WP-2747-2017

(RGUNE Vs THE STATE OF M.P. & OTHERS)

28-04-2017

Shri Prakash Braru, Advocate for the petitioner.

Petitioner, a resident of Village Naogaon has approached this Court contending that the land in question is of his ownership and possession. However, having apprehension of encroachment, to secure the land and for straightening the revenue records, he applied for mutation of the land in 2011 after depositing the requisite fee, but the Tahsildar has delayed the proceedings, as is reflected from the order-sheets on record wherein adjournments have been granted time and again and at a distance of more than six years, petitioner submits that he is left with no other alternative but to approach this Court for direction to the Tahsildar to complete the mutation proceedings.

As a matter of fact, in all fairness, petitioner should have brought to the notice of respondent no.2-Collector the lapse on the part of Tahsildar in his official duty. That appears to have not been done. Therefore, it is directed that within one week from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, petitioner shall file a detailed representation before the Collector along with certified copy of this order, bringing to his notice the inordinate delay being caused in completion of mutation proceedings, obtaining acknowledgment thereupon from his office. On such representation being filed,

the Collector shall ensure that the concerned Tahsildar completes the mutation proceedings, if not already completed, within four weeks from the date of submission of certified copy of this order.

Petition disposed of, accordingly.

(ROHIT ARYA) JUDGE

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