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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND, RANCHI

W.P.(C) No. 5704 of 2015

1.Yamuna Devi, wife of Banmali Rawani, d/o late Raju Rawani, resident of Dhokhara (Kahaldih), PO Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

2.Basudeo Rawani, son of Banmali Rawani, resident of Dhokhara (Kahaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District-Dhanbad

3.Sudhir Chandra Rawani, son of late Sonaram Rawani, resident of Dhokhara (Kahaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

4.Mihilal Rawani, son of late Sonaram Rawani, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

5.Hari Rawani, son of Panchu Rawani, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

6.Binod Chandra Rawani, son of late Gopal Rawani, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

7.Gopal Mahto, son of late Arjun Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

8.Hiralal Mahato, son of late Yudhisthir Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

9.Manoj Kumar Mahato, son of Gopal Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

10.Kalipad Mahato, son of late Kanchan Mahato and late Bhuliya Mahatain, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O.

Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

11.Sarla Devi, d/o Baijnath Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

12.Sanjoti Mahatain, wife of Bistu Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

13.Raj Kishore Mahato, son of Bistu Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

14.Aghanu Mahato, son of late Magaram Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

15.Moti Mahato, son of late Bauri Mahto, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

16.Kali Mahato @ Kali Charan Mahato, son of late Motilal Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad

17.Vijay Mahato @ Vijay Kumar Mahato, son of late Garib Mahato, resident of Dhokhara (Khaldih), P.O. Damodarpur, P.S. Baliapur, District Dhanbad .... *Petitioner(s)*

-- *Versus* --

1.The State of Jharkhand

2.The Deputy Commissioner, Dhanbad, P.O. and P.S. Dhanbad, District Dhanbad

3.The Land Acquisition Officer, Dhanbad, P.O. and P.S. Dhanbad, District Dhanbad

4.The Circle Officer, Baliapur Circle, P.O. and P.S. Dhanbad, District Dhanbad

5.The Chief General Manager, Bharat Coking Coal Limited, having office at Koyla Bhawan, Saraidhella, P.O. and P.S. Saraidhella, District- Dhanbad .... *Opp. Parties*

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR DWIVEDI

For the Petitioner(s) :- --
For the Resp.No.5/BCCL:- Mr. Ajay Kumar Sah, Advocate

13/***02.11.2026*** On repeated call, nobody has responded on behalf of the petitioners. However, learned counsel for the respondent no.5/Bharat Coking Coal Limited-BCCL is present.

2. The prayer in this writ petition has been made for quashing the entire land acquisition proceeding initiated vice Case No.11/1985-86 by the respondent/ Bharat Coking Coal Limited-BCCL in the year 1985.

3. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent no.5/ Bharat Coking Coal Limited-BCCL submits that the land was already acquired in the year 1985 and the writ petition is filed on 27.11.2015.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioners has taken time on 25.07.2025 before the coordinate Bench by way of last chance and two weeks' time was allowed.

5. Today, when the matter was taken up, nobody has responded on behalf of the petitioner.

6. It appears that the petitioners have lost interest in the matter, and as such, this writ petition being W.P.(C) No.5704 of 2015 is, hereby, dismissed.

(Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi, J.)

Dated : 02.11.2026
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