

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.20324 of 2019

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Dinesh Kumar Devnath, Aged about 33 years, Male, Son of late Nakul Devnath, Resident of Ward No. 4, Hamira, P.O. Parsauni Fram, P.S. Chautarwa, District West Champaran.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Collector, West Champaran.
2. The Collector, West Champaran at Bettiah.
3. The District Rehabilitation Officer, West Champaran at Bettiah.
4. The Incharge Officer, District Rehabilitation Officer-cum-Land Reforms Deputy Collector, Bettiah, West Champaran.
5. The Circle Officer, Bagaha-1, District West Champaran.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ajay Kumar
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Raj Kishore Roy (Gp18)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PRABHAT KUMAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 17-10-2019 Heard both sides.

The petitioner seeks direction to the Circle Officer, Bagaha-1, District West Champaran to correct the Jamabandi on the basis of the letter issued by the District Rehabilitation Officer, West Champaran by which the father of the petitioner, Nakul Devnath was allotted certain lands and his name was mutated but some lands allotted to the father of the petitioner was later on acquired for construction of canal for the purpose of irrigation and instead of acquisition of the lands allotted to the father of the petitioner, some other lands were allotted to the father of the petitioner. The petitioner filed petition before the



District Rehabilitation Officer. The District Rehabilitation Officer by Letter No.55, dated 01.11.2009 informed the Circle Officer to look into the matter and pass necessary order but even after lapse of more than ten years, the Circle Officer, Bagaha-1 did not pass any order on the petition of the petitioner. The petitioner also filed petition on 15.07.2019 (Annexure-4).

Learned counsel for the State submits that the Circle Officer can be directed to pass order in accordance with law on the petition (Annexure-4) of the petitioner.

Having considered the facts, I dispose of this writ petition with direction to the Circle Officer, Bagaha-1, West Champaran to pass order in accordance with law on the petition of the petitioner within four months from the date of receipt of this order.

Accordingly, the writ petition stands disposed of with the aforesaid direction.

(Prabhat Kumar Jha, J)

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