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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 8091 of 2026

Birendra Kumar Anant S/o Kamal Prasad Anant, Aged About 32 Years Posted As Assistant Director (Agriculture) At The Office Of Deputy Director (Agriculture), Rajnandgaon District Rajnandgaon (C.G.), R/o Village Bharewa Puran, Out Post Damapur, Police Station Pandariya, District -Kabirdham (C.G.)

... Petitioner(s)

versus

1 - State Of Chhattisgarh Through The Secretary, Department Of Agriculture Development And Farmers' Welfare And Biotechnology, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Nawa Raipur, Atal Nagar, District Raipur (C.G.)

2 - The Joint Secretary, Department Of Agriculture Development And Farmers' Welfare And Biotechnology, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Nawa Raipur, Atal Nagar, District Raipur Chhattisgarh

3 - Director, Directorate Of Agriculture, Indravati Bhawan, Atal Nagar, Nawa Raipur, District Raipur Chhattisgarh

... Respondent(s)

(Cause title taken from CIS)

For Petitioner(s)	:	Shri Chandrikaditya Pandey, Advocate
For Respondent(s)	:	Shri S.S. Baghel, Govt. Advocate

Hon’ble Shri Bibhu Datta Guru, Judge

Order on Board

05.11.2026

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is assailing the order of transfer dated 02.11.2026 passed by respondent no. 2, whereby the petitioner has been transferred from the Office of the Deputy Director (Agriculture), District Rajnandgaon, to the post of Assistant Soil Testing Officer, Surajpur. It is further submitted that the petitioner is suffering from 50% disability in his left lower limb and his wife is presently under medical supervision, being eight months pregnant. Learned counsel, therefore, prays that the petitioner's case may be considered by the committee constituted under the transfer policy, taking into consideration the medical condition of the petitioner as well as his wife.

2. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that, in terms of Clause 8 of the Transfer Policy, a committee has been constituted to consider the grievances of employees transferred under the said policy. It is further submitted that if

the petitioner submits a representation raising the aforesaid medical grounds, the same shall be considered in accordance with law and an appropriate decision shall be taken within a period of 25 days.

3. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the documents placed on record.

4. Having regard to the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, the petitioner is granted liberty to submit a representation before the competent authority/committee, raising all his grievances, particularly with regard to his medical condition and the medical condition of his wife, within a period of 10 days from today. In the event such representation is submitted within the stipulated period, the competent authority/committee shall consider and decide the same, in accordance with law and the applicable transfer policy, by passing a reasoned and speaking order within a further period of 25 days from the date of receipt of the representation.

5. In the meanwhile, the effect and operation of the impugned transfer order dated 02.11.2026 shall remain stayed till a decision is taken on the representation of the petitioner.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the writ petition stands disposed of.

Sd/-

(Bibhu Datta Guru)
JUDGE

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