---- Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Mr. Govind Dewangan, Advocate
For State	:	Mrs. Richa Shukla, Dy. G.A.

Hon'ble Shri Justice Goutam Bhaduri**Order On Board****11/08/2020**

1. The limited grievance which the petitioner has raised in this writ petition by virtue of order passed by this Court in the case of Mukesh Kumar Patel Vs. State of Chhattisgarh, WPS No. 2530/2017 decided on 26.11.2017 have been granted benefit of revised pay scale on completion of 8 years of service.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the grievance which now remains is that the benefit is being provided to the petitioner

prospectively and though the respondents have made a calculation which the petitioner is entitled from the date of his completion of 8 years of service but no effective orders have been passed nor have department has taken any steps for release of the arrears of payment. The petitioner prays for appropriate direction to the respondents for releasing the said amount. According to the petitioner he had completed his 8 years of service on 13.08.2016 and accordingly he is entitled for the benefit of revised pay scale immediately on completion of 8 years of service. However, the benefit has been extended to the petitioner only from the year 2018. Thus the present writ petition has been filed seeking for direction to respondents to consider the claim of the arrears of benefit between 2016 to 2018.

3. Without entering into the merits of the case and taking into consideration the judgment of this Court in the case of Mukesh Patel(Supra) which has also been affirmed by the Division Bench and taking note of the fact that respondents have complied with the order to the extent of granting revised pay scale to the petitioner, let respondents No. 2 & 3 take an appropriate decision at the earliest so far as release of the arrears of payment which the petitioners are entitled for. Expecting a decision from the respondents within a period of 90 days from the date of receipt of copy of this order the present writ petition stands disposed off.

Sd/-
(Goutam Bhaduri)
Judge