

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.5875 of 2022

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Ajay Kumar, son of Late Kailash Prasad, resident of Village-Nainagadh Bihargain, P.O. Bhaluhar Chaugain, Anchal-Bankey Baar, P.S.-Raushanganj, District-Gaya. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Principal Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Gaya.
3. The District Supply Officer, Gaya.
4. The Sub. Divisional Officer, Sherghati, Gaya.
5. The Assistant Supply Officer, Sherghati, Gaya.
6. The Circle Officer, Bankey Bazar, Gaya.
7. The Block Development Officer, Bankey Bazar, Gaya.
8. The Block Supply Officer, Bankey Bazar, Gaya.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Birendra Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Upendra Pratap Singh, AC to SC 4

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

Date : 21-07-2022

Heard Mr. Birendra Kumar Singh, learned Advocate for the petitioner and Mr. Upendra Pratap Singh, learned AC to SC -4.

The petitioner is the son of a PDS licensee, who died during the tenure of his license. The petitioner had made an application for being granted license on compassionate ground for which necessary documentation was made available by the petitioner before the concerned authority, but till date, no decision appears to have been taken in that regard.



The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is entitled to be granted or at least being considered for grant of license under Clause – 10 of the *Bihar Targeted P.D.S. (Control) Order, 2016*.

There is no reason why no decision has been taken on such application as yet.

Under the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, we direct the concerned authority to advert to the application preferred by the petitioner for grant of license on compassionate ground and if at all it is found that he deserves to be given one, necessary sequel order shall also be passed. The aforesaid exercise be concluded within a period of ninety days from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order before the appropriate authority.

The writ petition stands disposed of with the aforesaid direction.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

(Jitendra Kumar, J)

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