

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WPS No. 6185 of 2024**

Bhojram Kenwat @ Bhojram Nishad **Versus** State Of Chhattisgarh
Order Sheet

27/01/2025	Mr. A.N. Bhakta & Mr. Vivek Bhakta, Counsel for the petitioner. Mr. Suyashdhar Badgaiya, Dy. G.A. for the State. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a contingency paid daily wager employee and according to him, his services are required to be superannuated after completion of 62 years of age, however, by the impugned notice dated 14.08.2024 passed by the respondent No. 3, he would be going to retire on 31.01.2025 after completion of 60 years of age. He further submits that the present petition was filed on 27.09.2024 and vide order dated

01.10.2024, the respondents were directed to file reply but till date, no reply has been filed and the petitioner is going to be retired just after four days on the basis of attaining 60 years of age.

At this stage, learned State counsel prays for some more time to file reply.

Accordingly, State counsel is directed to file reply on or before 03.03.2025.

The petitioner is also directed to file his rejoinder by 07.03.2025.

Considering the submissions advanced by counsel for the parties, also the fact that the petitioner is going to retire on 31.01.2025 and according to the petitioner, he should be retired after completion of 62 years of age, purely as an interim measure, it is directed that till the next date of hearing, the petitioner would not be superannuated and he shall be allowed to continue his service subject to the condition that he will not claim any salary for the month of February,2025 & March,2025. Till the next date, the respondents are also

Vishakha	restrained to retire the petitioner. List the matter on 19.03.2025. On that date, the matter will be decided finally. sd/- (Amitendra Kishore Prasad) Judge
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