

Court No. - 2

Case :- PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION (PIL) No. - 348 of 2022

Petitioner :- Jyoti Rajpoot

Respondent :- State Of U.P. Thru. Prin. Secy. Deptt. Home Govt. Of U.P. Lko. And Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- In Person

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C., Namit Sharma

Hon'ble Rajesh Singh Chauhan, J.

Hon'ble Subhash Vidyarthi, J.

Vakalatnama filed by Sri Surendra Singh on behalf of Municipal Corporation, Lucknow, is taken on record.

Heard Ms. Jyoti Rajpoot, appears in person and Sri Rajesh Tiwari, the learned Additional Chief Standing Counsel.

By means of this Public Interest Litigation, the prayer has been made to the effect that for the destitute, mentally retarded persons, old aged person, persons suffering from permanent disabilities to whom there is no one to look after, any proper and effective policy be framed to protect and rehabilitate them. Some of them are beggars found near the railway station or at other public place, may be given proper treatment and shelter. In prayer - (A), three names have been indicated as Mahelata, Ramchandra, Ganga Ram and one lady whose name has not been disclosed. As the petitioner has approached those persons personally, found that those persons are in such a pathetic condition. The photographs of such persons have been enclosed as annexure no. 2 and annexure no. 4 is a representation being given by the petitioner to some authorities for redressal of their grievance. As per the petitioner, no appropriate action has been taken by the authorities and the condition of those persons is very critical.

However, Sri Rajesh Tiwari, the learned Additional Chief Standing Counsel has submitted that he has himself verified the aforesaid fact by calling upon the Probation Officer and the office bearers of one NGO namely "UMMID", who went to the said spot.

As per the instruction, except one person at Metro Station, no other person was present at any place. The person, who was present at Metro Station was not in a condition as indicated in the writ petition. However, the appropriate steps are taken by the authorities concerned time to time.

Therefore, in view of the above, we hereby **disposed of** this Public Interest Litigation with the expectation that the authorities shall continue to provide proper assistance to the actual needy persons as and when such facts come within their knowledge.

Order Date :- 10.6.2022

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(Subhash Vidyarthi,J.) (Rajesh Singh Chauhan,J.)