

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.8513 of 2022

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Sri Ram Singh Son of Late Bhola Singh, Resident of Village- Jihuli, Vis-
Panchpokari, Police Station- Patahi, District - East Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Secretary, Energy Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Secretary, Energy Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Bihar State Power (Holding) Company Limited, Vidhut Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
4. The Managing Director, North Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited, Vidut Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
5. The Director of Accounts (HQ), Bihar State Electricity Board, Patna.
6. The Director, Bihar State Power (Holding) Company Limited.
7. The Superintending Engineer, North Bihar Power Distribution company Limited, Electrical Supply Circle, Motihari, East Champaran.
8. The Executive Engineer, North Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited, Supply Division, Motihari, East Champaran.
9. The Engineer, North Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited, Supply Division, Motihari, East Champaran.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Manoj Kumar Singh, Adv
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Yogendra Pd. Sinha (AAG7)

**CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S. KUMAR
ORAL JUDGMENT
(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)**

Date : 29-07-2022

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Petitioner has prayed for the following relief(s):-

- i. For issuance of writ/s, order/s, direction/s in the nature of mandamus for direction to the respondent authority to pay the rural franchisee commission / incentive as well as other dues, which has been illegally not paid by the authority since 2007.
- ii. For further issue a direction to pay the rural franchisee agreement security deposit to the petitioner, it has been illegally stopped by the respondent since 2007-08.
- iii. For further a direction may be issued to the respondents authority to pay up to date interest @ 18% till the disposal of the present writ application.

- iv. For further the Hon'ble court may adjudicate and hold that the petitioner is entitled for payment of suitable compensation.
- v. For further award the cost of litigation and suitable compensation with interest for the loss and damages caused to the petitioner because the latches and high handedness of the Respondents detaining the amount of the petitioner after successful implementation of the work, as they have no reason to detain such amount of the petitioner, causing a high financial loss to the petitioner by the act of the respondent.
- vi. For further award any other relief or reliefs for which the petitioner is found entitled in the facts and the circumstances of the case.
- vii. For further any other relief/s, order/s, direction/s, may deem fit and proper in the facts and circumstances of this case.

In view of the fact that Bihar Public Works Dispute Arbitration Tribunal is now functional , learned counsel for the

petitioner, under instruction, seeks permission to withdraw the present petition with liberty to take recourse to such other appropriate remedies, as are otherwise available, in accordance with law.

Permission granted.

As and when any such request is made by the petitioner before the Tribunal, the same shall be considered and decided expeditiously.

The petition stands disposed of as withdrawn with the liberty aforesaid.

Interlocutory application, if any, shall also stand disposed of.

(Sanjay Karol, CJ)

(S. Kumar, J)

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