

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.11569 of 2023

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Aakhil Bhartiya Aangika Sahitya Kala Manch through its Vice President, namely Brahmadeo Narayan, Male, aged about 74 years, son of Late Babulal Mandal, resident of Village-Kathara, Police Station-Sultanganj, District-Bhagalpur.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Chief Secretary, Bihar, Patna.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department, Bihar, Patna.
3. The Bihar Public Service Commission through its Secretary, 15, Nehru Path (Bailey Road) Patna-1.
4. The Chairman, Bihar Public Service Commission, 15, Nehru Path (Bailey Road) Patna-1.
5. The Joint Secretary-cum-Controller of Examination Bihar Public Service Commission, 15, Nehru Path (Bailey Road) Patna-1.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Rana Ishwar Chandra
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Madhaw Pd. Yadaw (Gp23)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

9 18-03-2024 This is an application for commanding the direction to the respondent no. 2 to direct the respondent no. 03 to include *Angika* as a regional language along with other regional languages in Advertisement No. 26 of 2023, issued by the Bihar Public Service Commission, Patna by way of a corrigendum and to allot adequate vacancies of teachers at different level of



school education or to publish a fresh advertisement for appointment of *Angika* Teachers at different level of School Education.

2. The supplementary counter affidavit filed by the State is taken on record.

3. The petitioner is directed to file a detailed representation before the Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department, Bihar within four weeks for redressal of his grievances.

4. If such a representation is filed, the Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department, Bihar will look into it and take an appropriate decision in accordance with law so as to see that *Angika* language could receive significance as has been submitted by the petitioners.

5. While considering the representation of the petitioner, the Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department, Bihar will also take into account that languages such as *Bengali*, *Urdu*, *Farsi* are being given preference over *Angika* and teachers of *Angika* language are not being appointed though the *Angika* language is being taught in *Bhagalpur* University as a Post-Graduate subject.

6. The representation must be disposed off within



12 weeks of its filing.

7. With the aforesaid observation and direction, this application is disposed of.

(Sandeep Kumar, J)

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