

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.10849/2024

M/s Nand Lal Agarwal And Sons

-----Petitioners

Versus

State Of Rajasthan & Ors.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr.A. K. Sharma, Sr.Adv. assisted by Mr.Karan Tibrewal
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr.Jaivardhan Joshi Mr.Harsh Vardhan Katara for Mr.Bharat Vyas, AAG

JUSTICE ANOOP KUMAR DHAND

Order

07/05/2025

1. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that as per the letter dated 17/18.09.2023 and Net Present Value (for short, "the NPV") shall be charged in all those cases which have been granted in principle approval after 10.02.2022. Counsel submits that the provision of NPV is not applicable in the case of the petitioners as the approval was granted to the petitioners prior to 10.02.2022. Counsel submits that they are ready and willing to deposit certain amount of NPV under protest subject to outcome of the writ petition.
2. On the contrary, learned counsel for the respondents opposes the arguments raised by the counsel for the petitioners and submits that as per the provisions contained under the Mines and Mineral (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957, the petitioner is supposed to pay the NPV amount. Counsel submits that as per

the provisions of the above Act, the petitioners are supposed to pay total NPV amount of Rs.1,87,72,488/-.

3. The matter requires consideration.
4. List the matter on 21.07.2025 at top of the list.
5. In the meantime, the petitioners are directed to deposit 25% of the total NPV amount within a period of 10 days from today. In case, the petitioners deposit the said amount with the respondents within the above stipulated time, the respondents are directed to allow the petitioners to operate their mining and issue E-Ravanna.

(ANOOP KUMAR DHAND),J