IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA

Civil Writ Jurisdiction Case No.9692 of 2015

Ram Punit Choudhary

... Petitioner/s

Versus

The State Of Bihar and Ors

... ... Respondent/s

Appearance:

For the Petitioner/s : Mr. Surendra Kumar Singh, Advocate

For the Respondent/s : Mr. Lalit Kishore, A.G.

Mr. Bishwa Bibhuti Kumar Singh, Advocate

For Intervenor Mr. Manish Kumar No.13, Advocate

Mr. Rohit Kumar, Advocate Mrs. Priti Kumari, Advocate

CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PARTHA SARTHY

ORAL ORDER

(Per: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE)

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Under Patna Commissionerate

(i) District-Patna

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Patna District namely Jitendra Pandey, Nand Kishore Nirala, Vijendra Kumar, Bhaskar Kumar Mandal, Jitendra Kumar, Lilawati Kumari, Mahendra Shukla, Umesh Sharma, Gyanand, Amrit Raj Bandhu, Dinesh Kumar Singh, Kanhaiya Lal, Santosh Kumar Singh, Nagendra Kumar, Mrityunjay Kumar, Madhumita Kumari, Kumari Sujata, Anita Bharti and Sanjeev Kumar Singh, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, in Patna Commissionerate, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from



the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest status reads as under:-

Sr No.	Circle	Name of officer	Total No. of Water Bodies (Encroached)	Freed from Encroachment	Require d to be freed	Timeline required / remarks
	Patru sadar	Titendry Pandey	16	12	04	4 weeks
2	Sambatchall	Nantkishore Nixala	04	02	02	4 weeks
3	Phylwaridan	Nandkishore Nivala Vitendra Kumar	18	14	04	1 wass
	Athmal 9-019	Bhakar Kr Mankal Bhakar Kr Mankal	08	08	00	4 weeks FREE
;	Bakhtiyarfur	Bhakar Kr Manlal	15	13	07	4 waks
;	Barh	Jitendra Kumar	12	09	03	4 weeks
	Belbhi	Lilawati Kumani	25	20	05	1 webs
	Pandarak	Mahendrakshukia	12	10	02	4 weeks
		Umesh to sharma	02	01	01	4 weeks
0	Mokama	hyanand	0 24	00	02	4 weeks
1	Danabur	hyanand Amrit Rog Bundhu	12	07	05	4 weeks
2	Maner	Dinesh Kr Stagh	04	03	01	4 weeks
13		V Island ra Kumers	14-	11		4 weeks
4	Binta	Kanharya lal	08	og	00	FREE
5	Palisans	sanfish Kr sligh	25	26	03	1 weeks
6	Dullin Balao	Nascondra kumar	08	6.6	02	4 weeks
7	Bikram	Kunhaiya lel	0.0	0 0	0 6	FREE ST
8	Masaurhi	Imitunay Kumar	22	18	04	4 weeks
9	Dhanzus	MADHUMITA KUMARI	15	14	04-	ABSENT Prontinger
0	Punpun	KUMARI SUJAJA	03	00	04	ABSENT Prost in Out
1	Fatual	Anita Bhasafi	14	10	-	4 weeks
2	Khuswaby	Sanjeev Kr shigh	19	12	07	4 weeks gu
3	Daniyawan	Janzeer Kr 117h	12	06	06	4 Wicks.

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar



Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Patna to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Senior Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(ii) District- Nalanda

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Nalanda District, namely Rajiv Ranjan Pathak, Dharmendra Pandit, Neeraj Kumar Singh, Arun Kumar, Ranjeet Kumar, Sheo Nandan Singh, Kumari Anchal, Kumari Neha, Sonu Kumar,



Anuj Kumar, Abha Kumari, Arun Kumar, Juli Kumari, Garima Geetika, Nupur, Sonam Raj, Jitendra Kumar Chaudhary, Santosh Kumar Chaudhary and Shambhu Mandal, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest status reads as under:-

DISTRICT-NALANDA (PATNA DIVISION)

