



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 7543 of 2023

R. P. DUBEY versus STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Order Sheet

09/04/2026	Shri RS Patel, counsel for the petitioner. Shri Dilman Rati Minj, Deputy AG for the State/respondent. Vide order dated 27.09.2023, it has been directed by this Court that the departmental enquiry initiated against the petitioner be stayed while clearly specifying therein that no further proceedings will be done in the said Departmental Enquiry. The said interim relief was continued till the last date of hearing. However, when the matter is called today, learned counsel for the petitioner while requesting to place on record certain documents submits that today itself, the authorities have called the petitioner by issuing a letter to him (Annexure P/14) for appearing in the departmental enquiry. In such circumstances, the concerned Divisional Forest Officer is directed to remain present before this Court on 28th April, 2026 and he shall explain in writing by filing an affidavit as to why in contravention of the order dated 27.09.2023 passed by this Court, such a letter has been issued to the petitioner.
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Avinash	The authorities concerned are further directed to comply with the order dated 27.09.2023 and not to initiate any proceedings in the departmental enquiry till the next date of hearing. It is also directed that the authorities concerned shall not take any steps or action contrary to the order dated 27.09.2023 passed by this Court till the next date of hearing. Any contravention will lead to initiation of contempt proceedings against the authorities concerned. List this matter on 28th April, 2026. Sd/- (Amitendra Kishore Prasad) Judge
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