

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.10872 of 2025

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Jay Nandan Kumar @ Jainandan Kr. S/o Yadunandan Mistri R/o Mohalla-
Arbind Lal, Rajak Gali, Mainpura, LCT Ghat, Post- GPO, Patna- 800001.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Principal Secretary, Irrigation Department (Sichayi Bhawan), New Secretariat, Patna, Bihar.
2. The Chief Engineer, Irrigation and Flood Control Department, Patna, Bihar.
3. The Under Secretary (Manager), Irrigation Department (Sichai Bhawan), Patna, Bihar.
4. Executive Engineer, Saran Canal Division, Ekma, Saran, Bihar.
5. The Executive Engineer, Kada Development Division, Khagaul, Patna.
6. The Executive Engineer, Village Works Department, Work Division- II, Chappra, Bihar.
7. The Accountant General, Beer Chand Patel Marg, Patna, Bihar.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Rajendra Nath Sinha, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Standing Counsel (24)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DR. ANSHUMAN
ORAL JUDGMENT

Date : 21-07-2025

Heard Learned Counsel for the petitioners and
Learned Counsel for the State.

2. Learned Counsel for the petitioner has filed the
present writ petition with the following reliefs:-

*“I. For direction to respondent
No.4 to pay the due salary from the period of
10.12.2013 to 31.03.2021 on revised pay
scale.*

II. Further, direction to



respondents to pay the difference amount of salary due to revision of pay scale.

III. Further, direction to pay cost of litigation and compensation on account of prolong delay.

IV. To what other relief or reliefs for which the petitioner is entitled may kindly be given.”

3. Learned counsel for the State submits that the Government of Bihar through General Administration Department has framed a Rule, namely, the Bihar Government Servant Grievances Redressal Rules, 2019 to deal such type of situations and petitioner has liberty to exhaust the remedy before the Service Grievance Redressal Officer. Counsel for the State submits that the petitioner has to avail the said remedy by way of filing the complaint under the said Rule but instead thereof they moved directly before this Hon'ble Court.

4. In the light of the submissions made by the parties, the present writ petition stands disposed off directing the petitioner to avail the remedy before the Service Grievances Redressal Officer of the department within 30 days from today and in the said rule, time frame has already been made. Therefore, Service Grievances Redressal Officer is hereby directed to decide this matter strictly according to the time



frame specified in the said Rule i.e., Bihar Government Servant
Grievances Redressal Rules, 2019.

(Dr. Anshuman, J)

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