

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.18907 of 2025

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Ritesh Kumar Pandey @ Ritesh Kumar S/o Late Sidheshwar Pandey,
Mohalla-Baba Nagar, Jaso P.S.- Buxar Muffassil, District-Buxar

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department Bihar, Patna.
2. The Director, Higher Education, Education Department Bihar, Patna.
3. Kameshwer Singh Darbhanga Sanskrit University, Kameshwar Nagar, Darbhanga through its Registrar.
4. The Vice Chancellor, Kameshwar Singh Darbhanga Sanskrit University, Kameshwar Nagar Darbhanga.
5. The Registrar, Kameshwar Singh Darbhanga Sanskrit University, Kameshwar Nagar, Darbhanga.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Manoj Kumar Manoj, Adv
For the Respondent/s : Mr. Abbas Haider, Standing Counsel 06

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK KUMAR SINHA
ORAL ORDER

2 24-11-2025 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, learned counsel for the University and learned counsel for the respondent-State.

2. With the consent of both the parties, this writ application is being disposed of at this stage itself.

3. In the present writ application, the petitioner has prayed for the grant of following reliefs:

(i) For issuance of appropriate writ/writs by commanding Respondents for consideration for appointment of Petitioner at class III post on compassionate ground by



Respondent University as already recommendations made by Compassionate appointment committee in it's meeting dt.- 25.02.2017 communicated to Respondent State by the Respondent No.-5 by letter dt.- 15.03.2017 (Annexure-P6 Series) but till date no appointment has been made which requires interference by this Hon'ble court, in the interest of justice.

4. After advancing some argument, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for the reliefs claimed for in the present writ application, the petitioner has already filed a representation dated 23.12.2024 before the Registrar, Kameshwar Singh Darbhanga Sanskrit University, Darbhanga, which is still pending. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that he would be satisfied if an appropriate direction be issued by this Court to the Registrar, Kameshwar Singh Darbhanga Sanskrit University, Darbhanga (respondent no. 5) to dispose of the representation of the petitioner on merit, after giving an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, within a fixed time frame by passing a reasoned and speaking order.

5. To the aforesaid prayer being made by learned counsel for the petitioner, learned counsels appearing for the University and State do not have any objection.

6. Considering the limited nature of prayer being



made by learned counsel for the petitioner, this writ application is disposed of directing the Registrar, Kameshwar Singh Darbhanga Sanskrit University, Darbhanga (respondent no. 5) to dispose of the representation filed by the petitioner dated 23.12.2024 on merit, after giving an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, by passing a reasoned and speaking order. The entire exercise must be completed by the respondent no. 5 within six months from the date of production of a copy of this order by the petitioner.

7. With the aforesaid observation/direction, this writ application is disposed of. All pending interlocutory application(s), if any, shall also be deemed to have been disposed of.

(Alok Kumar Sinha, J)

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