

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.13638 of 2019

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Deo Kumar @ Dev Kumar Son of Sri Parma Sah, Resident of Bramsthan Chowk (Purani Chowk), Ward No. 16, P.S. Gopalganj Town, District-Gopalganj.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Director General of Police, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Divisional Commissioner, Saran Division, Saran at Chapra.
3. The District Magistrate, Gopalganj, District- Gopalganj.,
4. The Superintendent of Police, Gopalganj, District- Gopalganj,
5. The Officer In-Charge, Gopalganj Town Police Station, District- Gopalganj.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Praveen Kumar, Advocate Mr.Uday Pratap Singh, Advocate
For the State	:	Ms Babita Kumari, AC to SC-1

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL JUDGMENT

Date : 25-07-2023

1. Though the present writ petition has been filed for quashing the order dated 20.02.2019, passed by the respondent no.3, i.e. the District Magistrate, Gopalganj, whereby and whereunder the petitioner has been granted liberty to file fresh application for grant of arms licence, under the provisions of the new Arms Rules, 2016, however the learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner would definitely be filing a fresh application for grant of Arms Licence, after complying with the requisite formalities under the new Arms Rules, 2016, hence liberty be granted to the petitioner to the said extent but



the licensing authority be directed to dispose off the same within a stipulated time frame.

2. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, I deem it fit and proper to dispose off the present writ petition with liberty to the petitioner to file appropriate application for grant of arms licence, as per the provisions contained in the new Arms Rules, 2016, and in case such an application is filed within a period of four weeks from today before the District Magistrate, Gopalganj, he shall be obliged to consider the same, in accordance with law, and take a final decision thereon, within a period of six weeks thereafter.

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

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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