



## श्री फूल चन्द्र चौधरी

बिहार उच्चतम न्यायिक सेवा के एक पूर्व सदस्य, श्री चौधरी दिनांक-04.04.2022 से बिहार के राज्य सूचना आयुक्त के रूप में कार्यरत है।

इसके पूर्व माननीय, जिला एवं सत्र न्यायाधीश, भोजपुर, आरा एवं विधि सचिव-सह- विधि परामर्शी, विधि विभाग, बिहार सरकार के पद पर कार्यरत रह चुके है।



## **Prakash Kumar – State Information Commissioner**

Prakash Kumar has been a seasoned journalist and Senior Editor at ABP News, one of India's leading Hindi news channels. With a career spanning nearly three decades in the media industry, Kumar gained a reputation for his in-depth reporting, sharp analysis, and clear editorial leadership. He has covered a wide range of subjects, including politics and human interest and has been instrumental in shaping ABP News' editorial voice, ensuring it remains a trusted source of news for millions of viewers. Before joining ABP, he has also worked with ZEE News and ANI.

Kumar's journalistic style was marked by a commitment to fact-based reporting and a deep understanding of the socio-political landscape of Bihar. His expertise and on-ground reporting made him a familiar face in Indian households, particularly in the realm of political journalism. Over the years, he has also mentored many young journalists, contributing to the growth and evolution of journalism in India. Kumar was known for his ability to dissect and present intricate political scenarios in a clear and engaging manner. His commitment to journalistic integrity and truth-based reporting earned him widespread respect among both peers and the public. His credibility, coupled with his grasp of complex issues, positioned him as a key figure in Indian media especially Bihar and Jharkhand. He has covered several Lok Sabha and Vidhan Sabha Elections. He did an Exclusive and special coverage of Indian Airlines plane IC814 highjack at Kathmandu, Nepal in 1999. His coverage of Kosi floods in 2008 was much appreciated.

He was an accredited journalist Government of Bihar from 2003-2024, and Government of UP 2000-02, special invitee in Press Advisory Committee, Bihar Legislative Assembly and Bihar Legislative Council and Member, Bihar Patrakar Samman Yojana of IPRD, Bihar.

### **Awards and Recognitions**

Surendra Pratap Singh Patrakarita Samman, 2005

ENBA Awards - 2016, 2019, 2022 & 2024

Bagged Silver for the Best Breaking News Story at The Future Of News Afaqs awards, 2022

### **Education**

PG Diploma in Radio and TV Journalism from Indian Institute of Mass Communication, New Delhi