

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI**

L.P.A. No. 267 of 2026

Mukesh Yadav

..... Appellant

Versus

The Secretary, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India, New  
Delhi & Others

..... Respondents

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**CORAM**

**HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH SHANKAR**

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For the Appellant:

Mr. Binod Singh, Advocate

For the Res. No. 1:

Mr. Radha Krishan Gupta, C.G.C.

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02/16.06.2026

1. Heard Mr. Binod Singh, learned counsel for the appellant.
2. Issue notice to the respondents.
3. Notice to indicate that subject to constraints of time and endeavour shall be made to dispose of this appeal finally at the initial stage.
4. The matter is made returnable on 21.07.2026.
5. Mr. Radha Krishan Gupta, learned C.G.C., appears and waives service on behalf of the respondent No. 1.
6. The appellant will have to take steps to serve the remaining respondents by providing process fee and copies at the earliest.

**(M. S. SONAK, C.J.)**

**(RAJESH SHANKAR, J.)**

16.06.2026  
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