



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.6177 of 2026

Debadatta Sahoo

.... **Petitioner**

Mr. N. Biswal, Advocate

-versus-

Union of India & Others

.... **Opp. Parties**

Mr. D.R. Bhokta, CGC

CORAM:

JUSTICE KRISHNA SHRIPAD DIXIT

JUSTICE CHITTARANJAN DASH

ORDER

26.02.2026

Order No.

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I.A. No.3769 of 2026

Issue emergent notice. Learned CGC-Mr. Bhokta, on request of the Court, accepts notice for O.P No.1. A copy of the writ petition with all the documents be served on him within three working days.

Notice be sent to Opp. Party Nos.2 & 3 by speed post making it returnable within two weeks, requisites for which shall be furnished within three working days.

Learned counsel for the Petitioner draws our attention to interim order dated 19.02.2026 granted in a similar case i.e. W.P.(C) No.5611 of 2026 between **Sapan Kumar Kandi v. Union of India** and therefore, his client should be granted similar benefit on the principle of parity, there being no repugnant factors. We agree.



In view of the above, the application in I.A. No.3769 of 2026 is disposed off granting interim protection to the Petitioner herein, as has been granted in the cognate case in Sapan Kumar Kandi *supra*.

Call this matter along with W.P.(C) No.5611 of 2026.

Web copy of this order to be acted upon by all concerned.

(Krishna Shripad Dixit)
Judge

(Chittaranjan Dash)
Judge

Madhusmita