

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
(FROM RESIDENTIAL OFFICE VIA VIDEO APPLICATION)
Criminal Writ Jurisdiction Case No.1649 of 2019**

Arising Out of PS. Case No.-500 Year-2018 Thana- GARDANIBAG District- Patna

1. Sujeet Kumar S/O Krishna Mohan Prasad Resident Of House No. 95, Hari Nagar, Mahesh Khunt, P.S.- Gogri, District- Khagaria.
2. Gupt Dev Son Of Shri Nagesh Paswan Resident Of Village- Athraiya, P.O.- Hari Nagar, P.S.- Bariarpur, District- Munger.

... .. Petitioners

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar, Through The Principal Secretary Deptt. Of Home, Govt. Of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Department Of Home, Govt. Of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Additional Secretary to the Govt. Home Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Director General of Police, Bihar, Patna.
5. The Inspector General of Police, Bihar, Patna.
6. The Deputy Inspector General of Police, Head Quarter, Bihar, Patna.
7. The Central Selection Board, Bihar, Patna through its Chairman Bihar, Patna.
8. The Chairman, Central Selection Board, Bihar, Patna.
9. The Secretary, Central Selection Board, Bihar, Patna.
10. Forensic Laboratory, Bihar, Pradyogic Bhawan , Bailey Road, Patna.

... .. Respondents

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Amitesh Kumar, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. M. Nasrul Huda Khan, SC-1
For the CSB	:	Mr. Sanjay Pandey, Advocate
		Mr. Binod Kumar Mishra, Advocate
		Mr. Vivek Anand Amritesh, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJEEV RANJAN PRASAD
ORAL ORDER

4 29-07-2022 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, Mr. Nasrul Huda Khan, learned SC 1 for the State and Mr. Binod Kumar Mishra, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the Central Selection Board.

A perusal of the writ application would show that in this



case the petitioner is praying for a writ in the nature of mandamus for commanding the respondent authorities to complete the investigation and submit chargesheet at the earliest in Gardanibagh P.S. Case No. 500 of 2018 dated 02.11.2018.

There is no information as to the present stage of the investigation.

Considering that the case has been registered in the year 2018, this Court deems it just and proper to dispose of the writ application with a direction to the competent authority Incharge of the investigation of this case that in case the investigation is still pending, it must be completed within a period of four months from the date of communication of this order and an appropriate police report in terms of Section 173 Cr.P.C. be filed in the learned court below.

In case the investigation is complete and the police report has already been submitted, the case shall proceed in accordance with law.

(Rajeev Ranjan Prasad, J)

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Note: The ordersheet duly signed has been attached with the record. However, in view of the present arrangements, during Pandemic period all concerned shall act on the basis of the copy of the order uploaded on the High Court website under the heading 'Judicial Orders Passed During The Pandemic Period'.

