

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.420 of 2018

Manju Kumari, wife of Sri Arbind Prasad Keshwari, resident of Village-
Bariyarpur P.O. Tara Bariyarpur East, P.S. and Anchal- Khodawantpur,
District Begusarai.

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Secretary Department of Social Welfare Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Director, (I.C.D.S.) Integrated Children Department Administrator- Cum- District Officer, District, Begusarai.
3. The Collector Begusarai, District Begusarai.

... .. Respondents

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Ms. Mira Kumari, Adv.
For the State : Mr. Gyan Prakash Ojha -GA7

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MADHURESH PRASAD
ORAL JUDGMENT

Date : 02-08-2022

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

2. The writ application has been filed by the petitioner claiming appointment on the post of Lady Supervisor under the Integrated Child Development Scheme at Begusarai. She has participated in the process of selection under the Reserved category meant for backward classes.

3. It is her submission that her name figures in the merit panel at Sl. No. 101. The submission is that vacancies are still remaining, on which, the petitioner should have been appointed. The admitted position, however, is that only 48 persons appointed from the merit panel. The petitioner, being at Sl. No. 101 in the



Merit Panel, this Court does not find any scope for the petitioner to have any legitimate expectation to be appointed based on the position on the merit panel. That apart, the law is well settled. The decision of the Apex Court in the case of *Shankarsan Das vs. Union of India* reported in *(1991)3 SCC 47* has laid down that merely because a persons name figures in the merit list panel he/ she cannot claim any defeasible rights of appointment based on such position.

4. In view of the consideration above, this Court does not find that the petitioner has legally enforceable claim. The writ petition is devoid of merit and the same is dismissed.

(Madhuresh Prasad, J)

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