

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
W.P.(S) No. 2676 of 2022

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CORAM: **HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK ROSHAN**

For the Petitioner(s)	: Mr. R.N.Sahay, Sr. Adv Mr. Kirtivardahn, Adv Mr. Ritesh Singh, Adv
For the Respondent (s)	: Mr. Suresh Kumar, S.C.(L&C)II
For the A.G.	Mr. Sudarshan Srivastava, Adv

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17/07.05.2026

Order dated 17.04.2026 is extracted hereibelow:-.

“1. Having regard to the Statement made by learned counsel for the respondent-State that several times, the representative of State went to the residence of the petitioner, however, he could not be contacted and since the matter pertains to retiral benefits; accordingly, in the interest of justice, learned senior counsel for the petitioner shall inform the petitioner in person to be present before this Court on the next date of hearing.

2. List this case on 07.05.2026.”

2. Pursuant to the aforesaid order, the petitioner in person and the respondent no.6 are present.

3. The grievance of the petitioner is that he is not getting pension and other monetary benefits after retirement though he has retired in the year 2013.

4. Mr. Rajesh Kumar, Principal, Government Polytechnic College, Dhanbad, respondent no.6, who is present in person, submits that it is true that the petitioner has only received GIS and GPF. However, the matter has been held up due to the unavailability of the petitioner's last pay drawn record in the office. As a matter of fact, although the petitioner himself was the drawing and disbursing authority, he did not withdraw his salary from 2008 until his retirement, and this omission on the part of the petitioner has now become a hindrance in the settlement of his retiral dues.

5. Mr. Sudarshan Srivastava, representing the Office of the Accountant General, draws attention of this Court towards

several letters which have been written to the office of the State Government.

6. This Court is of the view that there are some communication gaps between the respective respondents and the petitioner. As such, in order to decide the *lis*, prima facie it is necessary that respondent no.6 and a representative of respondent no.2 should sit with the petitioner, along with Ld. Sr. counsel who is representing the petitioner, who will assist all of them.

Accordingly, as requested by Ld. Counsel for the parties, it is directed that all the stake holders shall meet on 14.05.2026 at the office of the Ld. Sr. Counsel for the Petitioner to rectify the mistakes which have occurred earlier. The purpose of the meeting shall be to remove the anomalies created due to the long pendency of this case and the prolonged non-payment of financial benefits, and to ensure completion of the requisite formalities.

7. After removal of anomalies and completion of the requisite formalities before the principal, the petitioner shall proceed to the office of respondent no.6. and Respondent no.6 shall assist the petitioner in uploading the documents, which is presently required under law.

8. Accordingly, on the next date of hearing, the developments shall be informed to this Court. List this case on 11.06.2026.

9. On the next date of hearing, the personal appearance of the petitioner as well as official respondents shall not be required.

(Deepak Roshan, J)

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