

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.3147 of 2017

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1. Ambika Devi, wife of Late Madhu Kant Choudhary, Resident of Village Basuki Bihari, P.O. - Basuki Bihar, P.S. and Anchal Madhwapur, District - Madhubani.

.... Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Secretary of Revenue and Land Reforms Department, Old Secretariat, Patna.
2. The Director, Land Acquisition, Directorate of Land Acquisition, Ministry of Revenue and Land Reforms, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Collector, Madhubani.
4. The Land Acquisition Officer, Madhubani.
5. The Circle Officer, Madhwapur, District Madhubani.

.... Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Mukesh Kumar

For the Respondent/s : Mr. MD KHURSHID ALAM-AAG12

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BIRENDRA KUMAR

ORAL JUDGMENT

Date: 23-08-2018

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The petitioner is not satisfied with the amount of compensation awarded for his land acquired by the respondent-authorities.

Submission is that the petitioner has received the compensation amount decided on protest. In the circumstances, the petitioner would not be debarred from making application under Section 64 of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 (in short



the “Act”) for reference of the matter to the authority in view of the provisions of Section 77 of the Act.

Since the petitioner has got statutory remedy, this Court in exercise of writ jurisdiction is not inclined to grant relief as claimed. Hence, this writ application stands disposed of with liberty to the petitioner to approach the statutory authority under the Act.

(Birendra Kumar, J)

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