IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Letters Patent Appeal No.746 of 2022
In
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.2227 of 2021
CNR No. BRHC011091692022

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Archana Rani Wife of Sri Praveen Kumar, Resident of Village Parsauni Khem, Post Office Bara Chakia, Police Station- Chakia, District- East Champaran, at present resident of mohalla Chanakyapuri, Post Office Bara Chakia, Police Station -Chakia, District- East Champaran

... ... Appellant/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Principal Secretary, Human Resource Development Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Director, Primary Education, Bihar, Patna.
3. The District Magistrate, East Champaran at Motihari.
4. The District Education Officer, East Champaran
5. The District Programme Officer, Establishment, East Champaran
6. The Block Education Officer, Chakia Block, East Champaran
7. The Executive Officer-cum-Member Secretary, Employment Unit, Nagar Panchayat, Chakia, District East Champaran
8. The National Institute of Open Schooling through its Secretary, A-24-25, Institutional Area, Sector-62, Noida- 201309, Uttar Pradesh
9. The Director, National Institute of Open Schooling A-24-25, Institutional Area, Sector-62, Noida- 201309, Uttar Pradesh
10. The Deputy Director, Patna Branch, National Institute of Open Schooling, Lalit Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna

... ... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Appellant/s	:	Mr.Sanjeev Kumar Singh, Adv
For the State	:	Mr. Dr. Maurya Vijay Chandra, AAG-2 Mr. Gaurav Govinda, AC to AAG-2 Mr. Ritambhara, AC to AAG-2

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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)

2 28-10-2026 The present appeal has been filed against the judgment dated 19.10.2022, passed in CWJC No.2227 of 2021

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and other analogous cases.

2. At the outset, the learned counsel for the appellant 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 appellant.

4. Consequently, the pending interlocutory application also stands disposed of.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

(Sourendra Pandey, J)

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