



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CMP No.215 of 2026

Bhikari Charan Sahoo

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Petitioner

Represented by Adv. -
Pravat Ranjan Sutar

-versus-

Jadumani Sahoo and others

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Opposite Parties

Represented by Adv. -

CORAM:
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR
MOHAPATRA

ORDER
25.02.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.
 2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners. Perused the CMP application as well as the prayer made therein.
 3. By filing the present application under Article 227 of the Constitution of India, the Petitioner has approached this Court for a direction to the learned trial Court to expeditiously conclude the trial in C.S. No.620 of 2021 pending in the Court of learned Civil Judge (S.D), Jajpur.
 4. Learned counsel for the Petitioners at the outset contended that the Plaintiff is aged about 80 years. He further submitted that although the suit was filed in the year 2021, however, the same is still pending for final adjudication. In such view of the matter, learned counsel for the Petitioner contended that the learned trial Court be directed to conclude the trial within a stipulated time.



5. Having heard learned counsel for the Petitioners and considering the fact that the learned trial courts are over-burdened with year-old suits which are pending for trial, this Court is of the view that no specific direction could be given by this Court at this stage. However, taking into consideration the nature of prayer, liberty is granted to the Petitioners to move the learned trial Court by filing an appropriate application with a prayer for early disposal of Civil Suit No.620 of 2021 subject to the convenience of the learned trial court, the learned trial court shall pass necessary orders thereon. This Court further directs that the parties shall not seek unnecessary adjournments and they shall cooperate with the learned trial Court for early disposal of the suit.

6. With the aforesaid observations/ directions, the CMP application stands disposed of.

(Aditya Kumar Mohapatra)
Judge