

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.2004 of 2025

1. Ranjeet Kumar, son of Rajnandan Thakur, Resident of Village-Modanganj, Jehanabad, P.S-Ghoshi, District - Jehanabad, Bihar-804432.
2. Hira Kumar, son of Surendra Saw, Resident of Village-Modanganj, P.O.- Ghoshi, Julfipur, P.S-Ghoshi, District - Jehanabad, Bihar-804432.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through the Principal Secretary, Panchayati Raj Department, Government of Bihar, Patna
2. The District Magistrate, Jehanabad.
3. The Deputy Development Commissioner Cum Chief Executive Officer Jila Parishad, Jehanabad.
4. The Senior Incharge Officer, Modanganj, Block Cum Senior Deputy Collector, Jehanabad.
5. The District Panchayat Raj Officer, Jehanabad.
6. The Block Development Officer, Modanganj, District-Jehanabad.
7. The Circle Officer, Modanganj, District- Jehanabad.
8. The Mukhiya Gram Panchayat Govindpur, Block- Modanganj, District- Jehanabad.

... .. Respondent/s

Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Ms. Shrishti Singh, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr. P.K.Shahi, Advocate General
		Mr. Vikas Kumar, A.C. to A.G.

CORAM: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE
and
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY
ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE)

3 02-05-2025 The present petition in public interest has been

filed for seeking a direction to the respondents

restraining them from shifting the construction of

Panchayat Sarkar Bhawan from one site to another, which



site had earlier been selected in the year 2021 in the headquarter village of the Panchayat.

2. It appears from the records that the Headquarter village was Modanganj where the land which was selected actually is located in the middle of the village where the access of larger vehicles would not have been possible.

3. The other ground was that the land so selected was shown as '*dagar*' i.e. road and, therefore, the selection was not proper. Later, another site was selected for construction of the Panchayat Sarkar Bhawan at Govindpur which is a revenue village of Modanganj. In fact, the area is referred to as Modanganj-Govindpur. The site of the construction is on a plot which falls in Mauza Govindpur which is part of the revenue villages of Modanganj Panchayat.

4. This Court has also been informed that the construction of the Panchayat Sarkar Bhawan is at the advanced stage of construction.



5. Considering these two aspects of the matter,
we refrain ourselves from going any further in this matter
and dismiss this petition.

(Ashutosh Kumar, ACJ)

(Partha Sarthy, J)

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