

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.6177 of 2024

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Keshri Kant Sharma Son of Late Chandra Dip Sharma Resident of House
Dipayan, Road No. 2, Pancha Mandir Marg, P.O. and P.S.- L.B. Shastri Nagar,
District- Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. Jai Prakash University, Chapra, through its Registrar.
2. The Vice-Chancellor, Jai Prakash University, Chapra.
3. The Registrar, Jai Prakash University, Chapra.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Shubh Narain Singh, Adv
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Bindhyachal Rai, Adv

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HARISH KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

3 22-10-2024 Heard the parties.

2. A counter affidavit has been filed on behalf of the
Jai Prakash University, Chapra. The same is taken on record.

3. The petitioner, who superannuated on 28.02.2009
from the post of Reader in the Department of Mathematics from
J.P.M. College, Chapra has invoked the jurisdiction of this Court
seeking a direction upon the respondents to ensure payment of
group insurance with 12.5 % compound interest.

3. Learned Advocate for the petitioner contended that
identically situated employees of the University approached
before this Court in CWJC No. 11955 of 2022 which came to be



disposed of on 10.05.2023 with a direction to the Registrar, J.P. University to look into the grievance of the petitioner and make payment of all the admitted retiral dues i.e., group insurance with the applicable rate of interest.

4. Learned Advocate for the University drawing the averments made in the counter affidavit has contended that all the admissible amount has been paid to the petitioner. The particulars of the payment under different heads including the group insurance have been duly mentioned in paragraph no. 5 of the counter affidavit.

5. At this juncture, learned Advocate for the petitioner contended that the payment of group insurance have been made only to the extent of Rs. 61,551/- though the petitioner as per his calculation is entitled to get an amount of Rs. 2,30,277/- under the group insurance with compound interest.

6. Be that as it may, considering the fact that a counter affidavit has been filed suggesting the payment of all the admissible dues, if the petitioner has any grievance, he shall approach before the Registrar, Jai Prakash University, Chapra by filing a representation. In case, such representation is filed, the respondent-Registrar of the University shall be under obligation to consider the subject claim of the petitioner and in case, any amount is found due, the same shall be paid to him preferably within a



period of eight weeks from the date of receipt/production of a copy of this order in accordance with law.

7. The writ petition stands disposed off.

(Harish Kumar, J)

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