Sl. No.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/remarks	Signature of Circle Officer
1.	ASTHAWAN	Rayso Roujas	424	921	03	3 Month	2027
2.	BIHARSHRIF	DHARMENDER	444	438	06	03 mills	blaments inth
3.	BIND	Rapillaifalgre-		140	01	03 Mm 3h	1 (102)
4.	HARNAUT	NEERAS KUMAZ	353	340	03	03 houghs D	being Kuigr 2, 9
5.	NOORSARAI	FRUN KUMA	490	485	05	03 Monte	Prun Kourch
6.	RAHU L	RANTEET KUMA	326	322	04	03 month	Renjetkuma
7.	SARMERA	sheprandansiy	100	220	01	03 month.	La jan
8.	CHANDI	श्रिमार मा पल	360	358	02	02 months	
9.	EKANGARSARAI	KUMARI NEHA	741	735	06	04 bought	Oughan
10.	HILSA	Sonu-Kumas.	471	468	05.	04 months	Jones
11.	ISLAMPUR	ANUS KUM	AR387	381	06	A month	Comingingon
12.	KARAIPARUSARI	172Abben	12/	111	05	03. Wash	Alle Clark
13.	NAGAR NAUSA	ARUN KUMAI	356	352	04	03 months	Asun Kuman
14.	PARBAPUR	JULI KUMARI	78	70	01	08 Months	Juli 12122
15.	THARTHARI	garima Geetika	164	160	04	Of months	20.20
16.	BEN	Nupur	279	275	04	05 mouths.	Marian
17.	GIRIYAK	SONAM RAJ	140	135	. 5	05 months	Dualou 01/12/2
18.	KATRISARAI	Jitendoa HT	153	1.52	04	03 months	= the
19.	RAJGIR	SANTOSH KUMAR	315	312	03	03 months	ON MINN
20.	SILAO	SHAMBHU MANDA	450	445	05	03 Month	01:12:200

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments



from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Nalanda to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.



Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(iii) District- Kaimur

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Kaimur namely Anjani Kumar Sinha, Tara Prakash, Binod Kumar Singh, Purendra Kumar Singh, Nagendra Kumar, Lovely Kumari, Laxman Singh, Pankaj Kumar, Rajiv Kumar, Badri Prasad Gupta and Archana Kumari, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

SI. No.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/ remarks	Signature of Circle Officer
1.	ADHAURA	ANJANI KUMAR SINHA	525 Aencrooched	525 4 Removed	_	FREE	1310112 222 N1.12.20
2.	BHABUA	TARA PRAKASH	2614 234 encrowled		08	4 weeks	1.12.22
3.	BHAGWANPUR	BINOD KUMAR SINGH	140 53 mcroached				2
4.	CHAINPUR	PURENDRA KUMAR SINGH	1624 205 encreased	199 Removad	0.6	4 weeks	Punendra 60.5
5.	CHAND	NAGENDRA KUMAR	938 65 encroached	59 Removed	06	4 weks	1112/2
6.	RAMPUR	LOVELY KUMARI	952 87 encrowhed	8/Removed	0.6	4 weeks	30 11 200
7.	DURGAWATI	LAXMAN SINGH	100 encrosched	97 Removed	03	4 weeks	01.12.2
8.	KUDRA	PANKAJ KUMAR	434 80 encrealed		03	4 weeks	1 110/022 Www. W.1.1
9.	MOHANIA	RAJIV KUMAR	433	158 Removed	09	4 weeks	Bankor Cake
10.	NUAON	BADRI PRASAD GUPTA	435	431,	4	Aweeks	-36/1/2010
11.	RAMGADH	ARCHANA KUMARI	285	(Removed)	5	4 weeks	30/11/22



We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Kaimur to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.



Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(iv) District- Rohtas

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Rohtas, namely, Jitendra Kumar Singh, Anamika Kumari, Ram Pravesh Ram, Ashu Ranjan, Bhartendu, Alok Chandra Ranjan, Aditya Kumar Singh, Nawal Kant, Amresh Kumar, Amit Kumar, Raghwendra Kumar, Shibu, Anil Prasad Singh, Nishant Kumar, Surendra Kumar, Suman Kumar, Rakesh Kumar and Jitendra Prasad Ram, who are present in Court. We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction. The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest status reads as under:-

