

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.8866 of 2020

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Ranjeet Paswan S/o Jawahar Paswan Resident of Village- Harnahiya, P.S.-
Bakhtiyarpur, District- Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection
Department, Govt. of Bihar, Old Secretariat, Patna.
2. The Sub-Divisional Officer, Barh, Patna.
3. The Block Supply Officer, Bakhtiyarpur, Patna.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Vijay Anand, Adv.
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Lalit Kishore (AG)

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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 : 21-09-2022

Heard Mr. Vijay Anand, learned counsel for the
petitioner and counsel for the State.

The license of the petitioner has been cancelled by order
dated 30.12.2019.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that no
good ground has been given in the order whereby any justification
can be derived for not accepting the explanation offered by the
petitioner against the show-cause notice.

We find that no ground has been given in the order for
rejecting the explanation offered by the petitioner. For such reason,



we hold the order cancelling the license of the petitioner to be non-speaking and we therefore set aside the same.

The matter is remitted to the licensing authority to pass a fresh order in accordance with law within a period of sixty days from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this judgment.

Needless to state that the petitioner shall be given reasonable opportunity of presenting his case and the grounds urged by him shall be taken into account before passing a final order.

The order so passed by the licensing authority shall be made available to the petitioner forthwith.

With the aforesaid observation/direction, the petition stands disposed of.

(Ashutosh Kumar, J)

(Jitendra Kumar, J)

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