



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

WP(C) No.6218 of 2026

Dr. Bichitra Ranjan Panda

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Petitioner

Represented by Adv. -
Saibrata Rath

-versus-

Union Of India and others

.....

Opposite Parties

Mr. P.K. Parhi, DSGI along with

Mr. Abhishek Mohanty, CGC

CORAM:

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

ORDER

26.02.2026

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01. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.
2. Mr. Abhishek Mohanty, learned Central Government Counsel enters appearance on behalf of the Opp. Party Nos.1 to 5 in the present case by filing a memorandum in court today and the same be kept on record.
3. Heard Mr. Rath, learned Senior counsel appearing for the petitioner. Peruse the writ application as well as the documents annexed thereto.
4. By filing the present writ application the petitioner has prayed for regularization of his service as Assistant Professor. Learned Senior counsel for the petitioner at the outset contended that the case of the petitioner is entirely covered by laid down of this Court in ***Sushanta Kumar and others Vrs. Central University of Odisha,***



Korpaut & others decided in W.P.(C) No.4610 of 2023 and the batch of the similar other writ application while a common judgment dated 02.05.2025.

5. Considering such submission, this Court is of the view that the matter requires further consideration in the presence of the opposite parties.

6. Hence Issue notice to the opposite parties.

7. Mr. Mohanty, learned Central Government Counsel accepts notice on behalf of all the Opposite Parties. Since the copy of writ application has already been uploaded in the LMS website, no extra copy is required to serve on the learned Senior Panel Counsel for the Opposite Parties.

8. Reply affidavit, if any, be filed in the meantime after serving copy thereof on learned counsel for the petitioner.

9. List this matter along with W.P.(C) No.3812 of 2026.

I.A No.3546 of 2026

10. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner.

11. As an interim, it is directed that no coercive action shall be taken against the Petitioner till the next date.

(Aditya Kumar Mohapatra)
Judge