

**BIHAR HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (BHRC)**

*9, Bailey Road, Patna*

**File No. BHRC/Comp. 6261/17**

**(Suo Motu Cognizance)**

**Case of Acid attack victim of Jehanabad:**

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12.10.2017

The Commission takes suo motu cognizance of the news item published in Hindi daily 'Hindustan', Patna edition, "Tezab pidita ki ankhon ki roshni chali gayi", carries the story of a lady who was attacked by acid by her own relatives. Partition suit was decided in her favour and she was attacked in the mid-night. The victim lost her eyesight and is not in a position to look after her young children.

The news story if true is a clear case of violation of human rights.

Commission directs, SP & DM, Jehanabad to investigate the matter and file report within one week by 20.10.2017.

List on 24.10.2017.

Copy of the order be faxed to SP and DM, Jehanabad along with copies of the newspaper cutting.

**(Justice Mandhata Singh)**  
***Acting Chairperson***