

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.1466 of 2025

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Upendra Kumar Singh S/o- Late Hulas Singh R/o Village- Khilwat, Ward
No.- 6, P.O.- Khilwat, P.S.- Bidupur, District- Vaishali.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principle Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Director, Primary Education, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The District Education Officer, Vaishali at Hajipur, District- Vaishali.
5. The District Programme Officer (Establishment), Vaishali.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Shashi Bhushan Kumar, Advocate Ms. Sweta Raj, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr. Ebadur Rahman Shakeb, AC to AAG (12)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH
ORAL ORDER

2 30-01-2025 Heard Mr. Shashi Bhushan Kumar, along with Ms. Sweat Raj, learned counsels appearing on behalf of the petitioner and Mr. Ebadur Rahman Shakeb, learned AC to AAG (12) appearing on behalf of the State.

2. The petitioner in paragraph no. 1 of the present writ petition has sought, *inter alia*, the following relief(s), which is reproduced hereinafter:-

- “i. To direct the respondent authority for that in the light of departmental direction, the petitioner should be posted in the vacant post of graduate (Arts) post in nearest school (U.M.S. Jafarabad Tok) or earlier posted school where graduate (Arts) post already vacant.*
- ii. For issuance of any other appropriate writ(s), order(s), direction(s) for which the writ petitioner would*



be found entitled under the facts and circumstances of the case.”

3. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner informs that the petitioner has already filed a detailed representation before the District Education Officer, Vaishali (Annexure- P/5) for considering the transfer of the petitioner to a nearby school, well within 2 km from his house, as longer distance to his work place will only amount to hinder his teaching work and the same is punitive in nature as well.

4. Considering the submission made on behalf of the petitioner, the District Education Officer, Vaishali (Respondent no.4) is directed to consider the grievance of the petitioner and dispose of the representation filed on behalf of the petitioner, expeditiously, in accordance with law, so that, the teaching work of the petitioner's school concerned should not suffer.

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

(Purnendu Singh, J.)

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