

Court No. - 21

Case :- WRIT - C No. - 37660 of 2023

Petitioner :- Ram Prakash Singh

Respondent :- Union Of India And 3 Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Surendra Kumar Tiwari

Counsel for Respondent :- A.S.G.I.,C.S.C.

Hon'ble Manoj Kumar Gupta,J.

Hon'ble Donadi Ramesh,J.

1. The petitioner has challenged award dated 21.08.2023 passed under the provisions of the National Highways Act, 1956.

2. By sub-section (6) of Section 3-G, the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 have been made applicable to every award given under the National Highways Act, 1956, therefore, the petitioner has remedy to challenge the award by filing objection under Section 34 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 read with Section 3-G(6) of the National Highways Act, 1956.

3. We, therefore, decline to examine the claim of the petitioner for payment of higher compensation in exercise of writ jurisdiction and leave it open to the petitioner to challenge the award if so advised as per the statutory scheme.

4. The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

Order Date :- 1.11.2023

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(Donadi Ramesh,J.) (Manoj Kumar Gupta,J.)