

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI  
**W.P.(S) No. 800 of 2017**

1. Shankar Mahto ,S/o Late Sadhu Mahto, Assistant Teacher, High School, Marcha, Marcha, Khunti
2. Narendra Kumar, S/o Late Ganga Ram, retired Assistant Teacher, High School, Marcha, Marcha, Khunti
3. Balbhadra Singh, S/o late Bahadur Singh, retired Assistant Teacher, High School, Marcha, Marcha, Khunti
4. Jagannath Mishra, S/o late Gopinath Mishra, retired Assistant Teacher, High School, Marcha, Marcha, Khunti
5. Abdul Razzaque, S/o late Muhammad Aadis, retired, Assistant Teacher, High School, Marcha, Marcha, Khunti

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Versus

1. The State of Jharkhand
2. The Principal Secretary, Department of School Education and Literacy, Govt. of Jharkhand, Ranchi
3. The Director, Secondary Education, Department of School Education and Literacy, Govt. of Jharkhand, Ranchi
4. The District Education Officer, Khunti
5. The Secretary/Headmaster, High School, Marcha, Marcha, Khunti

..   ...   ... Respondents

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**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DR. S. N. PATHAK**

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For Petitioners : Mr. Deepak Kr. Prasad, Advocate  
For Respondents : Mr. Rajiv Anand, Advocate

**04/ 31.07.2017 Heard the parties.**

2. The petitioners, in this writ application, have prayed for direction upon the respondent No. 4 to re-fix of their salary in the revised pay scale w.e.f. 01.01.1996 after quantifying the amount of interim relief and teaching allowance in view of letter No. 2728 dated 26.09.2007.

3. At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that this writ application may be disposed of in terms of order dated 05.01.2017, passed in W.P. (S) No. 5779 of 2016, by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Hon'ble Court.

4. Though no counter-affidavit has been filed by the respondents but learned counsel appearing on behalf of the State submits that the respondents have no objection if this writ petition is disposed of in view of the directions given in W.P.(S) No. 5779 of 2016.

5. In view of the fair submissions made by the learned counsel for the parties, this writ application is being disposed of in terms of the directions issued vide order dated 05.01.2017 passed in W.P.(S) No. 5779 of 2016 by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court.

6. Accordingly, the petitioners are directed to file a fresh representation before Respondent No. 4, District Education Officer, Khunti within a period of eight weeks from today. On receipt of such representation, said respondent No. 4 will decide the case of the petitioners within eight weeks from the date of the representation and will come to a conclusion whether the salary of the petitioners needs to be re-fixed or not. If a conclusion is arrived in favour of the petitioners, consequential order should be passed within a period of twelve weeks thereafter.

7. With the observation and direction, this writ application stands disposed of.

**(Dr. S.N. Pathak, J.)**

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