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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**WPC No. 171 of 2019**

1. Ayodhya Prasad Sahu S/o Siddha Ram Sahu Aged About 70 Years
2. Bahoran Lal Sahu S/o Siddha Ram Sahu Aged About 65 Years
3. Sahoran Sahu S/o Siddha Ram Sahu Aged About 50 Years

All are R/o Village Taroud, Tahsil Akaltara, District- Janjgir-Champa, Chhattisgarh.

---- **Petitioners**

Versus

1. State Of Chhattisgarh Through- Secretary Department Of Revenue, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, New Raipur, District- Raipur, Chhattisgarh.
2. Collector District- Janjgir-Champa, Chhattisgarh.
3. Sub- Divisional Officer (Revenue)-Cum-Competent Authority National Highway No. 200 (New No. 49) Champa, District- Janjgir-Champa, Chhattisgarh.

---- **Respondent**

For Petitioners

Shri Govind Dewangan, Advocate

For Respondent/State

Shri Avinash Singh, Panel Lawyer

Order On Board**By****Hon'ble Shri Justice Goutam Bharduri****28/01/2019**

1. The petitioners would submit that compensation has been assessed by the SDO (Revenue), Champa on account of

acquisition of their land for construction of Bilaspur – Urdawal National Highway and bypass road on NH No.200/49 and the petitioners were informed on 24.08.2016 (Annexure-P-3) to receive the amount of compensation. However, according to the petitioners' counsel, the amount has not yet been paid despite several visits to the Office of the Land Acquisition Officer.

2. Considering the entire facts situation of the case, the writ petition is disposed of with direction that in the event, the amount has not yet been disbursed to the petitioners and they are lawfully entitled to receive the said amount of compensation, the SDO (Revenue), Janjgir-Champa shall disburse the amount of compensation to the petitioners within a period of one month from the date of submission of representation along with certified copy of this order. The petitioners' entitlement to interest on the awarded amount is left open to be determined as and when the petitioners make such prayer and prefer fresh writ petition for which liberty is reserved in their favour.
3. The writ petition is disposed of.

Sd/-

(Goutam Bhaduri)
Judge

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