

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

W.P. (C) No. 231 of 2026

M/s Kachwaha Engineering Services (OPC) Private Limited. Petitioner

Versus

M/s. Damodar Valley Corporation and Others ... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH SHANKAR**

For the Petitioner: Mr. Pratik Sen, Advocate

For the Respondents: Mr. Sanjay Kumar Prasad, Advocate

03/Dated: 09.03.2026

1. On 2nd of February 2026, Mr. Prashant Kumar Singh appeared on behalf of DVC and stated that a reply will be filed and served by 20th of February 2026. However, till date, no reply is filed on behalf of DVC.
2. Today, Mr. Sanjay Kumar Prasad appears on behalf of DVC. At his request, and with much reluctance, we grant DVC time to file affability upto 20th of March 2026. The copy of the reply will also have to be served upon the learned counsel for the petitioner by the same date.
3. If no reply is filed by 20th of March 2026, then, we will proceed in the matter on the premise that DVC does not wish to controvert the statements in the petition, as it is, ample time was granted to DVC to file its reply and such reply has not been filed.
4. List this matter on 23rd of March 2026 'High on Board'.

(M. S. Sonak, C.J.)

(Rajesh Shankar, J.)

March 09, 2026

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