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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI L.P.A. No. 500 of 2012

with

I.A.No. 3513 of 2012

The State of Jharkhand Appellant

-Versus-

Baijnath Hansda and ors. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE HON'BLE MRS JUSTICE JAYA ROY

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For the Appellant : Mr.Lukesh Kumar,Adv. For the Respondents : Mr.Suresh Kumar,Adv.

Dated 3rd May, 2013

By Court - Heard learned counsel for the parties on I. A. No. 3513 of 2012

- 2. In view of the reasons stated in the application, I.A.No. 3513 of 2012 is allowed and the delay in filing the appeal is condoned.
- 3. Heard learned counsel for the parties on merit also.
- 4. Admittedly, the writ petitioner's post retiral benefits matter has not been settled by the respondent, the appellant herein, even after lapse of eight years and, therefore, the learned Single Judge has rightly allowed the writ application and imposed a cost of Rs.10,000/-.
- 5. We find no illegality in the order impugned in this appeal.
- 6. There being no merit, the Letters Patent Appeal is dismissed.

(Prakash Tatia, C.J.)

(Jaya Roy, J)