

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.10647 of 2018

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Punam Devi Wife of Ramashray Mahto, R/o Village- Pali, P.O.- Birupur, P.S.-
Birupur, District- Lakhisarai.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Bihar, Patna.
3. The Director, ICDS, Bihar, Patna.
4. The District Magistrate, Lakhisarai.
5. The District Programme Officer, Lakhisarai.
6. The Child Development Project Officer, Barahiya.
7. Vinita Kumar, W/o Shashi Bhushan Mahto, R/o Village- Pali, P.O.- Birupur, P.S.- Birupur, District- Lakhisarai

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ram Sumiran Rai, Adv.
For the State : Smt. Kumari Amrita (GP-3)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL ORDER

2 23-07-2024 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned
counsel for the State.

2. The present writ petition has been filed for the
following reliefs:-

I. For directing the respondents to cancel the selection
of respondent no.7 as *Anganbari Sevika* for Panchayat-Pali,
Ward No.3, Villlage-Pali and appoint the petitioner in place of
her.

3. Learned counsel for the State raised preliminary
objection and submits that by the present writ petition, the



prayer has been made for cancellation of the selection of respondent no.7 as *Anganbari Sevika*. Counsel further submits that according to the then guidelines for appointment of *Anganbari Sevika*, there are statutory remedy available at two levels, but none of the remedy has been exhausted by the petitioner.

4. As such, the present writ petition stands dismissed granting liberty to the petitioner that she may avail her remedy before the appropriate forum in the light of the then guidelines.

(Dr. Anshuman, J)

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