

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.18471 of 2022

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Bhagwat Pathak Son of Late Lakhi Pathak Resident of Village- Tajpur
Pathkauliya, P.O. and P.S. and Circle- Keshariya, District- East Champaran at
Motihari.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Secretary, Revenue and Land Reforms
Department, Government of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate cum Collector, District- East Champaran at
Motihari.
3. The Sub Divisional Officer, Sub-Division- Chakia, District- East Champaran
at Motihari.
4. The Circle Officer, Circle- Keshariya, District- East Champaran at Motihari.
5. The Executive Engineer (R.E.O.) Division Chakia, District- East Champaran
at Motihari.
6. The Sub- Divisional Officer (R.E.O) Sub Division and Division Chakia,
District- East Champaran at Motihari.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s : Mr.Upendra Kumar Chaubey, Advocate
For the Respondent/s : Mr.Md. Khurshid Alam (AAG-12)

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 03-07-2023 At the outset, the learned counsel for the

petitioner seeks liberty on behalf of the petitioner
to challenge the order dated 01.10.2021 passed by
the Circle Officer, Keshariya, District-East
Champaran in connection with Encroachment Case
No. 7 of 2020-21 by filing appropriate appeal under
Section 11 of the Bihar Public Land Encroachment
Act, 1956. Liberty so sought is granted.

It is needless to state that in case



appropriate appeal is filed within a period of four weeks from today, the same shall be heard on merits by the appellate authority, without being impeded by the issue of limitation and a reasoned and a speaking order shall be passed thereon, in accordance with law, within a period of eight weeks, thereafter and till then status quo existing as on today qua the house of the petitioner in question shall be maintained.

The writ petition stands disposed off on the aforesaid terms.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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