

BIHAR HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (BHRC)

9, Bailey Road, Patna

File No. BHRC/Comp. 7040/16

(Suo Motu Cognizance)

BHRC takes **Suo Motu** cognizance of news published in various national dailies (Patna edition) today regarding **death of a pregnant woman for want of dialysis at Gaya's Government hospital Anugrah Narayan Magadh Medical College & Hospital (ANMMCH) on Wednesday evening for refusal to accept Rs. 500 note by the dialysis centre.** Reportedly one Manju Devi, w/o Gora Manjhi, a daily wage earner in village Orma, P.S. Chakund, district Gaya had a '**renal shutdown**' after which she was prescribed **immediate dialysis** but the dialysis centre "B Braun Medical Pvt. Ltd., a Multi-National Firm employed by ANMMCH on PPP (Public-Private Partnership) Mode, refused to accept Rs. 500 note. The patient ultimately died for want of dialysis.

2. The news, if true, reflects a shocking neglect on the part of functionaries at the Government run premier hospital at Gaya.

3. Issue notices to the **District Magistrate, Gaya** and **Superintendent, ANMMCH, Gaya** to file a report to the Commission within a fortnight.

4. List on 20.12.2016.

Date: 25.11.2016

Asstt Registrar

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Member