

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WRIT PETITION (SERVICE) NO. 1151 OF 2021**

- Suraj Kumar Bariha, S/o Shri Bhagirthi Bariha, aged about 35 years, Occupation Assistant Teacher (Panchayat), Government Primary School, Saraipali, Block Baramkela, District Raigarh (CG)

**... Petitioner****versus**

1. State of Chhattisgarh, through Secretary, Department of Panchayat, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh, P.S. Abhanpur, District Riapur (CG)
2. The Commissioner cum Director, Directorate of Panchayat, Indrawati Bhawn, Atal Nagar, District Raipur (CG)
3. Chief Executive Officer, Jila Panchayat, District Raigarh (CG)
4. Chief Executive Officer, Janpad Panchayat, Baramkela, Distt Raigarh (CG)

**... Respondents**


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| For Petitioner        | : | Ms. Deepali Pandey, Advocate.                                                                                                               |
| For Respondents/State | : | Mr. Rahul Jha & Mr. Sudeep Verma,<br>Dy. G.As., and Mr. Vikash Shrivastava,<br>Mr. Wasim Miyan, Mr. Avinash Singh &<br>Mr. Amit Buxy, P.Ls. |

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**Hon'ble Shri Justice P. Sam Koshy****Order on Board****19/03/2021**

1. The limited relief sought for by the Petitioner in the present Writ Petition is for an appropriate direction to Respondents for releasing the arrears of pay which the Petitioner is entitled for on account of revision of pay granted to Petitioner.
2. According to learned Counsel for Petitioner, the Petitioner was entitled for an amount of Rs.39,321/- as arrears of pay which till date has not been released. Petitioner has been approaching the authorities in the department, but till date no steps have been taken by the authorities concerned.
3. Given the said facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is of the opinion that ends of justice would meet if the present Writ Petition is disposed of with a direction to Respondents No.2 to 4 to take an appropriate decision so far as arrears of pay that the Petitioner is entitled for on account of revision of pay that is taken place, at the earliest, preferably within a period of three months from the date of receipt of copy of this order.
4. It shall be the responsibility of Petitioner to apprise Respondents No.2 to 4 as regards the order passed by this Court today.
5. Writ Petition accordingly stands disposed of.

Sd/-  
**(P. Sam Koshy)**  
**JUDGE**