

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.2557 of 2022

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Shalini, aged about 22 years (female), D/o Late Harendra Singh, resident of
Village - Kab, P.S. - Rani Talab, District - Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through its Principal Secretary, Food and Civil Supply,
Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Patna.
3. The District Selection Committee for issue of P.D.S. License, Patna.
4. The Additional District Magistrate (Supply), Patna.
5. The S.D.O. Paliganj, Patna.
6. The Additional Supply Officer, Paliganj, Patna.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rajesh Kumar, Adv.
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Upendra Pratap Singh

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJANI KUMAR SHARAN
ORAL JUDGMENT
(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR)

Date : 02-03-2022

Heard Mr. Rajesh Kumar, learned counsel for the
petitioner and Mr. Upendra Pratap Singh for the State.

An advertisement was issued for filling up 17 vacant
positions for public distribution shops in the district of Patna. The
petitioner also was one of the applicants but her application has
been rejected only on the ground that the certificate of
economically backward-class was issued in her favour only after
the last date of filling up of the application forms.



The petitioner’s stands of being a member of economically weaker section or of a particular class does not change.

We, therefore, direct the petitioner to make a suitable representation before the District Magistrate, Patna in that regard within a period of thirty days and the concerned respondent shall look into the matter and take necessary decision with respect to the petitioner and shall communicate it to her as soon as possible.

While saying so, this Court has taken note of the submission of the learned counsel for the petitioner that the vacant positions have yet not been filled up against the aforesaid advertisement.

With the aforementioned observation and direction, this writ petition stands disposed of.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

(Anjani Kumar Sharan, J)

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