

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.13336 of 2015

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Shyam Nandan Prasad Singh S/o Late Kameshwar Singh, Resident of Village-
Kumharkol Buzurg, P.O.- Rampur Kumharkol, P.S.- Desri, District- Vaishali At
present Resident of - Prerna Kunj Apartment, R.P.S. More, S.K. PUram, Lane No.-
4, P.S.- Danapur Cantt., District- Patna.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The Union of India through its Secretary, Ministry of Steel, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
2. The Secretary, Ministry of Steel, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
3. The Steel Authority of India Ltd. through its Chairman & Managing Director, Ministry of Steel, New Delhi.
4. The Chairman & Managing Director, Steel Authority of India Ltd., Ministry of Steel, New Delhi.
5. The Chief Project Manager (Bihar & U.P.), Steel Processing Unit, Ispat Bhawan, Bokaro Steel Plant, Bokaro Steel City, Jharkhand.
6. The D.G.P. (P), Steel Processing Unit, Ispat Bhawan, Bokaro Steel Plant, Bokaro Steel City, Jharkhand.
7. Shri Ashok Kumar Singh S/o Late Shyam Sunder Singh, Resident of village-
Rampur Kumharkol, P.S.- Desri, O.P.- Sahdi Buzurg, District- Vaishali

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : None
For the Respondent/s : Mr. S. D. Sanjay, A.S. G.
Mr. A. B. Mathur, C.G.C.
For the SAIL : Dr. Ratan Kumar, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

And

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SINGH

ORAL JUDGMENT

(Per: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE)

Date: 21-12-2016

The present petition in public interest is for a direction
to the respondents to return the land measuring 50 acres 69 decimals to
the original owners or their legal heirs acquired by Steel Authority of
India for the purposes of establishment of Steel Processing Unit in



Block-Sahdei Buzurg, Mahnar, District-Vaishali, Bihar.

A perusal of the petition shows that the farmers have sold their lands vide sale deed dated 02.06.2008 for a total consideration of Rs.1,99,72,000/- through respondent no.7 on the basis of power of attorney. Once the land has been sold by the farmers, right to dispute such sale, if any, will vest with the farmers and not in public interest litigation.

Consequently, we do not find any merit in the present writ petition. The same is dismissed.

(Hemant Gupta, ACJ)

(Dinesh Kumar Singh, J)

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