

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.19155 of 2015

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Birendra Kumar Son of late Gulab Chaudhary Resident of Vijay Nagar,
Hanuman Nagar, Police Station Patrakar Nagar, District Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. The Principal Secretary, Public Health Engineering Department,
Government of Bihar, Patna
3. The Principal Secretary, Department of Finance, Old Secretariat,
Government of Bihar, Patna

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Rupak Kumar, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Avinash Kumar, SC-30

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 06-10-2023 The present writ petition has been filed
seeking the following relief:-

*“1. That this writ application is filed
for issuance of writ in the nature of
Mandamus directing the
respondents to shift back the date
of promotion of the petitioner on
the post of Chief Engineer (Civil),
Public Health Engineering
Department from 22.11.2013 to
11.08.2011 with all consequential
benefits.”*

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner



submits that though the petitioner was fully eligible and was required to be promoted on the post of Chief Engineer (Civil), Public Health Engineering Department, Government of Bihar, Patna with effect from 11.08.2011, however, he has been granted promotion only with effect from 22.11.2013 and to the said effect he has relied on a circular dated 31.03.1979 issued by the Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna. Nonetheless, he seeks liberty to approach the Principal Secretary/Additional Chief Secretary, Public Health Engineering, Government of Bihar, Patna i.e. the respondent no. 2 for redressal of his aforesaid grievances. Liberty, so sought, is granted.

3. It is needless to state that in case the petitioner approaches the Principal Secretary/Additional Chief Secretary, Public Health Engineering, Government of Bihar, Patna i.e. the respondent no. 2, by filing appropriate representation, within a period of four weeks from today, the same shall be disposed off by a



reasoned and a speaking order, in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks, thereafter.

4. The writ petition stands disposed off on the aforesaid terms.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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