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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 7871 of 2026

Sunita Netam W/o Kunjal Singh Netam Aged About 33 Years R/o - Village Mohantola, Development Block Bodla, Boda, Tehsil - Regakhar, District - Kabirdham (C.G.)

Petitioner(s)

Versus

1 - State Of Chhattisgarh Through Secretary, Department Of Women And Child Development, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Capital Complex, Naya Raipur, District - Raipur (C.G.)

2 - Collector District - Kabirdham (C.G.)

3 - District Project Officer Integrated Child Development Project, Kabirdham, District Kabirdham (C.G.)

4 - Project Officer Integrated Child Development Project Chilphi, District Kabirdham (C.G.)

5 - Chief Executive Officer District Panchayat Boda, District Kabirdham (C.G.).

6 - Secretary District Panchayat Boda, Janpad Panchayat - Bodla, District Kabirdham (C.G.).

7 - Jewanti Pancheshwar W/o Rajesh Pancheshwar Aged About 33 Years R/o - Village Mohantola, Boda, District - Kabirdham (C.G.)

Respondent(s)

(Cause-title taken from CIS)

For Petitioner(s)	**:**	Mr. Achyut Tiwari, Advocate
For Respondent(s)	**:**	Mr. Soumitra Kesharwani, PL

(HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE BIBHU DATTA GURU)

Order on Board

02/11/2026

1. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was appointed by the Gram Panchayat as an Anganwadi Worker at the Anganwadi Centre situated at Village Mohantola. While the petitioner was continuing on the said post, a recruitment process was initiated, pursuant to which respondent No. 7 came to be appointed as Anganwadi Worker at the said Anganwadi Centre vide select list dated 02.07.2024. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that respondent No. 7 has not joined the said post till date and the petitioner is still discharging her duties as Anganwadi Worker at the concerned Anganwadi Centre. It is further submitted that the petitioner has submitted a representation dated 07.09.2026 before respondent No. 4, requesting permission to continue as Anganwadi Worker at the said Anganwadi Centre. However, the said representation is still pending consideration and has not been decided till date.

2. Learned counsel for the State submits that, if the petitioner's representation is pending consideration, the same shall be considered and decided in accordance with law, after affording an opportunity of hearing to respondent No. 7, who was appointed pursuant to the select list dated 02.07.2024.

3. Considering the aforesaid submissions, the present petition is **disposed of** with a direction to respondent No. 4 to consider and decide the petitioner's pending representation dated 07.09.2026, in accordance with law, after affording an opportunity of hearing to respondent No. 7, within a period of fifty

days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. It is made clear that this Court has not expressed any opinion on the merits of the case.

Sd/-

(BIBHU DATTA GURU)
JUDGE

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