

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.690 of 2021

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Kajal Devi, aged about 20 years, female, Wife of Sunil Kumar Ram Resident of Village- Murali, P.S.-Beldour, District- Khagria, Bihar.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Department of Social Welfare, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Khagaria.
3. The District Program Officer, Khagaria.
4. The Child Development Project Officer, Khagaria
5. Smt. Rani Kumari, female, aged about not known to the petitioner, Wife of Dheerendra Yadav, Resident of Murali, P.S.-Beldour, District- Khagria, Bihar.

... .. Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner	:	Ms. Vijaya Laxmi Srivastava, Adv.
For the Respondent No.5:		Mr. Pankaj Kumar, Adv.
For the State	:	Mr. Raisul Haque, SC-10

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

8 20-07-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned counsel for the State and learned counsel for the respondent No.5

2. The writ petition is disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to assail the order dated 17-12-2019 passed by the Child Development Project Officer, Beldour before the District Programme Officer, Khagaria (Respondent No.3).

3. This Court would observe that if the petitioner approaches the District Programme Officer (for short 'DPO') within a period of two weeks, the DPO, Khagaria, would be



obliged to consider the petitioner's appeal on merits noticing all the concerned parties. The DPO, Khagaria should not raise any issue regarding the appeal being barred by delay since plea of alternative remedy has been taken by the State counsel.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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