

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.1009 of 2023

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Devnath Singh aged about 48 years male son of Late Awadh Kishore Singh
resident of Village- Alapur, P.S.- Pachrukhi, District- Siwan.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through its Principal Secretary, Department of Revenue and Land Reforms Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The District Magistrate, Siwan.
3. The Additional Collector, Siwan.
4. The Deputy Collector Land Reforms Siwan.
5. Sub- Divisional Magistrate, Siwan.
6. The Circle Officer Pachrukhi District- Siwan.
7. Ranjit Kumar Singh son of late Ram Dareshy Singh, resident of Village Alapur, P.O. and P.S.- Pachrukhi, Dist- Siwan.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Yogesh Chandra Verma, Sr. Advocate
		Ms. Kumari Anupam, Advocate
For the Respondent-state:		Mr. Atul Shankar, A.C. to SC-19
Fro Respondent No. 7	:	Mr. Chandan Kumar, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MOHIT KUMAR SHAH
ORAL ORDER

2 24-02-2023 Though the present petition has been filed for quashing the proceedings of the Encroachment Case No. 19/2019-20/20/2019-20, but, at the outset, the learned senior counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has filed an appeal against the final order passed by the Circle Officer, Pachrukhi, Siwan in the aforesaid encroachment cases, bearing Appeal No. 66/2022-23, which is pending adjudication before the learned District Magistrate, Siwan, hence the same be directed to be disposed off expeditiously.



The learned counsel for the respondent-State submits that the aforesaid appeal would be decided forthwith in case the same has not already been decided.

Having regard to the short prayer made by the petitioner in the present petition, I deem it fit and proper to dispose off the present petition with a direction to the District Magistrate, Siwan to consider the aforesaid appeal filed by the petitioner bearing Appeal No. 66/2022-23 and dispose off the same by a reasoned and a speaking order in accordance with law within a period of six weeks of receipt/production of a copy of this order and till passing of the final order, status quo existing as on today qua the land/house of the petitioner in question shall be maintained.

The present writ petition stands disposed off on the aforesaid terms.

(Mohit Kumar Shah, J)

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