



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CONTC No. 401 of 2026

Nibedita Pradhan

..... *Petitioner(s)*

Mr. Sidharth Parida, Adv.

-Versus-

*Subha Sharma, IAS,
Principal Secretary, Department of
Water Resources, Government of
Odisha & Anr.*

Opposite Party/Contemnor(s)

Mr. Sonak Mishra, ASC

Mr. Arnav Behera, Adv.

(for O.P.2)

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

MR. JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER

19.02.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. This CONTC has been filed by the Petitioner for non-compliance of the order dated 14.05.2024 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.15877 of 2016.
3. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
4. Though the order was passed in the month of May, 2024 and the direction therein has not yet been carried out, this Court grants three weeks time to comply the order dated 14.05.2024 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.15877 of 2016, failing which



this Court will be constrained to issue warrant of arrest against the Contemnor(s).

5. List this matter on 19th March, 2026.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge

(G. Satapathy)
Judge