

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.5411 of 2021

Indira Devi W/o Late Shashi Kant Jha resident of Village- Dulaha, P.S.- Bisfi,
District- Madhubani.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Human Resources Development Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Human Resources Development Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Vice Chancellor, B.N. Mandal University, Laloo Nagar, Madhepura.
4. The Purnea University through the Vice Chancellor, Purnea.
5. The Vice Chancellor, Purnea University, Purnea.
6. The Registrar, Purnea University, Purnea.
7. The Principal, K.B. Jha College, Katihar.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Subodh Kumar Jha, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Ritesh Kumar, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

3 15-11-2021 Heard Mr. Subodh Kumar Jha, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Ritesh Kumar, learned counsel appearing for the B.N. Mandal University, Madhepura.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the husband of the petitioner retired from the post of “Sorter” on 31/12/2001 from K.B. Jha College, Katihar and died on 20/05/2014 but the family pension of the petitioner, who is the widow of the deceased employee is not being paid.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that interest of justice will be sub-served if the petitioner is granted liberty to file a detailed representation before the respondent no. 3 i.e. Vice Chancellor, B.N. Mandal University, Madhepura.

Learned counsel for the B.N. Mandal University has



got no objection.

In view of the aforesaid submissions, let a fresh and detailed representation be filed by the petitioner before the respondent no. 3 / Vice Chancellor, B.N. Mandal University, Madhepura within a period of four weeks from today and if such representation is filed by the petitioner within the aforesaid time period, the respondent no. 3 / Vice Chancellor, B.N. Mandal University, Madhepura is directed to dispose the representation of the petitioner in accordance with law by a reasoned order within a further period of six weeks.

Needless to say that if the family pension of the petitioner is found admissible by the respondent no. 3, payment towards the same along with arrears shall be made within a further period of one month from the date of disposal of the representation.

With the aforesaid observation and direction, this writ petition is disposed of.

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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