

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.16804 of 2024

Chanakya Ashok and Co. Chartered Accountants 501/409 Hem Plaza, Fraser Road, Patna-800001, through its Partner Ashok Kumar Pandey, aged about 50 years, Male, S/o Sri Raj Mangal Pandey, Resident of 603, Banshi Apartment, R.K. Bhattacharya Road, P.S.-Gandhi Maidan, District-Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Additional Chief Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Govt. of Bihar, Vikash Bhawan, New Secretariate, Patna-800015.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Govt. of Bihar, Vikash Bhawan, New Secretariate, Patna-800015.
3. The Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Additional Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Government of Bihar.
5. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Vaishali, Bihar.
6. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Supaul, Bihar.
7. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Saran, Bihar.
8. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Samastipur, Bihar.
9. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Araria, Bihar.
10. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Aurangabad, Bihar.
11. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Jamui, Bihar.
12. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Jehanabad, Bihar.
13. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Khagaria, Bihar.
14. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Lakhisarai, Bihar.
15. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Madhepura, Bihar.
16. The District Panchayati Raj Officer, Patna, Bihar.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Mithilesh Kr. Upadhyay, Advocate Ms. Tetara Kumari, Advocate Mr. Raju Prasad, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. Standing Counsel (25)

CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY
ORAL JUDGMENT



(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

Date : 30-10-2024

The petitioner has sought for participation in an e-Tender issued on 20.09.2024 and also sought for issuance of completion certificate for the Financial Years 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22.

2. Insofar as the participation in the tender issued, it is submitted by the learned Counsel appearing for the respondents that the tender has been finalised and hence, the prayer has become infructuous.

3. Insofar as the second prayer to direct the respondents to issue completion certificate for the Financial Years 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22, we made a specific query as to the statement made in the writ petition, of the date on which the completion was effected; which alone can lead to a prayer for mandamus for a completion certificate to be issued. There is no averment to that effect.

4. It is the petitioner's contention that for the aforesaid years, the audit has been completed and their report has been submitted. The respondent could consider expeditious issuance of a completion certificate; which can be only on the satisfaction of the respondent authorities that the petitioner has complied with the conditions of the work entrusted.



5. The writ petition stands disposed of.

(K. Vinod Chandran, CJ)

(Partha Sarthy, J)

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