

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
 CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
 CIVIL APPEAL NO. 1062 OF 2009

Balgovind Ji Maharaj
 Appellant

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versus

Collector, Maharajganj and another
 Respondents

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Learned counsel for the appellant could not dispute, that the notification under Section 4 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927 (hereinafter referred to as the 'Forest Act') was issued on 16.3.1954, on which the appellant raised objections under Section 6 of the Forest Act. Eventually, the notification under Section 4 of the Forest Act was upheld by the Governor by an order dated 10.02.1959 passed in a revision petition preferred by the State Government. In the above view of the matter it is apparent, that the notification under Section 4 of the Forest Act attained finality with the above order dated 10.02.1959.

Thereafter, a notification was issued under Section 20 of the Forest Act on 11.12.1976 declaring the property, which is subject matter of consideration in the present litigation, as a reserved forest. The order dated 11.12.1976 was never assailed by the appellant. In the above view of the matter, the same must also

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be deemed to have attained finality.
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On account of the fact, that the notification under

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