



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 9129 of 2019

SURENDRA KUMAR MARKANDEY **versus** STATE OF CHHATTISGARH

Order Sheet

16/03/2026	Mr. Kaif Ali Rizvi, appears on behalf of Mr. Malay Shrivastava, counsel for the petitioner. Mr. Amit Buxy, Dy. Government Advocate for the State. Vide order dated 08.11.2019 this Court has directed State counsel to file reply, thereafter on 18.02.2026 & 03.03.2026 time was sought by the State counsel to file reply, but the same has not been filed till today. In view of the above, Commissioner, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Development Department/Respondent No.2 herein, is directed to file his own affidavit within three days from today as to why the reply has not been filed, failing which cost will be imposed upon respondent No.2 herein. Reply will also be filed. List the matter on 23rd of March, 2026. Sd/- (Sanjay K. Agrawal) Judge
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