



## **HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR**

### **WPC No. 6526 of 2025**

Saraswati Mahila Swa-Sahayata Samuh Paraskol Registered Society Under Cooperative Societies Act, Through Its President Smt. Punimati Sonwani, W/o Shri Puniram Sowani, Aged About 60 Years, R/o Village Paraskol, Block Sarangarh, Distt. Sarangarh-Bilaigarh, Chhattisgarh.

**... Petitioner(s)**

**versus**

**1** - The State Of Chhattisgarh Through - The Secretary, Department Of Food Civil Supplies And Consumer Protection, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Nawa Raipur, Atal Nagar, Distt. Raipur, Chhattisgarh.

**2** - The Director Food Civil Supplies And Consumer Protection Department, Indrawati Bhawan, Nava Raipur, Atal Nagar, Distt. Raipur, Chhattisgarh.

**3** - The Collector Distt. Sarangarh-Bilaigarh, Chhattisgarh.

**4** - The Sub Division Officer (Revenue) Sarangarh, Distt. Sarangarh-Bilaigarh, Chhattisgarh.

**5** - Food Inspector Sarangarh, Distt. Sarangarh-Bilaigarh, Chhattisgarh.

**6** - Assistant Food Inspector Sarangarh, Block Sarangarh, Distt. Sarangarh-Bilaigarh, Chhattisgarh.

**7** - Jay Vaibhav Laxmi Mahila Swa Sahayata Samuh Borida Through Its President Smt. Jay Kumari Chouhan, W/o Kholbahara Chouhan, Aged About 40 Years, R/o Village Borida, Block Sarangarh, Distt. Sarangarh-Bilaigarh, Chhattisgarh.

**... Respondent(s)**

Order Sheet

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| 15/12/2025 | <p>Mr. Roop Ram Naik, counsel for the petitioner.</p> <p>Mr. Anurag Tripathi, Panel Lawyer for the State.</p> <p>Heard on admission.</p> <p>Mr. Anurag Tripathi, Panel Lawyer accepts notice for respondents No. 1 to 6/State. Hence, PF is not required to be paid for issuance of notice to respondents.</p> <p>Issue notice to respondent No.7 on payment of PF as per rules. Notice be made returnable in four weeks.</p> <p>Also heard on IA No.1, which is an application for grant of interim relief.</p> <p>Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to reply submitted to show cause notice, Sub Divisional Officer (R) has directed for re-inspection of Fair Price Shop run by petitioner. However, without waiting for report, order of suspension is passed based on earlier inspection report of the authority which is <i>per se</i> arbitrary.</p> <p>Learned counsel for the State submits that he may be granted short time to seek instructions and file reply to interim application also.</p> <p>On due consideration of submissions of learned counsel for respective parties as also proceeding recorded by Sub Divisional Officer (R) in Annexure P-4 dated 22.09.2025 and further that without waiting for re-inspection report, order of suspension is passed, purely as an interim measure, it is directed that effect and</p> |

operation of the order dated 21.11.2025 (Annexure P-1) shall remain stayed till the next date of hearing.

List this case in the month of **February 2026**.

Sd/-  
**(Parth Prateem Sahu)**  
Judge