REAL ESTATE REGULATORY AUTHORITY, BIHAR

Before the Bench of Mr. Naveen Verma, Chairman & Mrs. Nupur Banerjee, Member

Case No. RERA/PRO/REG.70/2021

Authorized Representative of RERA v.
Prangan Developers Pvt. Ltd.

Project - SRI RAM VILLA

HEARING THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCING

ORDER

08-04-2022

Hearing taken up under section 5 (1) (b) of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016, for rejection of the application for registration of the project 'SRI RAM VILLA'.

Real Estate Regulatory Authority, Bihar issued a show-cause notice to Prangan Developers Pvt. Ltd. through its Director Dharmendra Kumar Singh, on 01.04.2022 as to why the application for registration of the Project SRI RAM VILLA (Application No. RERAP03102021134017-1), filed by the promoter with the Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA), Bihar, on 19.03.2021, should not be rejected under Section 5 (1) (b) of the Real Estate (Regulation & Development) Act, 2016. The ground for rejection was that the applicant failed to furnish copy of map approved by the competent authority.

Mr. Amritesh Kumar Mishra, Learned Counsel appeared on behalf of the respondent company and placed before the Bench that the area has been notified under planning area on 01.09.2021, whereas the applicant has made an application for the registration of the real estate project on 19.03.2021, therefore, prays for consideration of the application.

The Authorised Representative of RERA submits that the promoter has made an application for registration of the Project 'SRI RAM VILLA, with the map approved by Mukhiya Kharati Gram Panchayat, Block – Bodh Gaya, District Gaya, and the area in which the project is proposed has now been notified under Bodh Gaya planning area.

The Bench takes note of the fact that Mukhiya of Gram Panchayat does not have the power of approval of building plan in their respective panchayat areas, and after the area is notified within the planning area, the competent authority to approve maps/plans is the Bodh Gaya Planning Area Authority.

The Bench observes that an application filed under section 4 of the Act must fulfil the requirements of sub-section 2 of Section 4 of the Act as well as Rule 3 and 4 of the Bihar Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Rules, 2017.

In the light of facts and circumstances mentioned above the Authority observes that it is apparent that the building map/plan of the proposed project has not been approved by the competent authority in terms of section 4 (2) (d) of the Act and construction of building which are not being regulated cannot be allowed putting the interest of allottees in jeopardy. Therefore, the real estate project 'SRI RAM VILLA' stands rejected as the promoter has failed to submit the requisite documents with the Authority as stipulated by Section 4 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016 and Rule 3 of the Bihar Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Rules, 2017, with the liberty that promoter may apply again for the registration of same project in future along with requisite documents and no fees would be charged from them.

Sd/- Sd/-

Nupur Banerjee (Member) Naveen Verma (Chairman)