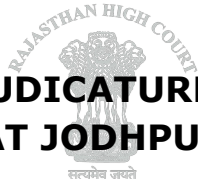


**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
AT JODHPUR**



S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13237/2026

CNR: RJHC010601332026

URN: CW / 24087U / 2026

Nagendra Singh Rathore S/o Ghisu Singh Rathore, Aged About 48 Years, Resident Of Rathore Sadan, Near Rathoriya Talab, Tejaji Chawk, Durg Chittorgarh.

-----Petitioner

Versus

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.
3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
4. The Superintending Archaeologist, Jodhpur Circle, Jodhpur.
5. The Consideration Assistant, Archaeological Survey Of India, Sub Division, Chittorgarh.
6. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
7. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

-----Respondents

Connected With

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13226/2026

CNR: RJHC010601392026

URN: CW / 24068U / 2026

Hitesh Tailor S/o Shri Chhitarmal Tailor, Aged About 48 Years, Resident Of Mahajan Mohalla, Durg Chittorgarh.

-----Petitioner

Versus

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.

3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
4. The Superintending Archaeologist, Jodhpur Circle, Jodhpur.
5. The Consideration Assistant, Archaeological Survey Of India, Sub Division, Chittorgarh.
6. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
7. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

-----Respondents

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13247/2026

CNR: RJHC010601312026

URN: CW / 24100U / 2026

Vijay Singh S/o Late Shri Pratap Singh, Aged About 47 Years,
Resident Of Durg Chittorgarh.

-----Petitioner

Versus

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.
3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
4. The Superintending Archaeologist, Jodhpur Circle, Jodhpur.
5. The Consideration Assistant, Archaeological Survey Of India, Sub Division, Chittorgarh.
6. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
7. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

-----Respondents

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13249/2026

CNR: RJHC010601372026

URN: CW / 24104U / 2026

1. Mukesh Neelmani S/o Ashok Neelmani, Aged About 40 Years, Resident Of Near Annapurna Temple, Durg Chittorgarh.
2. Chandra Shekhar Neelmani S/o Parsuram Neelmani, Aged

About 55 Years, Resident Of Behind Annapurna Temple
Durg Chittorgarh.

-----Petitioners

Versus

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.
3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
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5. The Consideration Assistant, Archaeological Survey Of India, Sub Division, Chittorgarh.
6. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
7. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

-----Respondents

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13250/2026

CNR: RJHC010601362026

URN: CW / 24105U / 2026

1. Yashwant Kumar S/o Bhairav Lal, Aged About 62 Years, Resident Of Bajrang Chawk, Teli Pada, Durg Chittorgarh.
2. Ashok Umar Gaur S/o Kishan Lal Gaur, Aged About 53 Years, Resident Of Bajrang Chawk, Teli Pada, Durg Chittorgarh.

-----Petitioners

Versus

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.
3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
4. The Superintending Archaeologist, Jodhpur Circle, Jodhpur.

5. The Consideration Assistant, Archaeological Survey Of India, Sub Division, Chittorgarh.
6. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
7. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

-----Respondents

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13251/2026

CNR: RJHC010601352026

URN: CW / 24107U / 2026

1. Anandiram Khatik S/o Late Kailash Chandra Khatik, Aged About 42 Years, Resident Of 188/d, Sector No.5, Gandhi Nagar, Chittorgarh, Post And District Chittorgarh.
2. Vijay Kumar Chouhan Khatik S/o Ramesh Chandra Khatik, Aged About 44 Years, Resident Of 182,sector No.5, Gandhi Nagar, Chittorgarh, Post And District Chittorgarh.
3. Asha Khatik W/o Anandiram Khatik, Aged About 39 Years, Resident Of 188/d, Sector No.5, Gandhi Nagar, Chittorgarh, Post And District Chittorgarh.

