

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.4007 of 2022

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1. Harihar Prasad Son of Late Dwarika Prasad, resident of Village - Misrauliya, P.S. Majhagarh, District - Gopalganj.
 2. Harishankar Prasad, Son of Late Dwarika Prasad, resident of Village - Misrauliya, P.S. Majhagarh, District - Gopalganj.
 3. Raju Prasad, Son of Late Dwarika Prasad, resident of Village - Misrauliya, P.S. Majhagarh, District - Gopalganj.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Revenue and Land Reforms Department, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate-cum-Collector, Collectorate Building, District - Gopalganj.
3. The Additional District Magistrate-cum-Additional Collector, Collectorate Building, District - Gopalganj.
4. The Sub Divisional Officer, District - Gopalganj.
5. The Block Development Officer, Block- Majha, District - Gopalganj.
6. The Circle Officer, Majhagarh Circle, District - Gopalganj.
7. Shivji Mahto Son of Late Bhola Mahto, resident of Village - Misrauliya, P.S. - Majhagarh, District - Gopalganj.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Ashhar Mustafa, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Raj Kishore Roy (GP18)

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 13-10-2022 The present writ petition has been filed for directing the respondent no. 3 i.e. the Additional District Magistrate-cum-Additional Collector, Gopalganj to expeditiously dispose off the pending appeal bearing Miscellaneous Appeal no. 3 of 2018-19, preferred by the private respondent no. 7.

The learned counsel for the respondent- State submits that in case, any appeal is pending, it is incumbent upon the



respondent- authorities to consider the same in accordance with law and dispose of the same, hence, the respondent no. 3 shall definitely dispose of the aforesaid pending appeal, within a stipulated time frame.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, I deem it fit and appropriate to dispose off the present writ petition with a direction to the respondent no. 3 to dispose off the pending appeal, within a period of 12 weeks of receipt/ production of a copy of this order, by passing a reasoned and a speaking order, in accordance with law, after hearing the appellant and the affected parties.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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