

**IN THE COURT OF MUNSIF, TEGHRA, BEGUSARAI,  
BIHAR**

**Title Suit No. 10/2017**

**In the matter of:  
Ranju Devi & Ors.**

..... **Plaintiffs**

Versus

**Ram Kumar Paswan & Ors.  
Defendants**

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*Presided over by:-*  
**Shri Shailendra Kumar  
Munsif, Teghra, Begusarai**

*Present:* Ld. Counsel for the Plaintiff: *Sh. Navneet Kumar Sinha, Adv.*  
Ld. Counsel for the Defendant: None

**ORDER**

Pending adjudication of the captioned title suit, an application dated 12.09.2024 was filed on behalf of the Plaintiffs, under sec.74 of the Indian Evidence Act, praying therein to “be pleased to mark all the public documents detailed below exhibit.”

Ld. Counsel for the Plaintiffs submits that the Plaintiff has filed (i) Certified copy of order executed by C.O. *Teghra* in *Vasgit Parcha* case no. 22/2008-09, (ii) Certified copy of order executed by C.O. *Teghra* in *Vasgit Parcha* case no.15/ 2008-09 by C.O. *Teghra*, (iii) Certified copy of order executed by D.C.L.R. *Teghra* in B.L.D.R. case no. 114/2012, and (iv) Certified copy of order executed by *Munger* Commissioner B.L.D.R. appeal case no. 180/2012 dated 27.04.2013, which are essential to mark exhibit for proper adjudication of the instant suit.

None appeared on behalf of Defendants, despite sufficient opportunities.

Heard Ld. Counsel for the Plaintiffs. Perused the record. From perusal, it appears pertinent to refer sec. 74 of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 which reads as:

**“74. Public Documents-**

The following documents are public documents—

1. Documents forming the acts, or records of the acts—
  - (i) of the sovereign authority,
  - (ii) of official bodies and tribunals, and
  - (iii) of public officers, legislative, judicial and executive, of any part of India or of the Commonwealth, or of a foreign country;
2. Public records kept in any State of private documents.”

From the reading of above provisions, it appears that the above section defines public document, and the above definition categorises the documents submitted by the Plaintiffs as public document.

Therefore, keeping in view the provision above mentioned, this Court is inclined to allow the instant application, in the interest of justice.

O/C is directed to mark the following documents exhibited-

- (i) Certified copy of order executed by C.O. *Teghra* in *Vasgit Parcha* case no. 22/2008-09,
- (ii) Certified copy of order executed by C.O. *Teghra* in *Vasgit Parcha* case no.15/ 2008-09 by C.O. *Teghra*,
- (iii) Certified copy of executed by D.C.L.R. *Teghra* in B.L.D.R. case no. 114/2012, and
- (iv) Certified copy of order executed by *Munger* Commissioner B.L.D.R. appeal case no. 180/2012 dated 27.04.2013

With this order, the instant application and respective rejoinder are being disposed of.

Put up on **20.11.2024.**

**Munsif  
Teghra, Begusarai  
25.10.2024**