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l. lo.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/remarks	Signature of Circle Officer
	AKHORHIGOLA	JITEMDRA KUMARIGI	405	405 Fre	DNE	06 months	1 04.12.30
	DEHRI	ANAMIKA KUMARI	184	184	03	06 months	12:00
	NAUHATTA	RAM PRAVESHRAM	194	13451	6	_	12/2/21
	ROHTAS	ASHU RANJAN	119	119	0		Colu lang
5.	TILAUTHU	BHARTENDU	169/29	167/29	0	_	SOUTH STATIS
).	BIKRAMGANJ	ALOK CHANDRA RANJAN	532	532 166 Free	ONE STATUS	06 Month	Deolliga
7.	DAWATH	NAWAL KANT	417/85	417/85	0	-	101.12.21
8.	DINARA	ADITYA KUMARSINGH	230 eneroch	665 230 Aru	0	0	m.1/12/192
9.	KARAKAT	AMRESH KUMAR			0		AT 01/12/22
10.	NASRIGANJ	Amit Kumars	716/65	65 Free	0	_	1 Postale
11.	RAJPUR	RAGHWENDRA DAYAL	518/80	573/80 freed.	60		Jun.
12.	SANJHAULI	SHIBU	400/221	221	0	_	Sulliva
13.	SURYAPURA	Anil Pd. Singh	23	261 prec.	0	-	Spilly
14.	CHENARI	NISHANT KUMPR	1493	-662 Fred	02	05 Tyonth	Challan
15.	KARGAHAR	Anil Pd. Eingh	193	1983 Free	0	_	Aplinio
16	KOCHAS	Swanda Kumen	605	605	02	or 05 Month	STITINA
17	. NOKHA	Suman Kumar	566 163	266161 Fred	7/19/0	and 25 Month	2 Yorlyn
18	. SASARAM	Rokesh kumas	104	101	03 0	weeks	03,12.22
19	. SHEOSAGAR	Titembe Base & Rem	E49 253	849/250	3	06 Mondh	71172



Shri Alok Chandra Ranjan, who is the In-Charge of Vikramganj Circle, has indicated that in one out of two cases, status quo order is passed. Particulars are not mentioned in his affidavit. He shall state and disclose all particulars including the title and number of the case as also the Court.

Let affidavit in that regard be filed within a period of four weeks.

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Rohtas to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.



Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(v) District-Buxar

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Buxar namely Priyanka Rai, Brij Bihari Kumar, Rajnikant, Sohan Ram, Priyanka Kumari, Kaushal Kumar, Ajit Kumar, Ankita Singh, Kumari Anukampa and Kaushal Kumar, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.



DISTRICT-BUXAR (PATNA DIVISION)

1.	Circle	Name of Circle	Total	Freed from	Required to	Timeline	Signature of
o.		Officer	No. of Water bodies/	encroachment	be freed	required/remarks	
	BUXAR	SMT. PRIYANKA RAI	445/40	32	80	14 weeks	Pai 12/22
2.	CHAUSA	MR. BRIJBIHARIK.	450/65	60	05	14 weeks	B 1222
3.	ITAHRI	MR. RAJNIKANT	1030/92	75	17	14 weeks	Engine"
4.	RAJPUR	MR. SOHAN RAM	1689/284	253	36	Kneeks	Schan King
5.	BARHAMPUR	MRS. PRIYANKA KUMARI	585 /45	34	11	Ky weeks	1 2 101/12/7.12
6.	CHAKKI	MR. KAUSHAL KUMAR	11/04	04	00	N/A	W 2012
7.	CHAUGAI	MR. AJEET KUMA	66	44	22	8 weeks	AL
8.	DUMRAON	MS. ANKITA SING	1 689/33	27	06	K weeks	Akitalia/2
9.	KESATH	MRS. KUMARI ANUKAMPA	33/13	0,9	04	14 neeks	01/12/22
10.	NAWANAGAR	MR. AJEETKUMH	1425/82	75	07	4 weeks	AL.
11.	SIMRI	MR. KAUSHAL KUMAR	663/105	99	06	for weeks	Je1 12

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Buxar to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.



We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(vi) District-Bhojpur

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Bhojpur namely Chandreshekar, Shailendra Kumar, Md. Noman, Nibha Kumari, Umesh Choudhary, Prakash Kumar Sinha, Sanjay Kumar Singh, Raj Kumar, Sushil Kumar Upadhyay, Birendra Kumar, Aashma Khatoon, Udaykant Chaudhary, Chandrashekhar Singh and Shreya Mishra, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of



directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest status reads as under:-

