

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.860 of 2025

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Bharat Sah Son of Rajnarayan Sah, Resident of Village- Paithanpatti, Machhar Ganwan, P.O. Dariyapur, P.S. Harsidhi, District- East Champaran at Motihari, the retired Head Clerk, Rajkiya Polytechnic, West Champaran, District- West Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Chief Secretary, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Secretary, Science, Technology and Technical Education Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Special Secretary-cum-Public Grievance Redressal Officer, Science, Technology and Technical Education Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Director, Science, Technology and Technical Education Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Principal, Rajkiya Polytechnic, West Champaran, District- West Champaran.
6. The Principal, Motihari Engineering College, Motihari, District- East Champaran at Motihari.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Pankaj Kumar Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Government Advocate (13)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE NANI TAGIA
ORAL ORDER

2 23-01-2025 Heard learned counsel for the parties.

2. The petitioner who retired from the post of Head Clerk from the Rajikiya Polytechnic College, West Champaran on 31.03.2020 has filed this writ petition raising the grievance against non-sanctioning of 13 days medical leave which the petitioner had applied for to the competent authority vide application dated 15.06.2018.

3. Learned State counsel has submitted that there is an



inordinate delay in filing this writ petition by the petitioner inasmuch as the grievance raised by the petitioner is non-sanctioning of the medical leave as per application dated 15.06.2018.

4. Having heard learned counsel for the parties, I am in agreement with the learned State counsel that there is an inordinate delay in filing the writ petition inasmuch as the grievance raised by the petitioner dates back to 15.06.2018 which is the date the petitioner had submitted an application to the competent authority for grant of 13 days medical leave.

5. Accordingly, this writ petition is hereby dismissed on the ground of delay and laches.

(Nani Tagia, J)

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