

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI**

**W.P (C) No. 2312 of 2015**

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The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9, Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 7) Gram Panchayat Deorikhurd, Hussainabad Anchal Palamau Dist Jharkhand
- ..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2091 of 2015**

Krishna Kumar Singh, Son Of Late Ram Keshwar Singh Resi Of Vill Selaiya Karma Po Pirota Ps Navi Nagar Dist Aurangabad Bihar .. .. **Petitioner**  
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- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 2) Secretary Dept Of Mines And Geology , Govt Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po And Ps Medininagar Dist Palamu
  - 4) Dist Mining Officer Palamau Po And Ps Medininagar Dist Palamu
  - 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau , Po And Ps Medininagar Dist Palamu
- ..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2353 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
- 6) Gram Panchayat Kukhi, Haidarnagar Anahcal, PO +PS-Japla, Dist.- Palamau Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2354 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

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- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
- 6) Gram Panchayat Deorikala, Hussainabad Anchal Palamau Dist Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2364 of 2015**

Maredian Realtors Pvt. Ltd., having its office at M/87, Argora Housing Colony, PO-Ashok Nagar, PS-Argora, Town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its General Manager, namely, Deepak Tiwary, son of Shri Lalan prasad Tiwary, r/o Rajab Ali Lane, Church road, PO-Lower Bozar, PS-Lower Bazar, District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) .....

**Petitioner**

VERSUS

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- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Pakur, PO & PS- Pakur, District-Pakur
- 4) District Mining Officer, Pakur, PO & PS- Pakur, District-Pakur
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Pakur, PO & PS- Pakur, District-Pakur

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2365 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
- 6) Gram Panchayat Benikala, Hussainabad Anchal, Palamau Dist, Jharkhand

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**with**

**WP(C) No. 2366 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

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  - 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 7) Gram Panchayat Kharagpur, Hariharganj Anchal, Palamau district, Jharkhand
- ... .. **Respondents**

**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2367 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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  - 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
  - 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 7) Gram Panchayat Kataiya, Hariharganj Anchal, Palamau Dist Jharkhand
- ... .. **Respondents**

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**WP(C) No. 2368 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand

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4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

7) Gram Panchayat Rehalnagar, Vishrampur Anchal Palamau Dist Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2370 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

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3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

7) Gram Panchayat Sudna Pakshimi, Sadar Medininagar Anchal, Palamau Dist Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2371 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
- 7) Gram Panchayat Sirma, Patan Anchal, Palamau district, Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2372 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
- 7) Gram Panchayat Kolhua Sonbarsa, Mohammadganj Anchal, Hussainabad Anchal Palamau district, Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2373 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**



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  - 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 7) Gram Panchayat Mahugawan, Chainpur Anchal, Palamau district, Jharkhand
- ... .. **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2374 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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  - 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
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  - 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
  - 7) Gram Panchayat Pansa, Mohammadganj Anchal, Palamau district, Jharkhand
- ..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2375 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand
- 7) Gram Panchayat Redma, Sadar Medininagar Anchal, Palamau district, Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2376 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

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- 4) District Mining Officer, Pakur Po &PS- Pakur District-Pakur
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Pakur Po &PS- Pakur District-Pakur

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2378 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

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6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

7) Gram Panchayat Mohhammadganj, Mohhammadganj Anchal, Palamau district, Jharkhand

... .. **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2385 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

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6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

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**WP(C) No. 2386 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

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6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

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**WP(C) No. 2387 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

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**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2388 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

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6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

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The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

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6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

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**WP(C) No. 2390 of 2015**

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- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2391 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2392 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2393 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2394 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2395 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2396 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra .....

**Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2397 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand

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5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand

6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2398 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand

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5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau

Jharkhand

6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2399 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2401 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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Jharkhand

6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2402 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2403 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its

Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2404 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
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- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2405 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2406 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand  
..... **Respondents**

**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2407 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
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- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand  
..... **Respondents**

**with**  
**WP(C) No. 2408 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**VERSUS**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Palamau Po Palamau Ps Palamau Dist Palamau Jharkhand
- 6) State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Through Its Member Secretary C 170 Road No 04 Ashok Nagar Ranchi Jharkhand

..... **Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2660 of 2015**

The Mills Store Company Bombay Private Limited having its office at Space No.1, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Park Plaza, Morabadi, PO Morabadi, PS-Bariyatu, town & District-Ranchi (Jharkhand) through its Manager, namely, Ajit Pokharkar, S/o Gangaram Pokharkar, R/o 20/9 ,Mirashi Nagar, Kanjur Marg (E) Po Bhandup Ps Kanjur Marg, Dist Mumbai-400042, Maharashtra ..... **Petitioner**

**--VERSUS--**

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology, Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Pakur Po & PS Pakur Dist Pakur Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Pakur Po & Ps Pakur Dist Pakur Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Pakur Po & Ps Pakur Dist Pakur Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

**with**

**WP(C) No. 2662 of 2015**

Maredian Realtors Pvt Ltd having its office at M/87, Argora Housing Colony, Po-Ashok Nagar, PS-Argora, Town & District-Ranchi(Jharkhand) through its authorized signatory, namely, Deepak Tiwary, Son Of Shri Lalan



Prasad Tiwary Resident Of Rajab Ali Lane, Church Road, Po Lower Bazar  
Ps Lower Bazar Dist Ranchi Jharkhand .. ...**Petitioner**