istne	t-Bhojput		PATNA	DIVISION			
r.	Name of Officers	Name Of Officers	Total no. of Water Bodies (Encroachment)	Freed from Encroachment	Required to be Freed	Timeline required/required	Signature/Mobile no.
1	Agaion	Chandreshekhar	11	9	2	12 Weeks	6 1222 85 444 1247
2	Udwantnagar	Shailendra Kumar	0	0	0	-	112.202 - 854441247. 112.202 - 854441247.
1	Barhara	Md. Noman	9	9	0		@ Jules - 85 444 12
1	Larari	Nibha Kumari	3	1	. 2	12 Weeks	Nilla 12 202 -> 85444121
	Sandesh	Umesh Choudhary	0	0	0	-	Umpsh Chaudhar 85444
	Sahar	Prakash Kumar Sinha	10	8	2	12 Weeks	(201/12/2022 8 2444/3
	Kohwat	Sanjay Kumar Singh	0	0	0	-	Sanjay Eumar triple 8544412 t
		Raj Kumar	11	9	2	12 Weeks	Ky Kyrah 8544412480
8		Sushil Kumar Upadhyay	0	0	0	-	Susting Krub Stryay 85 4441
	10 Charpokhar		0	0	0	-	Birenta Cum 8544412
	11 Jagdishpur	101	7	7	0		Langually, 05
	12 Garahni	Udaykant Chaudhary	0	0	0	- 12 Weeks	Uday Kerw 854491
	13 Piro	Chandrashekhar Singh	14	12	2	12 Weeks	35961112122
	14 Shahpur	Shreya Mishra	1	0	1	12 Weeks	Strate 1224 85 441248

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.



free from encroachments.

We direct the District Magistrate, Bhojpur to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

Under Magadh Commissionerate

(i) <u>District-Gaya</u>

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Gaya namely Ajit Kumar Lal, Kamal Nayan Kashyap, Ashok Kumar, Anuj Kumar, Rajiv Ranjan, Chhotelal Paswan, Purushottam Kumar, Mithu Prasad, Vijay Kumar, Mamta, Sunil Kumar,



Mrityunjay Kumar, Sanjay Kumar, Arti Kumari, Rajesh Kumar Singh, Md. Kaushar Imam, Manoj Kumar Dubey, Ajay Kumar Sinha, Suresh Kumar, Sudhir Tiwary, Sanjiv Kumar Trivedi, Yogendra Kumar, Nirmal Ram and Anand Prakash Ram, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

SI.	Circle	Name of Circle	Total	Freed from	Required	Timeline	Signature of
No.		Officer	No. of Water bodies	encroachment	to be freed	required/remarks	Circle Officer
	BELAGANJ	AJIT KUMAR LAL	667 16 encrachet	557- 16 Removed	FREE	_	Artista
2.	BODH GAYA	KAMAL NAYAN KASHYAP	2129 31 snowooded	2129 31 Removad	FREE		10,1172
3.	FATHEHPUR	ASHOK KUMAR	565	563	2	4 weeks	61.12.22
4.	MANPUR	ANUJ KUMAR	167 16 erzmahed	167 16 Removed	FREE	-	JEGHO,
5.	GAYA SADAR	RAJIV RANJAN	11.6 63 ervroate	63 Removed	FREE	_	Py/13/22
5.	TANKUPPA	CHHOTE LAL PASWAN	228 Beneroachea	228 3 Removed	FREE	_	Films
7.	WAZIRGANJ	PURUSOTTAM KUMAR	529 38 excepted	527 34 Removed	1	4 weeks	Cml 1:12.W
8.	ATRI	MITHU PRASAD	. 194	199 1 Removed	FREE 1	4 weeks	101 14 100 xx
9,	BATHANI	VIJAY KUMAR	37 enough	37 Removed	FREE	_	Killy
10.	KHIZARSARAY	SMT. MAMTA		606 168 Removed	FREE-		11/2/22
11.	MOHRA	SUNIL KUMAR	174 encrache	174 17 encroached	FREE	_	Burn 1
12.	AMAS	MRITUNJAY KUMAR	1230 22 ercraak	•	FREE	_	Chillips
13.	BANKE BAZAR	SANJAY KUMAR	470 10 were exch	470 ochal 10Total Free 477	FREE	_	100/00/2002
14.	BARACHITI	ARTI KUMARI	18 encrouk	18 Removed	FREE	_	1 12 2021
15.	DOBIII	RAJESH KUMAR SINHA	218 24 encrocche	218 24 Removed	FREE	-	Prainta



