

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**  
**Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.7604 of 2020**

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Bhuneshwar Thakur S/o Gulab Thakur, R/o Village- Baruaa, P.O.- Malwar,  
P.s.- Prakhand- Shivsagar, Dist.- Rohtas (Sasaram) and presently posted as an  
assistant teacher in Navsrijit Primary School, Phulvariya gram Panchayat  
Nad, Prakhand Shivsagar, District- Rohtas

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar
2. The Principal Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna
3. The Director, Primary Education, Govt. of Bihar, Patna
4. The District Education Officer, Rohtas (Sasaram)
5. The District Programme Officer (Establishment), Rohtas, Sasaram
6. The Block Education Officer, Shivsagar Block, District- Rohtas
7. The Mukhia, Gram Panchayat Raj, Nad, Block- Shivsagar, District- Rohtas
8. The Panchayat Secretary, Gram Panchayat Raj- Nad, Block- Shivsagar,  
District- Rohtas
9. The District Teacher Appointment Appellate Authority, Sasaram through its  
Chairman
10. The State Appellate Authority, Education Department, Bihar, Patna through  
its Chairman

... .. Respondent/s

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rama Kant Singh, Advocate  
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Kameshwar Gupta, GP-17

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PURNENDU SINGH**  
**ORAL ORDER**

4      28-01-2025                      Heard Mr. Rama Kant Singh, learned counsel  
  
appearing on behalf of the petitioner and Mr. Kameshwar  
  
Gupta, learned GP-17 for the respondents.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the  
  
petitioners seeks to avail remedy before the District Teachers'  
  
Appellate Authority.

3. Considering the aforesaid submissions made on  
  
behalf of the petitioner, the petitioner is required to file



Limitation Petition for condonation of delay in filing of the said appeal. The District Teachers' Appellate Authority must consider to condone any delay in filing of the appeal, considering the fact that the entire world was affected by the Covid-19 pandemic and the writ petition was filed in the year 2020 during which period several advisories were issued by the Central Government and the State Government, as well as, by this Court.

4. After condoning the delay, the District Teachers' Appellate Authority is directed to adjudicate the appeal filed on behalf of the petitioner expeditiously, in accordance with law.

5. Accordingly, the present writ petition stands disposed of.

**(Purnendu Singh, J)**

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