

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.8052 of 2021

1. Arun Kumar, aged about 43 years, S/o Baban Singh resident of Sohasi, P.S. - Deoria Kothi, District- Muzaffarpur, presently posted as A.S.I. in G.R.P. Muzaffarpur.
2. Ram Shashi Kumar Singh, aged about 46 years, Gender- Male, S/o Late Jugeshwar Pd. Singh resident of Alawapur, Piarya, P.S. - Gaurichak, District- Patna, presently posted as Sepaoy in Governor House, Patna.

... .. Petitioners

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Principal Secretary, Home, Government of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Director General of Police, Government of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Additional Director General of Police (HQ), Patna, Bihar.
6. The Inspector General of Police (HQ), Bihar, Patna.
7. The Under Secretary, Police Section, Bihar, Patna.
8. The Deputy Inspector General of Police, Munger Range, Munger.
9. The Superintendent of Police, Lakhisarai, District- Lakhisarai.
10. The Senior Superintendent of Police, Patna, District- Patna.
11. The Superintendent of Police, Railway, Muzaffarpur, District- Muzaffarpur.

... .. Respondents

Appearance :

For the Petitioners	:	Mr. Shashi Bhushan Singh, Adv.
For the State	:	Mr. Saroj Kumar Sharma, AC to AAG-3

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

5 01-09-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned AC to AAG-3 for the State.

The learned counsel for the petitioners, after some arguments, submits that since the matter regarding the recommendation made in favour of the petitioners for grant of president gallantry award is pending before the Criminal



Investigation Department, as is evident from the communication dated 21-03-2022, they would be pursuing the matter before the Authority.

The State counsel has pointed out that the recommendation in favour of the petitioners was after an inordinate delay of more than 13 years and, therefore, they cannot claim any right.

This Court is not going into the merits of the matter. Without expressing any opinion on the submission of the parties, the application is disposed of with permission to the petitioners to pursue their remedy before the Authority.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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