20.	MOHANPUR	SURESH KUMAR SUDHIR TIWARI	4 02 26 encrosched 370 11 encrosched	370	FREE	have been removed. All eleven (") enoro- ochment have been remove	And 12 Lynn
20.	SHERGHATI	SUDHIR TIWARI SANJIV KUMAR	370	370		achment have been remon	States Hopes
21.	Goldino	TRIVEDI	22 encrosche	19 Removed	3	4 weeks	13. 27 A
22.	KONCH	YOGENDRA KUMAR	596 Fercroochel	596 Flemoved	FREE	FREE	90.
23.	PARAIYA	NIRMAL RAM	3/,6	3/6	FREE	FREE	10000
24.	TIKARI	ANAND PRAKASH RAM	850 110 encreeded	850 110 Removed	FREE	FREE	alingran

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Gaya to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Senior Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in



that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(ii) District-Jehanabad

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Jehanabad namely, Arvind Kumar Choudhary, Sanjay Kumar Ambasth, Neeli Yadav, Rakesh Ranjan, Ansu Kumari and Kaushalya Kumari, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.



DISTRICT-JEHANABAD (MAGADH DIVISION)

Sl. No.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/remarks	Signature of Circle Officer
1.	GHOSHI	ARVIND KUMAR CHOUDHARY	455	452	03	Three Months	01.10.20
2.	HULASGANJ	ARVINDKURIAR CHOUDHARY	625	622	03	Three Morths	10 12°
3.	JEHANABAD	SANJAY KUMAR AMBASTH	276	268	08	Thorce Morth's	TIMM
4.	KARO KAKO	NELI YADAV	364	353	09	Three Mostl's	Pully
5.	MAKHDUMPUR	RAKESH RANJAN	104	101	03.	Three Mostly	lefizin
6.	MODANGANJ	ANKU KUMARI	365	362	0,3	Thace Most's	TINN
7.	RATNI FARIDPUR	KAUSHALYA KUMARI	243	241	02	Three Mosth's	So or hale

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Jehanabad to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.



We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(iii) District- Aurangabad

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Aurangabad namely, Manoj Kumar Gupta, Mukesh Kumar, Shobha Kumari, Arun Kumar Singh, Anshu Kumar Singh, Manorma Kumari, Ashutosh Kumar, Abhay Kumar, Anju Kumari, Alok Kumar and Awdhesh Kumar Singh, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for



removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest status reads as under:-

1.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/ remarks	Signature of Circle Officer
١.	DAUDNAGAR	MANOJ KUMAR GUPTA	451	105	02	4 weeks	Many Kumar Cubi
2.	GOH	MUKESH KUMAR	1042	40	04	4 weeks	Murem Kenner
3.	HASPURA	NOMAN ANSARI SHOBHA KUMARI	435	57	04	4 weeks	2hobba funcii
4.	OBRA	ARUN KUMAR SINGH	302	96	02	4 weeks	Aruskumorstype
5.	AURANGABAD	ANSHU KUMAR SINGH	214	40	04	4 weeks	Anohe kumer singh.
6.	BARUN	MANORMA KUMARI	299	49	03	4 weeks	Hanorma temar
7.	DEV	ASUTOSH KUMAR	741	59	03	4 weeks	Ashertosh Kuman
8.	KUTUMBA	ABHAY KUMAR	603	289	03	4 Neeks	Human
9.	MADANPUR	SMT. ANJU KUMARI	620	38	62	4 weeks	Auju Lingh
10	0. NABINAGAR	ALOK KUMAR	1147	64	03	4 weeks	Alor Kanon
1	1. RAFIGANJ	AWDHESH KUMAR SINGH	831	71	04	4 weeks	Awadresh kurris

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.



Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Aurangabad to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(iv) District- Nawada

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Nawada namely, Saushi, Jitendra Paswan, Birbal Kumar Barun, Rajni Kumari, Anil Kumar, Punit Kaushal, Gulam



Server, Lavkesh Kumar, Sanjay Kumar, Anjali Kumari, Amita Sinha, Shiv Shankar Ray, Narendra Kumar and Prem Kumar, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest status reads as under:-

