

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.13974 of 2024

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Virendra Paswan, Son of Kali Paswan, Resident of Mohalla- Yashoda Kali Paswan Bhawan, Saket Vihar, Near Shiv Narayan Chowk, Mitramandal Colony, Anisabad, P.S. Phulwari Sharif, District-Patna

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Additional Chief Secretary, Road Construction Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary, Road Construction Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Engineer-in-Chief, (Head Quarter), Road Construction Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Chief Engineer (North), National Highway MORTH Wing Road Construction Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Superintending Engineer, National Highway Circle, Muzaffarpur.
6. The Executive Engineer, National Highway Division, Chhapra.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ravi Bhardwaj, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Government Pleader 7

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 17-09-2024 Heard Mr. Ravi Bhardwaj, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner and learned Government Pleader 7 appearing on behalf of the State.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner informs that petitioner has filed appeal against the penalty order contained in Memo No.7223(E) dated 21.11.2023, before the Appellate Authority (Respondent no.2) and same is pending since 11.12.2023.

3. Considering the aforesaid information, I find it



proper to direct the respondent no.2 (The Additional Chief Secretary, Road Construction Department, Government of Bihar) to take a conscious decision in respect of appeal filed before him by the petitioner, expeditiously, as he has already failed to pass a necessary order in accordance with statutory time, as contained in Bihar Government Servants (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 2005.

4. With the aforesaid observation/direction, the present writ petition stands disposed of.

(Purnendu Singh, J.)

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