



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**  
**W.P.(C) No. 859 of 2024**

***Dipak Mohapatra***

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***Petitioner***

Mr. S.C. Mekap, Advocate

-versus-

***Collector-cum-D.M., Khurda  
& Ors.***

.....

***Opposite Parties***

Mr. A. Pati, ASC

**CORAM:**  
**THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY**  
**ORDER**  
**24.11.2025**

**Order No. 07**      **I.A. No. 6577 of 2025**

1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
2. Learned counsel for the Petitioner does not want to press this I.A.
3. Accordingly, the I.A. is dismissed as not pressed.

***(BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY)***  
***Judge***

**08. W.P.(C) No.859 of 2024**

1. Heard learned counsel appearing for the Parties.
2. Since the impugned order has been passed by Opp. Party No.1 Collector-cum-District Magistrate, it is the view of this Court that counter affidavit is required to be filed by the said Opp. Party.
3. As requested by Mr. A. Pati, learned Addl. Standing Counsel, list this matter in the week commencing 12.01.2026.
4. Counter affidavit, if any, be filed in the meantime.

***(BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY)***  
***Judge***

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