		DIST	RICT-NA	WADA (MAGA	DH DIVISIO	ON)	
Sl. No.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed		Signature of Circle Officer
	AKBARPUR	SMUSHI	214 ziercroach	, 19	02	4 weeks	10,01112
2.	GOVINDPUR	JITENDRA PASWAN	89	89	FREE	N/A	Hedollight
3.	MESKOR	BIRBAL KUMAR BARUN	108 Hercrached	108 11 Removed	FREE	N/A	01/12/2021
4.	NARHAT	RAJNI KUMARI	306	306 123 Remared	FREE	MA	01/12
5.	RAJAULI	ANIL KUMAR	83 13eyrrachid	13 Removed	FREE	N/A	1772
6.	ROH	PUNIT KAUSAL	3encroaded	3 germoved	PREE	N/A	al him
7.	SIRDALA	GULAM SERVER	126 Dencreached	2 Pemered	Free	4 works N/A	Refullation
8.	HISUA	LAVKESH KUMAR	81	81	FREE	N/A	21/12/20
9.	KASHICHAK	SANJAY KUMAR	122	122	FREE	N/A	Mother
10.	KAWAKOL	ANJALI KUMARI	244/13	244 13 Removed	FREE	N/A	Marilia 2
11.	NARDIGANJ	AMITA SINHA	139	139	FREE	N/A	Agur
12.	NAWADA SADAR	SHIV SHANKAR RAY	165 24ercrooch	162 {21 Removed	63	4 weeks	Je lieler
13.	PAKRIBARAMA	NARENDRA KUMAR		124 21 Lemoved	FREE	H/A	W- Willer
14.	WARISALIGANJ	PREM KUMAR	80 Sercrached	5 Removed	FREE	N/A	41,12.22

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four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Nawada to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court



proceeding.

(v) District-Arwal

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Arwal namely, Azmat Ali Ansari, Ram Vinay Sharma, Alka Kumari, Sanjay Kumar and Vikesh Kumar Singh, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

Sl. No	Name of Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Require to be freed	Time line required/ remarks	Signatus Hemnika- Circle officer
-	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Arwal	Azmat Ali Ansari	22	14	08	4 weeks	M21/10
2	Kaler	Ram Vinay Sharma	21	20	οÍ	4 MOTERS	3(
3	Kurtha	Alka Kumari	05	05	00		201/20
4	Karpi	Sanjay Kumar	11	11 .	00	_	610
5	Sonbhadra Banshi Suryapur	Vikesh Kumar Singh	07	07	00	_	01/20/20



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The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Arwal to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

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However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the



need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

Under Saran Commissionerate

(i) <u>District – Saran</u>

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Saran, namely Anil Kumar Choubey, Pravin Kumar Sinha Swami Nath Ram, Kumari Sushma, Jauwad Alam, Md. Iqbal Anwar, Jai Shankar Prasad, Chandrashekhar Kumar, Dhananjay Kumar, Mohit Sinha, Akhilesh Choudhary, Sangita Kumari, Satyandra Kumar Singh, Mritunjay Kumar, Pushkal Kumar, Ravi Shankar Pandey, Randhir Prasad and Anku Gupta, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.



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	13.	RIVILGAN	J SANGITA KUMARI	116 21 enouch	of 21 excreament Removed	- N/A	All 21 encroachment have been removed.	hayed the street
	12.	PARSA	AKHILESH CHOUDHARY		138 d 11 removed	N/A	All Il excreachment free been removed.	Ortholis
	11.	NAGRA	MOHIT SINHA		LOI d Frenoved	N/A	All I encroschment have been removed.	30 111
	10.	MANJHI	DHANAJAY KUMAF	42 encrock	346 41 Removed	01	4 weeks	X430/11/~
C	9.	MAKER	CHANDRASHEKHA KUMAR	4 encroaches		M/A	All 4 encroachment fare been removed.	Character to the trans
8	3.	LAHLADPU	PRASAD	20	20	FREE	FREE	St. WELL
7.		JALALPUR	MD. IQBAL ANWAR	196 49enovake		N/A	All 49 encroachment has been removed.	30/11/22
6.	1	GARKHA	JAUWAD ALAM	3/	3/	FREE		My Jamas A
5.	E	KMA	KUMARI SUSHMA	236 58 ercroche	236 58 removed	M/A		
	В	ANIYAPUR	SWAMI NATH RAN	26	26	FREE	PREE.	101/11/12
	SC	NPUR	PRAVIN KUMAR SINHA	72 Bencreached	72 3 removed	N/A	All thrue encrachment have been removed.	Berri Kari
	DIC	SHWARA	PRAVIN KUMAR SINHA	30 2 ercrached	30 2 hemoved	N/A	All two orcreachment have been removed.	Para Botton
	DAR	RIAPUR	CHOUREY	173	173	N/A	Chment which had been removed.	Chouse 30.16
1	Circl		Officer		Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	required/remarks	Signature of Circle Officer