-----Petitioners

Versus

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.
3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
4. The Superintending Archaeologist, Jodhpur Circle, Jodhpur.
5. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
6. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

-----Respondents

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13269/2026

CNR: RJHC010601292026

URN: CW / 24139U / 2026

Narendra Singh Rathore S/o Bhanwar Singh Rathore, Aged About 43 Years, Resident Of Near Charbhuj Mandir, Fort Chittorgarh

-----Petitioner

1. Union Of India, Through Director General, Archaeological Survey Of India, Government Of India, Janpath, New Delhi.
2. The Member Secretary, National Monument Authority, 24 Tilak Marg, New Delhi.
3. The Regional Director (Western Region) And Competent Authority, Archaeological Survey Of India, Mumbai.
4. The Superintending Archaeologist, Jodhpur Circle, Jodhpur.
5. The Consideration Assistant, Archaeological Survey Of India, Sub Division, Chittorgarh.
6. The District Collector, Chittorgarh.
7. The Commissioner, Municipal Council, Chittorgarh.

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Sr. Adv. Mr. Chandra Shekhar Kotwani
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Bharat Vyas, ASG through V.C. with Mr. Vaibhav Bhansali and Mr. Nitin Jain Mr. N.S. Rajpurohit, AAG with Ms. Aditi Sharma and Ms. Kanchan Sharma

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SAMEER JAIN
Order

09/07/2026

**In SBCWP Nos. 13226/2026, 13247/2026,
13250/2026 and 13269/2026**

Learned senior counsel Mr. Chandra Shekhar Kotwani submits that under instructions of his client, he wants to withdraw these writ petitions, howsoever, with liberty to file grievance/representation before the competent authority, which he prays should be considered and decide in accordance with law.

Learned counsel Mr. Bharat Vyas, ASG for respondents has no objection to the same.

With the above said liberty being granted, petitions are permitted to be withdrawn.

Accordingly, the present petitions are dismissed as withdrawn. Pending applications, if any, shall stand disposed.

It is stated that an application has been moved with a prayer for withdrawal of present petitions; Registry is directed to place the same in the file, as it is averred that the same is furnished before them.

In view of dismissal of the present petition, the said application stands disposed of.

In SBCWP Nos. 13237/2026, 13249/2026 and 13251/2026

The present petitions are filed seeking the following reliefs, however, for the sake of handiness prayers from **SBCWP No. 13237/2026** is reproduced hereinbelow, it is made cautiously clear that the reliefs prayed in the connected petitions are *mutatis mutandis* to the reproduced extract:-

"It is, therefore, most humbly and respectfully prayed that the writ petition may kindly be allowed and by issuing an appropriate writ, order or direction:-

i) impugned notices dated 18.07.2024 (Annexure-5), 14.08.2024 (Annexure-6) and 02.12.2024 (Annexure-7) may kindly be ordered to be quashed and set aside; and

ii) It is further prayed that the respondents may kindly be ordered to be directed to implement and follow the order dated 28.04.2004 passed in D.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 3642/2003 : Kila Nagrik Vikas Sansthan Vs. U.O.I. & Ors. by the Division Bench of this Hon'ble Court; and

iii) It is further prayed that respondents may kindly be directed to be restrained from

demolishing the construction so raised by humble petitioner over the plot in question; and

iv) Any other appropriate relief which this Hon'ble High Court deems just and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case may kindly be passed in favour of the petitioner"

The matter pertains to encroachment in vicinity areas of /in/ around Chittorgarh Fort. Learned senior counsel Mr. Chandra Shekhar Kotwani under instructions of his client submits that he will file a representation qua his grievance which may be considered by competent authority i.e. Archaeological Department in accordance with law.

Learned ASG Mr. Bharat Vyas appearing for Archaeological Department has submitted if representation is filed within a period of 3 days from the date of passing of this order the same will be decided in upper limit of 10 days thereafter, in accordance with law.

In the light of the same, the instant petitions are disposed of with a direction that the representation submitted by the petitioner within the stipulated period, shall be considered by the respondents within an upper limit of 10 days from the date of submission, strictly in accordance with law and following the principles of natural justice.

Pending applications, if any, shall stand disposed.

(SAMEER JAIN),J