

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI

L.P.A. No. 749 of 2025

Subhash Kumar Das Petitioner/Appellant

Versus

The State of Jharkhand and Others ... Respondents/Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH SHANKAR

For the Appellant: Dr. Vanana Singh, Advocate
For the State: Mr. Piyush Chitresh, A.C. to A.G.
For the JSSC: Mr. Sanjoy Piprawall, Advocate
Mr. Prince Kumar, Advocate
Mr. Rakesh Ranjan, Advocate

03/Dated: 04.02.2026

1. Heard the learned counsel for the parties.
2. We direct the Jharkhand Staff Selection Commission (JSSC) to file an affidavit *inter alia* disclosing whether three, out of the advertised posts, reserved for members of the Scheduled Caste are presently vacant as contended by the petitioner in this petition and further, whether, for purpose of this selection, there were any candidates who had cleared their written examination but failed to appear for verification of documents on the appointed date. All such details along with the response to the issues raised in the petition should be filed at the earliest, i.e., on or before 19th of February 2026, by serving an advance copy to the learned counsel for the petitioner.
3. List this matter on 23rd of February 2026.

(M. S. Sonak, C.J.)

(Rajesh Shankar, J.)

February 04, 2026