

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Miscellaneous Jurisdiction Case No.57 of 2023

In
Letters Patent Appeal No.98 of 2004

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Sri Satish Singh @ Satish Kumar Singh Son of Late Himmat Singh Resident
of C/o Mount Everest Financial Corporation, Kankarbagh, Patna.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. Dr. Subas Chandra Pani, Union of India through the Secretary, Relief, Rehabilitation and Settlement, Govt. of India, New Delhi- 11.
2. Sri Sanjay Kumar Agarwal, the State of Bihar, through Secretary, Relief and Rehabilitation, Government of Bihar, Patna.
3. G.P.S. Sahi, the Deputy Custodian General, Evacuee property Jaisalmer House, New Delhi- 11.
4. D.N. Asija, the Chief Settlement Commissioner, Under displaced persons (C and R) Act, 1954, Govt. of India, Relief and Rehabilitation Department, New Delhi.
5. Sri Chaitanya Prasad, the Assistant Custodian, Evacuee property, Bihar, Patna.
6. Sri Harish Singh, Son of Late Himmat Singh Resident of C/o. Mount Everest Financial Corporation, Kankarbagh, Patna.
7. Shakara Khatoon, W/o Late Md. Abbas Ahmad Resident of Mohalla- Dargah Sharif, P.O. and P.S.- Hilsa, District- Nalanda.
8. Md. Afroz Alam, S/o Late Md. Abbas Ahmad Resident of Mohalla- Dargah Sharif, P.O. and P.S.- Hilsa, District- Nalanda.
9. Sahina Khatoon, D/o Late Md. Abbas Ahmad Resident of Mohalla- Dargah Sharif, P.O. and P.S.- Hilsa, District- Nalanda.
10. Phukaran Ahmad, S/o Late Md. Ilyas Resident of Mohalla- Dargah Sharif, P.O. and P.S.- Hilsa, District- Nalanda.
11. Md. Sohrab Alam, S/o Late Md. Sharif Ahmad Resident of Mohalla- Dargah Sharif, P.O. and P.S.- Hilsa, District- Nalanda.

... .. Opposite Party/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Ajay Kr Singh No.1, Advocate
For the UOI	:	Mr. Kumar Priya Ranjan, CGC
		Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Advocate

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. B. BAJANTHRI
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESH CHAND MALVIYA
ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE P. B. BAJANTHRI)



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The present MJC (contempt petition) is filed for non-compliance of order passed in L.P.A. No. 98 of 2004 dated 28.03.2010, in the year 2023.

2. There is highly belated latches on the part of the petitioner in filing the present M.J.C. (contempt petition) against the order dated 28.03.2010 passed in L.P.A. No.98 of 2004 in the year 2023 and it is in contrary to Section 20 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971. Co-ordinate Bench has passed a detailed order in the case of ***Dr. Rajesh Kumar Sinha & Ors. Vs. The Union of India & Ors.*** bearing ***MJC No. 1840 of 2023 in C.W.J.C. No.13888 of 2016*** in respect of maintainability of contempt petition. Hence, the present case is squarely covered by the aforementioned case.

3. Accordingly, the present M.J.C. No.57 of 2023 stands dismissed, on the ground of delay and latches.

(P. B. Bajanthri, J)

(Ramesh Chand Malviya, J)

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