14.	CHAPRA SADAR	SATYANDYA KUMAR SINGH	3₹6 37 ercroachal	376 37 oremoved.	-	N/A	CK130111/22
15.	AMNOUR	MRITUNJAY KUMAR	109 15 encrocked	109 Isremoved	_	N/A	Jug. 11.22
16.	ISHUWAPUR	PUSHKAL KUMAR	74	74 07 Removed	_	MA	tures.
17.	MARHAURA	RAVI SHANKAR PANDEY	150 Encrepched	150 20 encrachment Amad	-	N/A	davi-sanker
18.	MASARAKH	DAVI SHANKAR	172	172 13 encroachment fermul		N/A	Don't hant gand In
19.	PANAPUR	RANDHIR PRASAD	111 14 encroached	3 still encreached	3	4 Neeks	Randlin have
20.	TARAIYA	ANKU GUPTA	50 2ercreached	50 2 encroachosont forces	J	N/A	30/11/22

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.



The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Saran to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(ii) District-Siwan

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of Siwan



namely, Sunil Kumar, Randhir Kumar, Dinanath Kumar, Rarun Kumar Saroj, Ajay Thakur, Rabindra Ram, Rameshwar Ram, Anil Kumar Srivastava, Arvind Prasad Singh, Shambhu Nath Ram, Prabhat Kumar, Sunil Kumar, Dibya Raj Ganesh, Atul Kumar Singh, Dharmnath Baitha, Ashok Kumar Mishra, Satish Kumar, Gyan Prakash Srivastava and Subhendra Kumar Jha, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

0.	Circle	Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/remarks	Signature of Circle Officer
	BASANTPUR	SUNIL KUMAR	4	3	1	8 Neeks	61) 12 120 22
2.	BHAGWANPUR HATT	RANDHIR KUMAR	8	8	0	M/A	fandled fre
3.	DARAUNDHA	DINHHATH	06	03	03	Sweeks .	1100 math ken
4.	GORIAKOTHI	ARUN KUMAR SAROT	26	24	02	6 months	freed ferrings
5.	LAKRI NABIGANJ	AJAY THAKUR	06	04	02	6 months	Apr 11.420
6.	MAHARAJGANJ	RABINDRA RAM	08	07	01	3 months	of 12 22
7.	AANDAR	RAMESHWAR RAM	38	28	10	6 menths	Alina 2
8.	BARHARIYA	AHIL KUMAR SRIVASTAVA	47	47	FREE	N/A	34.13.30
9.	DARAULI	ARVIND PRASAD	21	12	09	6 months	Seuls Sterest
10	O. GUTHANI	SHAMBHU NATH RAM	42	40	2	6 months	Shandhu nath h Univer
1	1. HASANPURA	PRACHAT KUNAR	97	9.6	01	4 weeks	01-12-22
1	2. HUSSAINGANJ	SUNIL KUMAR	26	20	06	6 months	01/12/20
1	3. MAIRWA	DIBYA RAJ	20	1/	09	6 months	wilyaksi bas



NAUTAN	ATUL KUMAR SINGH	22	14	08	6 months	Afril Kuman high
	\	17	16	01	6 marss	Operan with Bergy
	MSHOK RIMIAR	25	23	02	6 months	201/12/22
SISWAN	SATISH RUMAR	40	38	82	6 months	Satish know
SIWAN SADAR	GYAY PRAKESY	81	57	24	12 months	Lyn Pakach Shinel
	SUBHENDRA KUNAC		25	08	6 months	Subledy to the
	PACHRUKHI RAGHUNATHPUR	PACHRUKHI DHARMMATH BAYTHA RAGHUNATHPUR ASHOK KIMAR MISHRA SISWAN SATISH KUMAR SIWAN SADAR SYAN PRIKESH SAVAR SAVAR	PACHRUKHI DHARMAATH BAITHA 17 RAGHUNATHPUR ASARI KAMAR MISHRA SISWAN SATISH KUMAR 40 SIWAN SADAR GYAN PRIKEGH SIWAKTAVA SIWAKTAVA SIWAKTAVA SUSHBADBI SUSHBADBA KIMAR 33	PACHRUKHI DHARMHATH BATHA 17 16 RAGHUNATHPUR ASHOK KIMAR 25 23 SISWAN SATISH KUMAR 40 38 SIWAN SADAR GYAH PRAKESH 81 57 SIWANEL SUBHEDDAA KIMAR 83 25	PACHRUKHI DHARMMATH BATTHA 17 16 01 RAGHUNATHPUR ASHOK RIMAR 25 23 02 SISWAN SATISH KUMAR 40 38 62 SIWAN SADAR GYAN PRAKECH 81 57 24 ZURADEI SUNHENDAR RIMAR 83 25 08	PACHRUKHI DHARMHATH BATHA 17 16 01 6 months RAGHUNATHPUR ASHOK KIMAR 25 23 02 6 months SISWAN SATISH KUMAR 40 38 02 6 months SIWAN SADAR GYAH PRIKESH 81 57 24 12 months SIWANDEL SUBHEDDAA KIMAR 83 25 08 6 months

