

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.18021 of 2015

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1. Luxmi Devi, Wife of late Jinedran Singh
2. Gaurav Kumar, Son of late Jitendra Singh Both are resident of Pirpainty Bazar, P.S. Pirpainty, District - Bhagalpur.

.... Petitioners

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Chief Secretary, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Revenue and Land Reforms Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Director, Land Acquisition, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
4. The Commissioner Bhagalpur Division, Bhagalpur.
5. The District Magistrate, Bhagalpur.
6. The Sub Divisional Officer, Pirpainty, District - Bhagalpur.
7. The Circle Officer, Pirpainty, District - Bhagalpur.
8. The Block Development Officer, Pirpainty, District - Bhagalpur.
9. The District Land Acquisition Officer, Bhagalpur.

.... Respondents

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Swapnil Kumar Singh, Adv.
For the State : Mr. Sanjeet Kr. Singh, AC to AAG-6

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HEMANT KUMAR SRIVASTAVA
ORAL ORDER

2 07-03-2017 This matter has been listed out of turn on the basis of mentioning slip filed on behalf of the petitioners.

Heard the parties.

The grievance of the petitioners is that their land was acquired along with lands of other persons but they were paid less compensation in comparison to others and to enhance the compensation, they filed representation before the District Land Acquisition Officer, Bhagalpur but up till now, no order was passed on the representation petition.



Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that in CWJC No. 17477 of 2015, this Court directed the District Land Acquisition Officer, Bhagalpur to dispose of the representation of the petitioner of that case and the case of these petitioners is of similar nature and, therefore, this matter may be disposed of giving direction to respondent no. 9 (District Land Acquisition Officer, Bhagalpur) to dispose of the representation filed on behalf of the petitioners in accordance with law within a certain period of time.

In view of the aforesaid submission, this writ petition stands disposed of giving direction to respondent no. 9 (District Land Acquisition Officer, Bhagalpur) to dispose of the representation of the petitioners in accordance with law within four weeks from the date of receipt/production of copy of this order. However, it is made clear that if the representation filed on behalf of the petitioners is found missing, the petitioners may file fresh representation before the respondent no. 9 within two weeks from the date of receipt/production of copy of this order.

(Hemant Kumar Srivastava, J)

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