

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI**

**[Civil Writ Jurisdiction]**

**W.P.(C) No. 1791 of 2010**

Dr. (Smt.) Shashi Lal ..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

Jharkhand State Housing Board & Ors. .... respondent(s)

With

**W.P.(C) No. 2099 of 2008**

Rajendra Ram ..... Petitioner(s)

Versus

The State of Jharhand & Ors. .... respondent(s)

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**CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KAILASH PRASAD DEO**

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For the Petitioner(s) : Mr. Ankit Kumar, Advocate [WP(C) 1791/2010]

Mr. Janak Kumar Mishra, Advocate [W.P.(C)2099 of 2008]

For the respondent(s)/State : Mr. Ashutosh Anand, AAG-III

Mr. Prakash Chandra Roy, S.C. (L&C)-I

For the Resp. /JSHB : Mr. Sachin Kumar, Advocate [In both the cases]

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**15/09.06.2022.**

Heard, learned counsel for the parties.

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It appears that this Court has directed the Principal Secretary, [Mrs. Vandana Dadel, W/o Sanjay I. Bara], Cabinet Secretariat and Vigilance Department, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi, to explain in day to day manner since the order was communicated to her on 22.03.2022, till the Department took a plea of preferring the Letters Patent Appeal, what happened in compliance of the order. If nothing has been complied and an application has been filed to recall the same, it amounts to stopping the Court from passing any order. The Department initially did not take any action regarding preferring an appeal when the period granted by this Court was going to expire, then in haste, L.P.A. was filed and the order was passed on 12.05.2022 regarding abeyance of part of the order.

As such, this Court directs the concerned officer to file show cause and explain the same in day to day manner as to why, for not acting upon the order in its letter and spirit till the stay order is passed by Hon'ble Division Bench in LPA, her conduct shows that she has no respect for Court's order, why the same shall not be entered into her service record before the Union of India.

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This Court is not passing any order as the Division Bench in LPA has kept the part of the order in abeyance. But, this shows that this officer, Mrs. Vandana Dadel, being the Principal Secretary, Cabinet Secretariat and Vigilance Department, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi has no control over the Vigilance

Department of Government of Jharkhand and she has no interest in keeping watch over the employees, as such, the Enforcement Directorate has recently conducted a raid in the house of senior bureaucrat, Mrs. Pooja Singhal in her house as well as house of her conduit and recovered about Rs.19 crores and odd. This shows the insufficiency of the officer which shall be dealt by this Court after disposal of the L.P.A.

**(Kailash Prasad Deo, J.)**

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