



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 2079 of 2026

Smt. Muktlata Tigga W/o Late Rajendra Tigga Aged About 57 Years Posted As Lecturer, Government Higher Secondary School Gharjiyabathan Block Patthalgaon, District Jashpur C.G.

... Petitioner(s)

versus

1 - State Of Chhattisgarh Through Its Secretary School Education Department, Mantralaya, Mahanadi Bhawan, Naya Raipur, District Raipur C.G.

2 - Director, Directorate Of Public Instruction Indrawati Bhawan, Naya Raipur, Atal Nagar District Raipur C.G.

3 - Divisional Joint Director School Education Division Surguja Ambikapur, District Surguja C.G.

4 - District Education Officer, Jashpur, District Jashpur C.G.

5 - Block Education Officer Patthalgaon, District Jashpur C.G.

... Respondent(s)

Order Sheet

26/02/2026	Ms. Zainab Vanak, counsel for the petitioner. Mr. Khulesh Sahu, Panel lawyer for the State. Heard on admission.

	Issue notice to respondents. Mr. Khulesh Sahu, Panel Lawyer accepts notice for respondents. Hence, PF is not required to be paid for issuance of notice to respondents. Learned counsel for the State/respondents prays for and is granted three weeks time to file reply. Also heard on IA No.1, which is an application for grant of interim relief. On due consideration of submission of learned counsel for the petitioner based on decision in the case of State of Punjab & Ors vs. Rafiq Masih (White Washer) & ors, reported in (2015) 4 SCC 334, purely as an interim measure, it is directed that no recovery pursuant to impugned order dated 15.01.2026 (Annexure P-1) shall be made from the petitioner till the next date of hearing. List this case in the month of June 2026. Sd/- (Parth Prateem Sahu) Judge
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