

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.3550 of 2023

Manoj Kumar Son of Late Devendra Singh, Resident of Village/ Mohalla - Ward No. 11 Tola Asrahpur, Zero, Bihat, P.O. - Urvarak Nagar, P.S. - Barauni, Dist. - Begusarai. (Managing Partner Devi Darbar Hotel, Zero Mile, Bihat, P.S. Barauni, Dist. - Begusarai).

... .. Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Bihar Bihar through Principal Secretay, Health Department, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Health Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Joint Secretary, Health Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Joint Labor Commissioner, Bihar, Patna.
5. The District Magistrate Begusarai.
6. The Civil Surgeon cum Chief Medical Officer, Begusarai.
7. The District Panchyati Rajya Officer, Begusarai.
8. The Nodal Officer Covid - 19 Kosang Cell, Begusarai.

... .. Respondents

Appearance :

For the Petitioner : Mr. Nitya Nand Neeraj, Advocate
For the Respondents : Mr. Rajeshwar Pd. Singh, GA10

CORAM: HONOURABLE JUSTICE SMT. G. ANUPAMA CHAKRAVARTHY
ORAL ORDER

5 06-07-2026 1. Heard the Learned counsel for the petitioner as well as the Learned counsel for the respondents.

2. During the course of arguments, it is brought to the notice of this Court by the Learned Counsel for the respondents that a Three-Men Committee was constituted for fixation of the rent



payable for utilization of the petitioner's hotel as a Quarantine Centre during the lockdown period at the time of the COVID-19 pandemic. The said Three-Men Committee fixed the rent at Rs. 400/- per room. It is further submitted that the order of the Committee, annexed as Annexure-A to the counter affidavit dated 18.10.2022, has not been challenged by the petitioner.

3. At this juncture, the Learned Counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the present writ petition with liberty to challenge Annexure-A annexed to the counter affidavit. He further seeks liberty to produce all the relevant documents relating to the expenses incurred in running the Quarantine Centre during the COVID-19 pandemic.

4. Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case and the submission of Learned counsel for the petitioner as well the Learned counsel for the respondents, the petitioner is permitted to challenge the order of the Three-Men Committee i.e., Annexure-A to the counter



affidavit, along with all relevant documents.

5. With the above said liberty, the present
Writ petition is dismissed as withdrawn.

(G. Anupama Chakravarthy, J)

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