

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WPC No. 1583 of 2026****DR. SHAKEEL *versus* STATE OF CHHATTISGARH****Order Sheet**

15/04/2026	Mr. Goutam Khetrapal, counsel for the petitioner. Mr. Soumitra Kesharwani, Panel Lawyer for the State/Respondent Nos.1 & 2. Mr. Ranbir Singh Marhas, counsel for the respondent No.3. Heard. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the term of the Municipal Corporation, Birgaon, District Raipur is going to be completed in December, 2026. However, vide notification (Annexure P-8) dated 31.07.2024, delimitation of wards of the Municipal Corporation, Birgaon has been carried out, whereby areas of old wards have been changed. He further submits that after issuance of the aforesaid notification, the officers of the Municipal Corporation, Birgaon are collecting various taxes as per the newly delimited wards. In view of the above, learned counsel for the

Rukhsar	State/Respondent Nos.1 & 2 is directed to file an affidavit of Respondent No.2, stating therein since when the notification (Annexure P-8) has been made effective, i.e., whether it has been implemented during the tenure of ongoing present body of Municipal Corporation or after the completion of its term. List the case on 01st May, 2026 as a fresh case. Sd/- (Naresh Kumar Chandravanshi) Judge
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