

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
WP(S) No.2467 of 2023

Etwa Oraon and Others ... **Petitioner(s).**
Versus

The State of Jharkhand and Others ... **Respondent(s).**

CORAM : SRI ANANDA SEN, J.

For the Petitioner(s) : Mr. Pratyush Shounikya, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Sachin Kumar, AC to SC-I
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It has been submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioners that petitioner no. 8 namely Santosh Kumar Mahto had expired on 28.07.2024. The petitioner no. 8 died leaving behind his wife namely Ratho Devi who want to pursue the matter. Thus, by filing this interlocutory application the petitioners wants to implead the legal heir of petitioner no. 8.

2. The learned counsel for the respondents does not oppose the interlocutory application.

3. Considering the said submission, since the cause of action survives and devolves upon the legal heir, name of the petitioner no. 8 be deleted from the cause title and name of his legal heir namely Ratho Devi be impleaded in his place. Accordingly, this interlocutory application stands allowed.

4. Necessary correction be done in the cause title of this writ petition incorporating legal heir of respondent no. 8 with red ink within two weeks by the learned counsel for the petitioners.

(ANANDA SEN, J.)