

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.14423 of 2023

Ramdev Yadav @ Ramdeo Yadav, son of Late Lakhan Yadav, Resident of village- Premjiwar P.O.- Laheriasarai, P.S.- Bahadurpur, District- Darbhanga.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Additional Chief Secretary- cum- Principal Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Deputy Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supply Corporation Limited. Sone Bhawan, 5th Floor, Birchand Patel Path, Patna.
4. The District Manager, Bihar State Food and Civil Supply Corporation, Aurangabad.
5. The Regional Provident Fund Commissioner, R Block, Patna.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Alok Kumar, Advocate.
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr.S. Raza Ahmad, AAG-5.
		Mr. Vishwambhar Prasad, AC to AAG-5.
For the BSFC	:	Mr. Shailendra Kumar Singh, Advocate.
For the E.P.F.O.	:	Mr. Prashant Sinha, Advocate.

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL JUDGMENT

Date : 09-10-2023

Heard Mr. Alok Kumar, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner; Mr. S. Raza Ahmad, learned AAG-5 along with Mr. Vishwambhar Prasad, learned AC to AAG-5 for the State, Mr. Shailendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the Bihar State Food Corporation and Mr. Prashant Sinha, learned counsel for the Employee Provident Fund Organization.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been harassed by non-



payment of Employees Provident Fund (E.P.F.) amount and other retiral benefits. So far as E.P.F. is concerned, the respondent no.3 – Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supply Corporation Limited, Patna is required to take steps for payment of E.P.F. to the petitioner which is to be credited by the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner, Patna. Learned counsel submits that similar direction be made in case of the petitioner as has been passed in the case of **Anil Kumar Srivastava Vs. The Managing Director, Bihar Food Supply and Civil Supplies Corporation Limited** in **C.W.J.C. No. 4323 of 2017** vide order dated 21.04.2023.

3. Considering the aforesaid submission and information given on behalf of the petitioner, the respondent no.3 – Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supply Corporation Limited, Patna and the respondent no.5 - the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner, Patna is directed to ensure payment of E.P.F. to the petitioner within a period of two weeks from the date of communication of this order. The Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supply Corporation Limited, Patna is further directed to ensure payment of other retiral dues as has been claimed in the present writ petition to be paid to the petitioner within a period of six



weeks from the date of filing of the detailed representation by the petitioner.

4. The writ petition, accordingly, stands disposed of.

(Purnendu Singh, J)

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