



HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

WRIT - B No. - 572 of 2026

Daya Shankar

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State Of U.P. And 4 Others

.....Respondent(s)

Counsel for Petitioner(s)	:	Pradeep Kumar Rai, Prajyot Rai
Counsel for Respondent(s)	:	C.S.C., Narayan Dutt Shukla, Rituvendra Singh Nagvanshi, Sudhir Bharti, Sr. Advocate

Court No. - 54

HON'BLE CHANDRA KUMAR RAI, J.

1. Heard Mr. Pradeep Kumar Rai & Mr. Prajyot Rai, learned counsel for the petitioner, Mr. R.C. Singh, learned Senior Counsel assisted by Mr. Narayan Dutt Shukla, learned counsel for respondent no.5, Mr. Rajesh Kumar Srivastava, learned standing counsel for the state-respondents and Mr. Sudhir Bharti, learned counsel for the respondent-gram sabha.
2. In view of the earlier judgment dated 10.3.2025 passed by this Court in Writ B No.3329 of 2018 and judgment dated 16.8.2016 passed in Writ B No.66497 of 2010, name of respondent no.5/Kashi is directed to be deleted from the array of the parties of the writ petition within a week.
3. Now, the matter remains to be heard amongst the petitioner, State and the Gram Sabha.
4. In view of the averments made in the instant petition and the arguments advanced by learned counsel for the petitioner, instruction is required from the State and the Gram Sabha.
5. Mr. Rajesh Kumar Srivastava, learned standing counsel and Mr. Sudhir Bharti, learned counsel for the respondent-gram sabha shall obtain instructions in the matter within 10 days.
6. Put as fresh on 22.4.2026 along with the connected matters.

April 6, 2026
C.Prakash

(Chandra Kumar Rai,J.)