

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.9137 of 2022

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Shashi Anand S/o Sri Jagannath Singh, R/o Ashirvad, Behind Surya Mandir,
Anisabad, P.S.- Gardanibagh, Patna - 800002.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar.
2. The Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Principal Secretary, General Administration Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Deputy Secretary, General Administration Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Additional Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
6. The Principal Secretary to the Governor's Secretariat, Government of Bihar, Patna.
7. The Principal Secretary to the Chief Minister, Government of Bihar, Patna.
8. The Additional Director, Evaluation Directorate, Economic and Statistics Directorate, Bihar, Patna.
9. The Union of India. XXXX
10. The Secretary, Law and Justice, Government of India, New Delhi.
11. The Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Jagannath Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. Lalit Kishore, AG
		Dr. K.N. Singh, ASG
		Mr. Kumar Priya Ranjan, CGC
		Mr. Devansh Shankar Singh, JC to ASG
		Mr. Amarjeet, JC to ASG

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE S. KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

(The proceedings of the Court are being conducted by Hon'ble the Chief Justice/Hon'ble Judges through Video Conferencing from their



residential offices/residences. Also the Advocates and the Staffs joined the proceedings through Video Conferencing from their residences/offices.)

2 01-07-2022 Petitioner has prayed for the following relief(s):

“For issuance of a writ declaring Memo No. 9077 dated 06.06.2022 issued under the orders of his Excellency The Governor of Bihar, and under the signature of the Deputy Secretary, Government of Bihar notifying the decision taken on 02.06.2022 in the meeting of council of Ministers of State it is Item No. 9 through which it was declared to conduct caste based survey from the resources of the state, i.e., Rupees Five Hundred Crores from the “Contingency Fund” in contravention to the provisions of Article 267(2) of the Constitution of India and also for any other writ/ writs, rule/ rules, direction/ directions, as may be passed for the ends of justice in the fact and circumstances of the present case.”

Learned Advocate General informs that the supplementary budget stands presented and passed by the Legislative Assembly of Bihar.

In this view of the matter, we close the present proceedings, leaving the issue open to be agitated in an



appropriate case, should the need so arise subsequently.

Interlocutory Application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(Sanjay Karol, CJ)

(S. Kumar, J)

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