

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.14320 of 2024

Suresh Kumar Das Son of Asharhfi Das Resident of Village- Chhitrauli, P.O.- Kamla Gopalpur, P.S.- Bihta, District- Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Home Department, Government of Bihar, at Patna.
2. Principal Secretary, Home Department, Government of Bihar, at Patna.
3. Director General of Police, Bihar at Patna.
4. Deputy Secretary- Cum- Deputy Director, (Department of Jail and Reforms Services).
5. Assistance Jail I.G. Jail and Reforms Services, (Home Department), Govt. of Bihar at Patna.
6. Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department (Jail), Patel Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna.
7. I.G., Inspectorate of Prisons and Correctional Services, Home Department, Government of Bihar at Patna.
8. D.I.G., Inspectorate of Prisons and Correctional Services, Home Department, Government of Bihar at Patna.
9. Superintendent, Hajipur Division (Jail), Department of Prisons and Correctional Services, Hajipur, District- Hajipur.
10. Superintendent, Biharsharif, Division (Jail), Department of Prisons and Correctional Services, Biharsharif, District- Biharsharif.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Sumeet Kumar Singh, Adv., Mr. Shivam Singh, Adv., Mr. Kumar Vikram, Adv., Mr. Nikhil Singh, Adv., Mr. Kumar Avinash, Adv.
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. Anish Kumar, AC to AG

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BIBEK CHAUDHURI
ORAL ORDER

2 25-09-2024 The petitioner has approached this Court with a limited prayer to dispose of the Statutory Appeal filed by him against the order of dismissal, passed in disciplinary proceeding vide Memo No. 11056, dated 21st December, 2023 by the I.G.,



Inspectorate of Prisons and correctional Services, Home Department, Government of Bihar, Patna, respondent no. 7.

2. At this stage, the petitioner prays for a direction upon the Appellate Authority, The Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department (Jail), Patel Bhawan, Patna, respondent no. 6, to dispose of the Statutory Appeal filed by the petitioner in a time bond manner.

3. I have heard the learned counsels for the petitioner and the State of Bihar.

4. The Statutory Appeal is expected to be disposed of expeditiously. The said Appeal is pending for last 7 to 8 months. The fate of the petitioner relating to his service depends upon the decision to be taken in the Appeal, so the petitioner is interested to get the matter disposed of at the earliest. I find justification in the apprehension and agony of the petitioner.

5. Therefore, the Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department(Jail), Patel Bhawan, Patna, respondent no. 6, is directed to dispose of the Statutory Appeal filed by the petitioner within three months from the date of communication of this order.

6. The petitioner is at liberty to communicate the server copy of this order to the concerned authority.



7. With the above order, the instant writ petition is
disposed of.

(Bibek Chaudhuri, J)

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