

WP (PIL) No. 01/2015

IN RE: HIGH COURT OF SIKKIM

Date: 06/12/2019

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUP KUMAR GOSWAMI, CJ.
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI MADAN RAI, J.

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(Arup Kumar Goswami, CJ)

Heard Mr. A. K. Upadhyaya, learned Senior Counsel and Mr. Jorgay Namka, learned counsel as Amici Curiae. Also heard Mr. Vivek Kohli, learned Advocate General, Sikkim.

Perused the orders dated 03.10.2019 and 04.10.2019. It is submitted by Mr. Kohli that Section 4 Notification under Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 had been issued for acquisition of land in respect of a jail in West District and Social Impact Assessment is underway. He prays for some more time to submit a plan along with a detailed report as required by order dated 04.10.2019. He also submits that he will file a comprehensive affidavit detailing the progress made in respect of construction of jail in Namchi, South Sikkim and Rongyek, East Sikkim.

We accept the prayer made by Mr. Kohli for grant of some more time to file affidavit as well as to submit the report.

In the affidavit to be filed, Mr. Kohli will also indicate the progress made so far as identification of land for jail in North District is concerned.

List on 25.03.2020.

Judge

Chief Justice