--VERSUS--

- 1) The State Of Jharkhand Through The Chief Secretary, Having Its Office At Project Bhawan Po And Ps Dhurwa Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 2) Secretary, Department Of Mines And Geology, Government Of Jharkhand Having Its Office At Nepal House Po And Ps Doranda Town And Dist Ranchi Jharkhand
- 3) Deputy Commissioner, Pakur Po & PS Pakur Dist Pakur Jharkhand
- 4) District Mining Officer, Pakur Po & Ps Pakur Dist Pakur Jharkhand
- 5) Assistant Mining Officer, Pakur Po & Ps Pakur Dist Pakur Jharkhand

.....**Respondents**

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**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUJIT NARAYAN PRASAD**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAVNEET KUMAR**  
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For the Petitioner : Mr. Indrajit Sinha, Advocate  
(in all matters)  
For the Resp-State : Mrs. Darshana Poddar Mishra, AAG-I  
For the Resp. No.6 : Mr. Bhanu Kumar, Advocate  
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**Order No.9/ Dated: 31<sup>st</sup> January 2025**

In this batch of writ petitions, the issues involved are common and, as such, all are being heard and decided together.

2. For ready reference prayer of the writ petition being W.P.(C) No. 2360 of 2015 is being quoted as under:

- a) For issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction, including the writ in the nature of certiorari, for quashing the order, as contained in Letter no.157/Mining, Medini Nagar dated 27.3.2015 issued under the signature of the Deputy Commissioner, Palamu-Respondent No.3, whereby and whereunder, auction for settlement of Sand Ghat in favour of the petitioner has been cancelled in terms of Letter no.176/2012, Part-Vi 346/M dated 20.2.2015 issued under the signature of the Joint Secretary, Mines & Geology Department, Government of Jharkhand;
- b). For declaring that the condition of submission of documents mentioned in Letter of Intent no. 803 dated 01.11.2013 within 60 days is unreasonable and arbitrary and *ultra vires* the Articles 14 and 19(1)(g) of the Constitution of India as also the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 read with the Jharkhand Minor

Mineral Concession Rules, 2007, or in the alternative, for declaring that such condition of 60 days as merely directory in nature;

c) For issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction, Including the writ in the nature of mandamus to Respondent no. 6 directing it to consider and decide the application of the Petitioner for grant of Environmental Clearances dated 23.07.2014 within a stipulated period of time, preferably within 30 days from the date of direction of this Hon'ble Court;

d) For issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction, including the writ in the nature of mandamus to Respondents no. 1 to 5 directing them to immediately transfer 80% of the amount so far deposited by the Petitioner towards the bid amount to Respondent no. 7 under Rule 12(5) of the Jharkhand Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 2007 as amended by sec. 2 of the Jharkhand Minor Mineral Concession (Amendment) Rules, 2010;

e) For issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction, including the writ in the nature of mandamus to Respondent no. 6 directing it to grant recommendation, upon receiving the aforesaid 80% amount from Respondents no. 1 to 5, to the Petitioner Rule 12(3) of the Jharkhand Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 2007 as amended by sec. 2 of the Jharkhand Minor Mineral Concession (Amendment) Rules, 2010;

AND

f) For any other relief or reliefs for which the petitioner is legally entitled in the facts and circumstances of the case.

3. Mr. Indrajit Sinha, the learned counsel appearing for the petitioners in all cases at the outset has submitted that he is not pressing the grievance regarding issue of settlement of the Sand Ghat of different districts i.e. Palamau and Pakur, of the State of Jharkhand which has been cancelled by the order impugned but the Earnest Money and the Security Deposit which have been deposited as a pre-condition for participation in the process of bid of the aforesaid Sand Ghat is required to be refunded, since, according to him, no laches can be said to be committed on behalf of the petitioners and if there is laches on the part of the State Government in issuance of environment clearance certificate by the competent authority,

i.e, SEIAA, then no attributability can be casted upon the petitioners on that ground.

4. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioners, therefore, has submitted that these writ petitions, so far as the cancellation of the Sand Ghat is concerned, are not pressing, however, he has sought for liberty to raise the issue for refund of the Earnest Money and the Security Deposit by filing appropriate applications, individually, before the Secretary of the concerned department, i.e., Department of Mines and Geology, Government of Jharkhand by raising all available points.

5. Mrs. Darshana Poddar Mishra, the learned State counsel has not disputed such liberty having been sought for on behalf of the petitioners, rather she has fair enough to submit that if such representation will be filed raising the aforesaid grievance, the competent authority will consider the same and take a decision in accordance with law.

6. This Court, considering the aforesaid submissions made on behalf of the parties and having expressed the consent on behalf of the petitioners to not press the writ petitions so far as the issue of tender regarding the settlement of Sand Ghat is concerned, however, liberty which has been sought for by raising the issue for refund of amount of the Earnest Money and the Security Deposit is required to be given to the petitioners for its determination.

7. Accordingly, these writ petitions are being disposed of with a liberty to the petitioners to make individual representation to the Secretary, Department of Mines and Geology, Government of Jharkhand with all details supported by relevant documents and if such representation will be filed, then the Secretary, Department of Mines and Geology, Government of Jharkhand will take a decision and pass a reasoned order in accordance with law.

8. With the aforesaid direction, these writ petitions are disposed of.

9. I.A., if any, stands disposed of.

**(Sujit Narayan Prasad, J.)**

Sudhir

**(Navneet Kumar, J.)**