



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 2849 of 2026

Smriti Thakur **Versus** State of Chhattisgarh

Order Sheet

30/03/2026	Mr. N. Naha Roy, Counsel for the petitioner. Heard. Issue notice to the respondents. Ms. Apurva Nigam, P.L. accepts notice on behalf of respondent No. 1 to 4. Hence, PF is not required to be paid. On payment of PF as per rules, issue notice to respondent No. 5, returnable within three weeks. Also heard I.A. No. 1, an application for grant of Ad-Interim Relief. Learned counsel for petitioner submits that petitioner is working as Pre-Primary Teacher. She was appointed by following due process of law vide order dated 12.07.2022 and since then she is continuously discharging duties up to the satisfaction of Respondent No. 5. Petitioner was served with a letter dated 27.02.2026 that her services had come to an end after one month from 31.03.2026 stating that funds are not available. The school in which petitioner is posted is a government funded school and in similar facts of the case interim relief has been granted in WPS No. 6566/2025. Therefore, similar interim relief be granted to this petitioner

Saurabh	also. Learned State counsel submits that he will file reply to the application for grant of interim relief also. He further submits that the main relief of the petitioner is against Respondent No. 5. On due consideration of the submission of learned counsel for the respective parties, purely as an interim measure, it is directed that the status quo with respect to posting of petitioner shall be maintained by the parties till the next date of hearing. List this case after three weeks. Sd/- (Parth Prateem Sahu) JUDGE
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