

SL. No.	Date	Office Notes, reports, orders or proceedings or directions and Registrar's order with Signatures	COURT'S OR JUDGE'S ORDERS
			<p><u>CLCON No. 59 of 2026</u>  <b><u>Hon'ble Rakesh Thapliyal, J.</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mr. Bhupesh Kandpal, learned counsel for the petitioners.</li> <li>2. Mr. P.C. Bisht, learned C.S.C along with Mr. J.S. Bisht, learned Standing Counsel for the State.</li> <li>3. Mr. P.C. Bisht, learned Chief Standing counsel, apprised to this Court that in the entire area regarding which the writ court passed an order, as on date no illegal mining activity is being carried out. If it is so, then the attempts made by the officials are really appreciable, however, the question is whether the illegal mining activities are completely stopped forever and in case those who were indulged in illegal mining activity and penalized for more than five times, and acquired assets then whether those assets are the proceeds of crime, and if it so then what action should be taken to such proceeds of crime.</li> <li>4. It has also been apprised that against various persons FIR has been lodged. Now, the question is if the FIR has been lodged, is it sufficient? If yes in what manner, the investigation is being carried out.</li> <li>5. In the written instructions the references have been given about certain FIRs and therefore this Court wants to know in what manner the investigation is being conducted.</li> <li>6. Put up this case on 19.05.2026.</li> <li>7. The concerned investigating officers shall join the proceedings through V.C.</li> </ol>

8. Mr. P.C. Bisht also apprised to this Court that against those license holders who were found to be indulged in illegal mining activity, recommendation has been made for cancelling their license as well as to blacklist them so that in future they may not get any mining license. The exercise as done by the officials after taking cognizance in this contempt petition is really appreciable and this Court hope and trust that in future they will take strict action against those who were indulged in illegal mining activity.

**(Rakesh Thapliyal, J.)**  
12.05.2026

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