

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.24970 of 2019

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Manoj Kumar Nirala son of Ram nath Sahani, resident of village- Patepur P.S.
Kartahan, District Vaishali.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Home Secretary Govt. of Bihar, Old Secretariat, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Vaishali at Hajipur.
3. The Superintendent of Police, Vaishali, Hajipur.
4. The District Transport Officer, Vaishali at Hajipur.
5. The Officer in-charge, Mahua Police Station, District Vaishali.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Awadhesh Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Manish Kumar, GP

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH

ORAL JUDGMENT

(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA)

Date : 21-12-2021

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The vehicle of the petitioner was seized pursuant to the proceedings initiated under the Essential Commodities Act. Since the Collector, Vaishali has initiated the proceedings against the petitioner for confiscation of the vehicle, the petitioner has already filed an application for release of the vehicle before the Collector. According to him, the same has been pending since long but no decision has been taken.



We dispose off the writ petition with a direction to the Collector, Vaishali to decide the application, if any pending before him, for release of the vehicle at the earliest in any case not later than one month.

(Rajan Gupta, J)

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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