

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI  
Contempt Case (Civil) No. 411 of 2018**

Sunil Kumar Singh ... ... Petitioner

Versus

1. The State of Jharkhand
2. Mrs. Pooja Singhal, the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Co-operatives, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi
3. Mr. Ramesh Gholap, the Director, Department of Agriculture, Government of Jharkhand, Ranchi
4. Mr. Shashi Bhushan Agarwal, the Principal, Extension Training Centre, Ranchi ... ... Opposite Parties

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH SHANKAR**

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For the Petitioner : Mr. Prem Pujari Roy, Advocate  
For the Opp. Party Nos.2 to 4 : Mr. Priyadarshi, AC to GP-VI

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16/30.04.2024 The present contempt petition has been filed for initiating a contempt proceeding against the contemnors/opposite parties alleging wilful disobedience of order dated 05.02.2018 passed in W.P.(S) No. 1115 of 2007 and other analogous cases.

**2.** Mr. Priyadarshi, learned GP-VI appearing on behalf of the opposite party nos. 2 to 4, refers to paragraph nos. 6 and 7 of the supplementary show cause affidavit dated 22.04.2024 filed on behalf of the said opposite parties, which read as under:

**"6. That it is humbly stated that after the Hon'ble Court above-stated order dated 23.02.2024, the opposite parties have taken all immediate steps and a proposal has been prepared, on which legal opinion was obtained from the Law Department, Jharkhand, Ranchi. Subsequently, the approval of the Hon'ble Chief Minister was also obtained on the said proposal. Accordingly, the department has decided vide its office order no.-914 dated 08.04.2024 that payment of due salary arrears for the period from 29.12.2005 to 31.12.2014 i.e., Rs. 12,13,168/- (Twelve Lakhs Thirteen Thousand and one Hundred Sixty Eight) to the petitioner, who was posted on deputation basis at E.T.C., Hehal, Ranchi on the basis of the LPC (Last Pay Certificate) issued by the Bihar State**

