

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.83 of 2021

Umeshwar Jha, Son of Late Jaleshwar Jha, R/o Village Jhajhihat Rajbagh Via-
Janakpur Road, P.S. Pupri, Dist-Sitamarhi.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar.
2. The Punjab National Bank through its Chairman Head Office 7 Bhikji Cama Place, New Delhi 110607.
3. The General Manager P.N.B.P.S. and Pension Fund Department, Head Office Rajendra Bhawan, Rajendra Place, New Delhi.
4. The Chief Manager, Punjab National Bank, Boring Road, Patna.
5. The Branch Manager, Punjab National Bank Mohini (Mahua Gachhi), Sitamarhi.
6. The Senior Manager Punjab National Bank, Circle Officer, Muzafferpur.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Ranjeet Kumar Mishra, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. Anil Kumar Singh, GP – 26
		Mr. Kumar Priyaranjan, Advocate
		Mr. Pallav, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

3 16-08-2021 Heard Mr. Ranjeet Kumar Mishra, learned counsel for the petitioner, Mr. Anil Kumar Singh, learned G.P.-26 and Mr. Pallav, learned A.C. to Mr. Kumar Priyaranjan, learned counsel for the Punjab National Bank through video conferencing.

The petitioner has filed this writ application for a direction to the respondent -Punjab National Bank to pay arrears of pension for the period 31.05.2008 to 26.11.2009.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner retired on 31.05.2008 and other admissible dues of the petitioner has been paid except the arrears of pension for the aforesaid period.

Learned counsel for the Bank submits that in view of the nature of dispute raised by the petitioner, the petitioner may



be directed to file a detailed representation before the Chief Manager (H.R.), Circle Office, Punjab National Bank, West Champaran which will be decided by him within a reasonable period of time in accordance with law and admissible dues of the petitioner shall be paid.

In view of the submission made by learned counsel for the Bank, this writ application is disposed of with a direction to the petitioner to file a representation raising his grievance within a period of two weeks before the Chief Manager (H.R.), Circle Office, Punjab National Bank, West Champaran with further direction to the Chief Manager to consider and decide the claim of the petitioner in accordance with law within a further period of six weeks from the date of representation.

It is made clear that if any amount is found payable, the same shall be paid to the petitioner within a period of one month from the date of disposal of the representation.

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

(Anil Kumar Sinha, J)

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