IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Letters Patent Appeal No.574 of 2023
In
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.3601 of 2021

CNR No. BRHC010347822023

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1. Bina Kumari W/O Chhotelal Ram R/o Vill. Arajpur, P.S Chausa, Dist. Madhepura.
2. Bibi Yakina W/O Md. Sattar, R/O Vill. and P.O. Aurai, P.S. Puraini, Dist. Madhepura.
3. Kumari Neelam D/o Ram Charitar Paswan R/o vill. Bashaitha Fulkia, P.S. Chausa, Dist. Madhepura.

... ... Appellant/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Director, Primary Education, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Bihar School Examination Board, Patna through its Secretary.
5. The Chairman, Bihar School Examination Board, Patna.
6. The Secretary, Bihar School Examination Board, Patna.
7. The State Council for Education Research and Training, Bihar Mahendru Patna through its Director.
8. The Director, State Council for Education Research and Training, Bihar Mahendru Patna.
9. The District Magistrate, Madhepura, Dist. Madhepura.
10. The District Magistrate, Khagaria, Dist. Khagaria.
11. The District Magistrate, Saharsa, Dist. Saharsa.
12. The District Education Officer, Madhepura, Dist. Madhepura.
13. The District Edcuation Officer, Khagaria, Dist. Khagaria.
14. The District Education Officer Saharsa, Dist. Saharsa.
15. The District Programme Officer, Establishment (Education), Madhepura, Dist. Madhepura.
16. The District Programme officer, Establishment (Education), Khagaria, Dist. Khagaria.
17. The District Programme Officer, Establishment (Education), Saharsa, Dist. Saharsa.

... ... Respondent/s

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Appearance :
For the Appellant/s : Mr.Shashi Bhushan Kumar, Adv.

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For the State : Mr. Bindhyachal Rai, AAG-15

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SOURENDRA PANDEY

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH)

3 28-10-2026 The present appeal has been filed by the appellants against the order dated 19.10.2022, passed in CWJC No. 3601 of 2021 and other analogous cases.

2. The learned counsel for the appellants fairly submits that the present appeal has been rendered infructuous during the interregnum period on account of passing of an order dated 28.07.2026 by the Hon'ble Apex Court in **SLP(C) No.25298 of 2023** (**Abdul Baqui Ansari and Ors vs. Union of India and Ors**) and other analogous cases inasmuch as such candidates who were in service on 31.03.2015, have been allowed time to acquire the D.El.ED qualification on or before 31.08.2028 and have been allowed to continue, so that they are given time to acquire the qualification on or before 31.08.2028, hence it is submitted that the present appeal be disposed of.

3. Accordingly, we deem it fit and proper to dispose of the present appeal while taking note of the aforesaid submissions advanced by the learned counsel for the appellants.

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4. Consequently, all the pending I.As also stand disposed of.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

(Sourendra Pandey, J)

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