

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.14327 of 2014

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1. Pushp Ranjan Kumar son of Late Sital Ray resident of village -
Ganeshpur, P.S. Purani, District - Madhepura

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Water Resources
Department, Government of Bihar, Patna
2. The Director, Land Acquisition and Rehabilitation, Water Resources
Department, Government of Bihar, Patna
3. The District Magistrate, Saharsa
4. The District Magistrate, Madhepura
5. The Special Land Acquisition officer, Koshi Yojana, Saharsa
6. The Special Land Acquisition officer, Koshi Yojana, Purnea
7. The Executive Engineer, Water Resources Department, Madhepura

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Ravindra Nath Dubey

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Aag13- A.K.Choudhary

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HEMANT KUMAR
SRIVASTAVA**
ORAL ORDER

2 12-09-2017 Heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as
learned counsel for the respondents.

The lands of Khata No. 1179 containing to plot no.
3750, 3848, 3848, 3845 and 3848 of village puranee were acquired
by the respondents for construction of drainage but no
compensation was paid to the petitioner.

However, in counter affidavit filed on behalf of the
respondents, it has specifically been pleaded that acquisition
proceeding by which the above stated lands were acquired had
already been lapsed after coming into force of new Land



Acquisition Act and moreover, it has specifically been pleaded in the counter affidavit that the State does not want to acquire the lands in question at present.

Since it has been admitted by the respondents that the previous acquisition proceeding has already been lapsed and presently, there is no need of acquisition of lands in question, in my view, this writ petition does not have any merit and accordingly, this writ petition stands disposed of.

(Hemant Kumar Srivastava, J)

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