

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA**

**Miscellaneous Jurisdiction Case No.1248 of 1997**

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| 1. Shrimati Laxmi Debi, wife of Late Shri Vijoy Nandan Prasad Choudhary                                                                                       |                        |
| 2. Jugal Kishore Prasad Choudhary, son of Late Shri Vijoy Nandan Prasad Choudhary                                                                             |                        |
| 3. Braj Kishore Choudhary @ Shyam son of Late Shri Vijoy Nandan Prasad Choudhary. 1 to 3, resident of Mohalla-Thakurbari Road, P.S.-Kadamkuan, District-Patna | .... .... Petitioner/s |
| Versus                                                                                                                                                        |                        |
| 1. The State of Bihar                                                                                                                                         |                        |
| 2. Munsif III, Civil Court, Patna, at present resided over by Shri Jagmohan Prasad Sharma                                                                     | .... .... Respondent/s |

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**Appearance :**

For the Petitioner/s : None  
For the Respondent/s :

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE**  
**ORAL JUDGMENT**

**Date: 01-11-2017**

This application has been filed for initiating action for contempt on 30<sup>th</sup> of April, 1997 i.e. more than 20 years back and till date even notices have not been issued and when the matter is taken up today, none appears.

Now, for violation of an order passed on 02.04.1997, after a period of 20 years, I see no reason to initiate action for contempt. In case, any grievance still subsists to the petitioner, he shall have liberty to assail the same afresh, in accordance with law.



With the aforesaid, the application stands dismissed.

**(Rajendra Menon, CJ)**

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