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NAFR**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WPC No. 218 of 2026**

1 - Krishna Kumar Patel S/o Shri Ram Prasad Patel Aged About 45 Years R/o Village Piparda, Post- Puchheli, Police Station Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)

... Petitioner**versus**

- 1** - State Of Chhattisgarh Through The Secretary, Department Of Revenue And Disaster Management Mantralaya Mahanadi Bhawan, New Raipur (C.G.)
- 2** - The Collector, Office Of The Collectorate, District Janjgir, Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 3** - The Sub Divisional Officer (Revenue) Champa, Office Of The S D O (R), Champa, District Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 4** - The Tahsildar, Office Of The Tahsildar, Bamhnidih, District Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 5** - Ramsharan Shrivastava S/o Chamru Shrivastava R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 6** - Laghu Chandra Bhakar Kaur @ (Lodhu) S/o Anand Singh Kaur R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 7** - Ramkanhai Shrivastava S/o Chamru Ram Shrivastava R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 8** - Manoj Kumar Bareth @ Tingu S/o Shiv Kumar Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 9** - Ravi Gupta S/o Mahavir Gupta R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 10** - Bedram Yadav S/o Sukhram Yadav R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)



- 11** - Gayatri Chouhan W/o Dukalu Chouhan (Sarpanch) R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 12** - Dukalu Ram Chouhan S/o Mahettar Chouhan R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 13** - Ambe Lal Karsh S/o Bhulu Karsh R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 14** - Sabut Ram Bareth S/o Dhani Ram Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 15** - Rohit Raj S/o Gilas Raj R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 16** - Gopal Kashyap S/o Kamta Kashyap R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 17** - Kamal Das S/o Nammu Das R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 18** - Dhajaram Bhargav S/o Shiv Ram Bhargav R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 19** - Deendayal Pal S/o Patiram Pal R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 20** - Krishna Bareth S/o Budhram Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 21** - Saroj Bareth S/o Budhram Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 22** - Jammu Lal Yadav S/o Ghasiram Yadav R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 23** - Ghasiram Bareth S/o Bhulau Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 24** - Anand Singh S/o Milau Singh R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 25** - Pramod Bareth @ Nandu S/o Ratan Lal Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 26** - Mukesh Bareth S/o Shyam Lal Bareth R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 27** - Dilbar Singh S/o Anjor Singh R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 28** - Subhash Kashyap S/o Bhagat Ram R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)
- 29** - Shyam Bai Patel W/o Fuleshwar Patel R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station - Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)



30 - Sukdev Patel S/o Fuleshwar Patel R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station -
Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)

31 - Sukhnandan Patel S/o Fuleshwar R/o Village Bhawarmal, Police Station -
Bamhnidih, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District - Janjgir-Champa (C.G.)

... Respondents

(Cause title, as taken from CIS system)

For Petitioner	: Mr. Ajaya Kumar Barik, Advocate
For State/Respondents No.1 to 4	: Mr. Pranjal Shukla, Panel Lawyer.

(Hon'ble Shri Justice Naresh Kumar Chandravanshi)

Order on Board

19/01/2026

1. This petition has been preferred by petitioner under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking following reliefs :-

“10.1 That this Hon'ble Court may kindly be pleased to call for entire records pertaining to the case of the petitioner for kind perusal of this Hon'ble Court.

10.2 That this Hon'ble Court may kindly be pleased to issue a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to restrain making the construction of government houses on the same land bearing khasra No.5/1 of Gram Panchayat Piparda of Janpad Panchayat Bamhanidih.

10.3 That this Hon'ble Court may kindly be pleased to direct the respondents authority to give compensation in lieu of cutting paddy crops forcefully by the private respondents or direct to the private respondents under what provision of law forcefully cutting down the paddy crops of the petitioner.

10.4 That this Hon'ble Court may kindly be pleased to direct the respondents authority to



register the name of the petitioner in Revenue Record because after lapse of 30 years in possession of government land it has been extinguished by the Government and it ought to be recorded in Revenue Records in the name of petitioner.

10.5 Any other relief, which may be deemed, fit by this Hon'ble Court just and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case may also be provided in favour of the petitioner.”

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in possession over the Government land bearing Khasra No.5/1, admeasuring 4 acres since the time of his forefathers, situated at Village Bhanwarmal, Tahsil Bamhnidih, District Janjgir-Champa (CG). The petitioner has been sowing paddy crops on the aforesaid land since many years. He had also sown same crop in the year 2025 as well but the same has been illegally harvested by private respondents No.5 to 31. He further submits that the petitioner has perfected his title over the said land by way of adverse possession, despite that the private respondents have illegally harvested the crops. He next submits that the complaint has been made by the petitioner before the respondent authorities, but no action has been taken by them against the private respondents No.5 to 31. Hence, learned counsel prays that the petition may be admitted for hearing.
3. *Per contra*, learned counsel for the State/respondents No.1 to 4 submits that the petitioner is claiming his right over the aforesaid land on the basis of adverse possession. Therefore, if the petitioner has any grievance, he may file civil suit.
4. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the material



available on record.

5. From the manner in which the pleadings have been drafted, it is evident that the petitioner is claiming his possessory right on the basis of principle of adverse possession. He has further alleged that paddy crops sowed by him on the said government land were illegally harvested by private respondents and thereby causing him financial loss. Perusal of aforesaid facts shows that the land in question is a government land. If the petitioner claims possessory right and alleges monetary loss caused to him, it is a matter of dispute, which can be considered and decided after taking evidence. The Writ Court is not a fact-finding Court. Hence, I am not inclined to entertain the instant petition. The petitioner is at liberty to approach the Civil Court for redressal of his grievance.
6. Accordingly, the writ petition stands **dismissed**.

Sd/-
(Naresh Kumar Chandravanshi)
Judge