

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.2510 of 2017

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Phulena Ram son of Late Rudal Ram resident of Village - Rampurwa, P.S. - Harsidhi, District - East Champaran Bihar.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar.
2. The Collector of the District East Champaran, Motihari.
3. The Sub-Divisional Officer, Areraj Sub Division, District - East Champaran.
4. Circle Officer, Harsidhi, District - East Champaran.
5. Kari Mahto
6. Bhardula Mahto
Both sons of Late Chandan Mahto
Both residents of Village - Rampurwa, P.S. - Harsidhi, District - East Champaran Bihar.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Umesh Tiwari, Advocate
For the State	:	Mr.Dhurjati Prasad, GP-14

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 11-04-2023 The present writ petition has been filed
seeking the following relief:-

*“That this is an application for
issuance of a Writ in the nature of
Mandamus, commanding the
Respondent Nos.1 to 4 to remove the
encroachment made over public land of
Khata No.187, Plot No.884 by
Respondent Nos.5 and 6, which is public
road and used by general public of
locality on amongst others.”*

At the outset, the learned counsel for the



respondent-State has submitted, by referring to the counter affidavit, filed in the present case that the Circle Officer, Harsidhi, East Champaran has already initiated encroachment proceedings vide Encroachment Case No.19 of 2017-18, wherein the encroachers have appeared and filed their objections, which are being examined, hence, the proceedings of the aforesaid encroachment case would definitely be taken to its logical conclusion, within a fixed time frame.

Accordingly, the writ petition stands disposed off with a direction to the Circle Officer, Harsidhi, East Champaran to conclude the proceedings of the aforesaid Encroachment Case No.19 of 2017-18 by passing the final order under Section 6(1) of the Bihar Public Land Encroachment Act, 1956, in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from today.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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