

Court No. - 18

Case :- MATTERS UNDER ARTICLE 227 No. - 5166 of 2023

Petitioner :- Mangala Devi

Respondent :- Learned Addl. Commissioner (Executive), Ayodhya Mandal, Ayodhya And 12 Others

Counsel for Petitioner :- Sukh Deo Singh, Paritosh Shukla

Counsel for Respondent :- C.S.C.

Hon'ble Saurabh Lavania, J.

Heard.

In view of order proposed to be passed, issuance of notice to the private-respondent(s) is hereby dispensed with.

By means of this petition, the petitioner seeks expeditious disposal of Appeal/Case No. 01571/2019 (Hanuman and Ors. Vs. Usha Devi and Ors.) filed under Section 331(3) of the U.P. Zamindari Abolition and Land Reforms Act, 1950 pending before the respondent No.1.

It is stated that as per Para 458(2) of the U.P. Revenue Court Manual, an appeal should be decided preferably within a period of six months, however, in the instant case, the appeal is pending since 2019. Prayer is to direct the respondent No.1 to decide the appeal expeditiously.

Learned State counsel submits that he has no objection in case an expedite order is passed.

Considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court is of the view that no fruitful purpose will be served in keeping this petition pending. Accordingly, this petition is **disposed of** with a direction to the respondent No.1- Learned Addl. Commissioner (Executive), Ayodhya Mandal, Ayodhya to consider and decide the Appeal/Case No.01571/2019, most expeditiously after affording full opportunity of hearing to the parties to the litigation and without granting any adjournment to either party preferably within a period of six months from the next date fixed in the case, if possible and if there is no other

legal impediment in this regard.

It is made clear that this Court has not examined the case of either party on merits and the Authority concerned shall be free to decide the matter strictly in accordance with law.

Order Date :- 12.10.2023/Mohit Singh/-