



2026:AHC:44552

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

WRIT - C No. - 8098 of 2026

Gulab Singh And 6 Others

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State Of U.P. And 16 Others

.....Respondent(s)

Counsel for Petitioner(s)	:	Amit Kumar
Counsel for Respondent(s)	:	Azad Rai, C.S.C.

Court No. - 6

HON'BLE PRAKASH PADIA, J.

1. Heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record.
2. In view of the order proposed to be passed herein, no useful purpose would be served by putting the private respondent to notice and keeping this petition pending before this Court. However, in case the private respondent feels aggrieved by the order his/her right to seek modification/variation of the order is being kept reserved.
3. The basic relief sought by the petitioner in the present petition is to direct the respondent No.2/Sub Divisional Magistrate Handia, Prayagraj to decide Case No.290 of 2023 filed under Section 116 of U.P. Revenue Code, 2006 expeditiously.
4. The matter is pending before the respondent No.2 since long and considerable time has already been lapsed but till date no final decision has been taken in the matter.
5. In the facts and circumstances of the case, the present petition is disposed of directing the respondent No.2/Sub Divisional Magistrate Handia, Prayagraj to decide the aforesaid case ***strictly in accordance with law most expeditiously and preferably within a period of one year*** from the date of production of certified copy before the respondent No.2 but without granting unnecessary adjournment unless there is no legal impediment.
6. It is made clear that this Court has not adjudicated the matter on merits.

(Prakash Padia,J.)

February 26, 2026

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