

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
W.P. (Cr.) No.743 of 2025

1. Rajesh Kumar Mishra, son of Late Vijay Shankar Mishra, resident of Sukhdevnagar, Ratu Road, P.O. Hehal, P.S. Sukhdevnagar, District Ranchi
 2. Ravi Shankar, son Sri Binoy Kumar, resident of Indrapuri Road No.09, near Birla Maidan, P.O. Hehal, P.S. Sukhdevnagar, District Ranchi
 3. Vedant Kaustav, son of Sri Himanshu Kumar, resident of Saket Vihar, P.O. Harmu, P.S. Argora, District Ranchi
 4. Amrita Sharma, wife of Sri Rajesh Kumar Mishra, resident of Sukhdevnagar, Ratu Road, P.O. Hehal, P.S. Sukhdevnagar, District Ranchi
 5. Nirman Shankar, son of Sri Binoy Kumar, resident of Indrapuri Road No.09, near Birla Maidan, P.O. Hehal, P.S. Sukhdevnagar, District Ranchi
 6. Deep Ranjan Kumar, son of Raj Ranjan Kumar, resident of Flat No.101, Sanmati Aprtment, Shukla Colony, P.O. Hinoo, P.S. Doranda, District Ranchi
- Petitioners

Versus

1. The State of Jharkhand through the Executive Magistrate, Sadar, Ranchi, having office at Collectorate Building, P.O. G.P.O., P.S. Kotwali, District Ranchi
 2. The Executive Magistrate, Sadar, Ranchi, having office at Collectorate Building, P.O. G.P.O., P.S. Kotwali, District Ranchi
 3. Devendra Kumar Singh, son of Late Madan Moihan Singh, Chairman, Consultants Co-operative Swablambi Housing Society Limited (CONCOP), Kathal More, P.S. Simalia, P.S. Ratu, District Ranchi
 4. Manoj Kumar Singh, son of Sri Rajdev Singh, Secretary, Consultants Co-operative Swablambi Housing Society Limited (CONCOP), Kathal More, P.S. Simalia, P.S. Ratu, District Ranchi
 5. L.B. Singh, Security Manager, Consultants Co-operative Swablambi Housing Society Limited (CONCOP), Kathal More, P.S. Simalia, P.S. Ratu, District Ranchi
- Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GAUTAM KUMAR CHOUDHARY

For the Petitioner : Mr. Rohit Ranjan Sinha, Advocate
 Mr. Kumar Rahul, Advocate
 Mr. Arpit Khandelwal, Advocate
 Mr. Harshit Ranjan Prasad, Advocate
 Mr. Chanchal Verma, Advocate
For the State : Mr. Zaid Imam, A.C. to S.C. VII
For the Res. No.4 : Mr. Satish Kumar Keshri, Advocate

Order No.09 / Dated : 19.01.2026

Instant petition is filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for a direction for expeditious disposal of Case No.M-2257/2024 initiated under Section 166 of Bhartiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, by the learned Executive Magistrate, Sadar, Ranchi.

2. It is submitted by the learned counsel on behalf of the petitioners that the matter involves right to approach road to the land in question of the petitioners. The matter is pending since June, 2024 before the learned Executive Magistrate. It is submitted that the private respondent nos.3 and 5 are deliberately delaying the disposal of the said case.

3. Learned counsel on behalf of respondent no.4 seeks an adjournment.

4. Learned counsel on behalf of the State has already filed counter affidavit which is accepted and kept on record.

5. The matter involves right to pathway for which expeditious remedy has been provided under Bhartiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023. Unfortunately, the matter is pending for more than 1 ½ years.

6. Without entering into the merit of the case, this Court is of the view that the petitioners are entitled to expeditious disposal of their case which is pending before the learned Executive Magistrate.

7. Under the circumstance, Case No.M-2257/2024 is directed to be disposed of within two months from the date of this order. Both parties are directed to appear before the learned Court below either in person or through their counsel without any further delay on 20th January, 2026. In the event of non-appearance of any party, the learned Executive Magistrate will proceed as per law and dispose of this matter without any further delay within two months.

With the above observation, instant writ petition stands disposed of.
Pending Interlocutory Application, if any, is also disposed of.

(Gautam Kumar Choudhary, J.)

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