

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.2445 of 2026

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Raj Kumar Sah son of Moti Prasad Sah, resident of 16, Lila Teli Lane,
Aliganj, Kutubganj, P.S. -Babarganj, District - Bhagalpur .

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the District Magistrate, District -Bhagalpur
2. The Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, Khadya Bhawan, Daroga Prasad Rai Path, Patna
3. The Deputy General Manger (Transport), Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, Khadya Bhawan, Daroga Prasad Rai Path, Patna
4. The District Transport Committee, District Bhagalpur through the District Magistrate, Bhagalpur.
5. The District Manager, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, District - Bhagalpur

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Amritya Raj
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Addl. Advocate General 4

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR VERMA
ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR SINGH)

3 20-02-2026 In the present petition, the petitioner has prayed for

the following relief(s):-

*“(i) For issuance of writ of certiorari to quash
the NIT being NIT No 185/Main-BGP dated
29.01.2026 issued by the Respondent No 5,
District Manager, Bihar State Food and Civil
Supplies Corporation Limited, Bhagalpur
inviting tender for selection and empanelment of
Transport cum Handling Contractor for main
Transportation of Food Grains for the district of*



Bhagalpur:

(ii) For issuance of writ of mandamus directing the respondents to prepare and issue NIT/RFP as per the Transport policy 2025 and not to issue NIT for selection of transport contractors based upon the repealed transport policy.

(iii) Till the pendency of this application stay the process of impugned tender for the district of Bhagalpur for selection of transport contractor initiated by the respondents.

(iv) For any other relief for which the petitioner is entitled to in the facts and circumstances of the case.”

2. A limited grievance is raised by the petitioner that the Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) issued by Respondent No. 5 is in contravention of the Transport Policy, 2025, framed by the Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, which has been brought on record as ‘Annexure P/1’ to the present petition.

3. Considering the issue so raised, the petitioner is granted liberty to approach respondent No. 2, namely, the Managing Director, Bihar State Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, by filing an appropriate representation in accordance with law.

4. In the event such representation is filed, respondent No. 2 shall consider and dispose of the same by passing a



reasoned and speaking order, in accordance with law, affording due opportunity of hearing to all the concerned stakeholders, within a period of fifteen (15) days from the date of filing of such representation.

5. Accordingly, the present application stands disposed of with the aforesaid liberty.

6. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(Sudhir Singh, J)

(Rajesh Kumar Verma, J)

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