

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.9948 of 2023

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Afaque Akhtar Son of Md. Majidul Haque Resident of Village-Yogiraj, P.O.-
Nayatola, P.S.-Puraini, District- Madhepura.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Principal Home Secretary, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Home Secretary, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Commissioner, Koshi Division, Saharsa.
4. The District Magistrate-Cum-Collector, Madhepura, District-Madhepura.
5. The Superintendent of Police, Madhepura, District-Madhepura.
6. The Officer-in-Charge, Puraini, District-Madhepura.
7. The Circle Officer/Anchaladhikari, Puraini, District-Madhepura.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Sharda Nand Mishra, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr.M. Nasrul Huda Khan (Sc 1)
		Ms. Babita Kumar, AC to SC-1

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 29-08-2023 1. The present writ petition has been filed seeking the
following relief:-

*“That this writ application is being filed for
issuance of writ in the nature of mandamus or
direction to the respondent District Magistrate -
Cum - Collector, Madhepura for consider the
application dated 06.01.2022 which has filed for
issuance of the Arms license of N.P Bore pistol,
soon after filing application, recommended made
by the Officer-In-Charge, Puraini, S.I., C.I.
Puraini, Dy. S.P. and Sub Divisional Officer,
Udakishunganj and S.P., Madhepura and same was
forwarded before District Magistrate-Cum-*



Collector, Madhepur for Arms license but application of the petitioner has not considered as yet and further give other legal consequential benefit to the petitioner.”

2. At the outset, the learned counsel for the petitioner seeks a direction upon the District Magistrate, Madhepura to consider the pending application of the petitioner dated 06.01.2022, for grant of arms licence, and pass appropriate orders, within a stipulated time frame.

3. Having regard to the limited prayer made by the petitioner, in the present writ petition, I deem it fit and proper to direct the District Magistrate, Madhepura to consider the aforesaid application, filed by the petitioner for grant of arms licence, in case the same has been filed and is still pending, and dispose off the same by a reasoned and a speaking order, in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks of receipt/production of a copy of this order.

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

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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