

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.18230 of 2021

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Ajit Kumar Sinha Son of Late Anant Prasad Sinha resident of Chitragupt
Nagar P.O. Khagaria, District- Khagaria.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar Through the Chief Secretary, Bihar.
2. The Principal Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Bihar,
Patna.
3. The Director, Directorate of Consumer Protection, Bihar, Patna.
4. The District Magistrate, Khagaria.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Rajesh Sinha

For the Respondent/s : Mr.Arvind Ujjwal (Sc4)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 28-02-2024 The present writ petition has been filed seeking the
following reliefs:-

“1(a). For issuance of writ of Mandamus,
Commanding the respondents concerned to
accept the application form of the petitioner
submitted for the post of Member, District
Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission
(District Commission), Khagaria corresponding
to the advertisement No.01/21 issued by Director,
Directorate of Consumer Protection, Food and
Consumer Protection Department, Bihar, Patna,
which was submitted within time and with all the
requisite details as per the demand of the



advertisement, however the application form was arbitrarily and without any basis, summarily rejected by the department and conveyed to the petitioner through message (SMS) on his mobile phone on 26.8 2021.

(b). For issuance of Mandamus commanding the respondents concerned to immediately call and let him participate in the ongoing process for the selection against the post applied for.

(c). For directing the concerned authorities not to appoint any other person against the post for the district Khagaria, till the participation of the petitioner in the ongoing selection process and final selection of suitable candidate to be made only thereafter.”

2. At the outset, the learned counsel for the petitioner seeks liberty on behalf of the petitioner to approach the Principal Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Government of Bihar, Patna, for redressal of his aforesaid grievances. Liberty, so sought, is granted.

3. It is needless to state that in case, the petitioner files appropriate petition within a period of two weeks from today, the Principal Secretary, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Government of Bihar, Patna, shall consider the same, expeditiously.



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

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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