

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.16556 of 2018

Binod Singh @ Binod Kumar Singh Son of Late Mohan Prasad Singh,
resident of Village Bheria, P.O.- Kanbehri, P.S.- Aurangabad Mufassil and
District- Aurangabad.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State Of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Department of Land Reforms and Revenue, Government of Bihar, Patna (Bihar).
2. The District Magistrate, Aurangabad.
3. The Additional Collector Cum Arbitrator, Aurangabad.
4. The Deputy Collector Land Reform, Cum the Competent Authority, Aurangabad.
5. The Chief General Manager National High Way II, Aurangabad.
6. The Project Director, P.I.U., N.H.A.I., Varanasi.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr. Anirudh Kumar Verma, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. Manoj Kumar Sinha, AC to SC-19
For the NHAI	:	Dr. Anand Kumar, Advocate
		Mr. Rajan Prakash, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HARISH KUMAR
ORAL ORDER

2 08-08-2024 Heard the parties.

2. The petitioner is aggrieved by the award dated 30.05.2018 passed in Land Acquisition Case No. 2(XXIV)/2014-15 under Section 3(G) of the National Highway Act, 1956.

3. After some argument, learned Advocate for the petitioner fairly submits that the petitioner has the statutory remedy before the arbitrator, as notified by the Central Government and, as such, he seeks permission to file a proper



arbitration case before the Divisional Commissioner, Gaya, who has been notified as an arbitrator under the National Highway Act, 1956.

4. A counter affidavit has been filed and similar plea has been taken therein.

5. In view of the fair submission, the writ petition stands disposed of with a liberty to the petitioner to approach before the arbitrator by filing an appropriate application, preferably within a period of four weeks, from today. If such an application is filed, the learned arbitrator shall take up the matter and dispose of the same expeditiously.

(Harish Kumar, J)

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