

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.18311 of 2019**

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Kedar Prasad Gupta @ Kedar Prasad S/o Late Bhola Saw Resident of Village  
Chakiya P.O. Pahleja, P.S. Dehri (M), Dist. Rohtas.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Department of Food and Consumer Affairs, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate cum Chairman, District Selection Committee, Rohtas at Sasaram.
3. The Sub Divisional Officer cum Licensing Authority, Rohtas at Sasaram.
4. The Sub Divisional Officer cum Licensing Authority, Rohtas at Dehri
5. The Block Development Officer, Dehri, District Rohtas.
6. The Circle Officer, Dehri, District-Rohtas
7. The Block Supply Officer, Dehri Rural, District Rohtas.

... .. Respondent/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sanjay Kumar Tiwary, Advocate  
For the Respondent/s : Mr. S. Raza Ahmad (AAG 5)

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR**  
**and**  
**HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SATYAVRAT VERMA**  
**ORAL JUDGMENT**  
**(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH KUMAR)**

**Date : 24-01-2023**

Heard Mr. Sanjay Kumar Tiwary for the petitioner  
and the learned counsel for the State.

Mr. Tiwari has submitted that for no fault of his,  
the license which was granted to him in the year 1990  
could not be renewed as the concerned authorities, who  
had to take a call with respect to renewing his license  
under the new Control Order, did not pay heed to his  
request.



We express our sympathies with the petitioner if this allegation is correct but as of now, we do not have any material before us to direct for any relief to the petitioner. The petitioner obviously is a licensee of an earlier Control Order. Under the new Control Order, such licenses have to be ratified and renewed.

For such renewal of license and its ratification under the new Control Order 2016, a time-limit has been fixed.

The application of the petitioner is hopelessly time-barred with respect to that.

Thus, no positive order can be passed in this petition.

The petition stands dismissed.

**(Ashutosh Kumar, J)**

**(Satyavrat Verma, J)**

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