

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No. 859 of 2025

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Ram Naresh Prasad, son of Late Durga Sah, resident of village- Gurmha, P.S-
Uchka Gaon, Dist-Gopalganj.

... .. Petitioner/s

Versus

1. The State of Bihar through Addl. Chief Secretary, Revenue and Land Reform Deptt., Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
2. The Director, Revenue and Land Reforms Deptt., Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
3. The District Magistrate, Gopalganj.
4. The Sub Divisional officer, Hathua, Dist- Gopalganj.
5. The Circle Officer, Uchkagaon, Dist- Gopalganj.
6. Arjun Bind, son of Late Gopal Bind resident of village Gurmha, P.S.- Uchka Gaon, Distt- Gopalganj.
7. Raj Kishore Bind son of Late Hari Bind resident of village Gurmha, P.S.- Uchka Gaon, Distt- Gopalganj.
8. Narad Sah son of Jugeshwar Sah resident of village Gurmha, P.S.- Uchka Gaon, Distt- Gopalganj.

... .. Respondent/s

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Appearance :

For the Petitioner/s	:	Mr.Binod Kumar Sinha, Advocate
For the Respondent/s	:	Mr.Standing Counsel (12)
		Mr. Kamlesh Kishore, AC to SC-12

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CORAM: HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE RANJAN KUMAR JHA
ORAL ORDER

2 10-07-2026 Heard learned counsel for the parties.

“(i) That this writ application is being
filed for issuance of writ in the nature of
Mandamus Commanding the Respondents to
remove illegal encroachment from the Public
Road situated at village- Gurmha Thana No.
832, Khata No. 118 Area 1.5 Dec Dist-
Gopalganj encroached by Respondent No. 6 to 8
and any other appropriate writ order save and
except in accordance with law.”



2. In the course of arguments, learned counsel for the respondents drew the attention of this Court to the fact that encroachment proceedings are already pending vide Encroachment Case No. 02 of 2025-26 before the Circle Officer, Uchkagaon, District-Gopalganj. It was further submitted that notices have already been issued to the encroachers who, in the preliminary enquiry, were found to have encroached upon the land, including the petitioners.

3. In this background, this Court directs Respondent No. 5, the Circle Officer, Uchkagaon, District- Gopalganj, to expedite the proceedings and conclude the same within four months. During this period, only in exceptional cases any accommodation shall be made by the respondent concerned.

4. A report regarding the progress of the encroachment proceedings shall be sent to this Court after four months, and the same shall be placed before this Court by the office.

5. Accordingly, this writ application stands disposed of.

(Ranjan Kumar Jha, J)

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