IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Miscellaneous Jurisdiction Case No.1334 of 2020
In
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.15101 of 2019

CNR No. BRHC010492772020

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Dr. Arvind Kumar Sinha Son of late Bola Sinha Resident of Bada Jagannath,Pratap Nagar,P.O - Bhikhanapura,P.S - Ahiyapur, Dist- .Muzaffarpur, Pin Code- 842004.

... ... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. Sanjay Kumar, the Principal Secretary, Health Department, Bihar, Patna
2. Ashok Kumar Singh, The Director in chief Health Services, Bihar, Patna.
3. S. Sidharth, Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Bihar, Patna.
4. Rupam, In - Charge officer, Finance (personal Claims Redressal Cell) Department, Finance Department, Bihar, Patna.
5. Dr. Raj Ranjan Prasad, Registrar/ Superintendent, Darbhanga Medical College and Hospital Laheriasarai, Darbhanga.

... ... Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :
For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Dharmesh Kumar Shrivastava, Advocate
For the Opposite Party/s : Mr. Punam Kumar Singh, SC 6
Mr. Ritik Shah, AC to SC 6

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE GIRIJISH KUMAR

ORAL ORDER

12 28-10-2026 Heard learned counsel for the parties.

2. Learned counsel appearing for the opposite parties, at the outset, submits that the order under contempt has been fully complied with. He further refers to the show cause filed on behalf of the opposite party Nos. 1 and 2 and brought the attention of this Court to the order dated 23.03.2023 passed by the Additional Chief Secretary, Health Department, Government of Bihar (Annexure-1/A) and submits that it is clearly evident

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from the aforesaid order that the salary for the period of 07.03.21979 to 01.07.1980 and 09.08.1999 to 31.03.2018 has been paid to the petitioner and sanction has also been accorded for the pensionary benefits in favour of the petitioner. Moreover, leave encashment amount to the tune of Rs. 19,54,890/- has also been paid to the petitioner. Now nothing remains in the matter and, therefore, the contempt proceeding may be dropped.

3. On the other hand, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though payments have been made to the petitioner complying the order passed by the Writ Court, and the grievance of the petitioner has been redressed, but the payment of interest part on the delayed payment has not yet been made to the petitioner.

4. Taking note of the submission advanced on behalf of the respective parties, this Court deems it fit to drop the present contempt proceeding as the grievance of the petitioner has been redressed.

5. Accordingly, the present contempt application stands disposed of.

6. Needless to say that if the petitioner is still aggrieved by the order dated 23.03.2023 passed by the Additional Chief Secretary, Health Department, Government of Bihar, he would

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be at liberty to challenge it before the appropriate forum, if so advised.

(Girijish Kumar, J)

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