

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.9281 of 2021

1. Manoj Kumar Sharma Son of Late Radhe Raman Singh resident of Village- Lodipur, Police Station- Muffasil in the district of Gaya.
2. Satyendra Sharma Son of Late Ramdev Sharma resident of Village- Bhori, Police Station- Tekari in the district of Gaya.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principle Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Principal Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. The Divisional Commissioner, Magadh Division, Gaya.
4. The District Magistrate-cum- Collector, Gaya.
5. The District Panchayat Raj Officer, Gaya.
6. The District Certificate Officer, Gaya.
7. The Block Development Officer, Manpur in the district of Gaya.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Sunil Kumar, Advocate
For the Respondent/s :

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA)

2 04-02-2022 The matter has been heard *via* video conferencing.

At the outset, counsel for the petitioners has apprised the Court that he has filed objection under Section 9 of the Bihar and Orissa Public Demands Recovery Act, 1914 (hereinafter referred to as the 'Act'). However, no decision has been taken thereon. Admittedly, the authority has the power under Section 10 of the Act to pass orders on the objection filed under Section



9 of the Act.

We thus dispose off this writ petition with the observation that the authority shall not delay the proceedings any further and it shall dispose off the objection filed under Section 9 of the Act at the earliest by passing a reasoned/speaking order.

(Rajan Gupta, J)

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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