

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WA No. 401 of 2024****RAMLAL & OTHERS *versus* JANKI BAI & OTHERS****Order Sheet**

18/03/2026	Heard Mr. B. P. Sharma, along with Mr. Karunendra Singh, learned counsel for the appellants. Also heard Mr. Mahendra Dubey, learned counsel for the Respondent No.1, Mr. Deepak Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the Respondent No.2, Mr. Prasun Bhaduri, learned Dy. Advocate General, appearing for the Respondent/State. As per the covering memo filed by the State in compliance with the Court's order dated 10.02.2026, whereby the State was directed to serve notice upon

Respondent No. 1, it is stated that Respondent No. 1 (Janki Bai) has died during the pendency of the petition. Notice to that effect has been served upon her elder son, Lalit Singh Sidar, and no application for substitution has been filed by him. Hence, the Court proceeds to hear the matter.

As prayed, list this case in the **next week**.

Sd/-

(Ravindra Kumar Agrawal)
Judge

Sd/-

(Ramesh Sinha)
Chief Justice