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Siwan to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to



communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

(iii) District -Gopalganj

We have interacted with the Circle Officers of East Gopalganj namely, Pankaj Kumar, Ved Prakash Narayan, Rakesh Kumar, Suman Saurabh, Shahid Akhtar, Abhishek Kumar, Rajat Kumar Baranwal, Chandra Bhanu Kumar, Bhagya Narayan Roy, Bipin Kumar Singh, Priyanka Singh, Aditya Shankar, Shyam Sundar Rai and Ravish Kumar, who are present in Court.

We are happy to record that post issuance of directions by this Court, the Circle Officers have taken steps for removing the encroachments from the water bodies falling within their respective territorial jurisdiction.

The chart, in a tabular form, indicating the latest



status reads as under:-

DISTRICT-GOPALGANJ (SARAN DIVISION)

il. Io.	Circle	Name of Circle Officer	Total No. of Water bodies	Freed from encroachment	Required to be freed	Timeline required/remark s	Signature of Circle Officer
١.	BAIKUNTHPUR	PANKAJ KUMAR	678	11	ZERO	NTL	61112/22
2.	BARAULI	VED PRAKASH NARAYAN.	996	83	ZERD	NIL	Juliu 1.12.22
3.	GOPALGANJ	RAKESH KUMAR	235	38	ZERD	NIL	A silaliza
4.	KUCHAIKOTE	SUMAN SAURABH	1002	49	05	24 WEEKS	10111212
5.	MANJHA	SHAHID AKHTAR	361	18	ZERO	NIL	2.1-2
6.	SIDHWALIA	ABHISHEK KUMAR	22	22	OD	NIL	Applished
7.	THAWE	RAJAT KUMAR	251	27	ZERO	NIL	Dolling
8.	BHORE	CHANDRA BHANU	193	46	ZERD	NIL	Constitution
9.	BIJAIPUR	BHAGYA NARAIN	642	99	٥١	08 WEEKS	294/12/202
10.	HATHUA	BIPIN KUMAR	217	122	ZERO	NIL	SH1122
11.	KATIYA	PRIYANKA SINGH	288	221	ZERD	NIL	To not only
12.	PANCHDEORI	ADITYA SHANKAR	217	57	02	24 WEEKS	9 121-
13.	PHULWARIA	SHYAMSUNDAR RAI	74	18	02	12 WEEKS	W.=
14.	UCHKAGAON	RAVISH KUMAR	662	61	ZERD	NIL	1/2/21

We see no reason as to why remaining encroachments from the water bodies cannot be removed within a period of four weeks.

Needful be positively done within a period of four weeks.

The affidavit of compliance, complete in all respect, be positively filed within four weeks from today.

Advance copy be supplied to Shri Surendra Kumar Singh, learned counsel for the petitioner.

We direct the District Magistrate, Gopalganj to personally monitor the operations of making the water-bodies



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free from encroachments.

We further direct the Superintendent of Police to provide police force, should the officers make any request in that regard.

Learned counsel for the State undertakes to communicate the order during the course of the day.

Officers, unless or otherwise, so directed, need not remain present in Court.

However, we caution the Circle Officers that the Court would not hesitate in initiating proceedings, should the need so arise, if it is found that the affidavit filed is contrary to the factual position at the ground level.

Officers have been apprised of the contempt of Court proceeding.

List on 06.02.2023, for such purpose.

(Sanjay Karol, CJ)

(Partha Sarthy, J)

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