

**HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR****WPS No. 8994 of 2019****DR. AJAY DANI *versus* STATE OF CHHATTISGARH****Order Sheet**

02/01/2026	Mr. Jitendra Gupta, Counsel for the petitioner. Mr. Sharad Mishra, P.L. for the State. This Court, by order dated 19.03.2020, directed the State counsel to file a reply. However, till date, no reply has been filed. In view of the above, the Director, Directorate of Health Services, (Respondent No. 2) is directed to file his personal affidavit explaining the delay of five years in filing the reply. The affidavit shall be filed on or before 16.01.2026, failing which the Director, Directorate of Health Services, (Respondent No. 2), shall remain present before this Court through video conferencing. List the matter on 19.01.2026. Sd/- (Sanjay K. Agrawal) Judge
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