



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

WP(C) No.5892 of 2026

Prasanta Kumar Nayak

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Petitioner

Represented by Adv. -
Sonita Biswal

-versus-

State Of Odisha & Ors.

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Opposite Parties

Represented by Adv. -
Mr. U.C.Jena, A.S.C.

CORAM:

**THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR
MOHAPATRA**

ORDER

Order No.

25.02.2026

01. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
2. 2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner as well as learned Additional Standing Counsel for the State-Opposite Parties. Perused the writ application as well as the prayer made therein.
3. 3. The Petitioner has filed the present writ application with the following prayer:

“In view of the facts stated above and the grounds, the petitioner most respectfully prays that this Hon'ble Court graciously be pleased to issue a Writ of Mandamus or any other appropriate writ direction or order, directing the Opp.parties to consider the representation under Aimexure-5 series;

And pass such other appropriate writ/writs, order/orders or direction/directions as may be deemed just fit and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case, in the interest of justice and equity.”



4. In course of hearing of the writ application, learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that the Petitioner ventilating his grievance has submitted representation before the State of Odisha, represented through the Commissioner-cum-Secretary, School and Mass Education Department, Odisha, Opposite Party No.1 under Annexure-5. It is also submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that the said representation is pending as of now. It is also submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that a direction be issued to the Opposite Party No.1 to consider the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-5 within a stipulated period of time.

5. Learned Additional Standing Counsel submits that he has no objection if the representation of the Petitioner is considered by the Opposite Party No.1, which is stated to be pending, in accordance with law within a stipulated period of time.

6. Considering the limited nature of grievance of the Petitioner, the writ application is disposed of at the stage of admission with a direction to the Opposite Party No.1 to consider the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-5 within a period of eight weeks from the date of production of certified copy of this order. The Opposite Party No.1 shall do well to dispose of the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-5 by passing a speaking and reasoned order. The decision so taken by the Opposite Party No.1 be also communicated to the Petitioner within ten days thereafter.



7. With the aforesaid observation, the writ application stands disposed of.
8. Issue urgent certified copy of this order as per Rules.

(A.K. Mohapatra)

Judge

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