



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

WP(C) No.8511 of 2025

Adhar Prasad Jena

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Petitioner

Represented By Adv. -
Saubhagya Ketan Nayak

-versus-

1) State Of Odisha

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Opposite Parties

2) Chief Engineer And Director, Gwd
And Nodal Officer(nhp) , Odisha

Represented By Adv. –
Mr. D.K.Sahoo, A.G.A.

CORAM:

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

ORDER

Order No.

26.03.2025

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

“On the aforesaid facts and circumstances, it is therefore prayed that, this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to issue notice to the Opposite Parties and after perusal of causes shown be further pleased to direct/order that, remuneration for the period from 22.09.2023 to 08.01.2025 shall be disbursed/released in favour of the Petitioner as the Petitioner was engaged and worked as OSD under NHP, Odisha with immediate effect in the interest of justice.

Pass such other order/orders as may be deemed fit and



proper in the interest of justice.”

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 Chief Engineer & Director, GWD & Nodal Officer (NHP), Odisha, HP Building, Unit-8, Delta Square, Bhubaneswar-12, Khordha Opposite Party No.2 under Annexure-8 . 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.2 to consider the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-8 within a stipulated period of time.

5. Learned Additional Government Advocate submits that he has no objection if the representation of the Petitioner is considered by the Opposite Party No.2, 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.2 to consider the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-8 within a period of six weeks from the date of production of certified copy of this order. The Opposite Party No.2 shall do well to dispose of the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-8 by passing a speaking and reasoned order. The decision so taken by the Opposite Party No.2 be also



communicated to the Petitioner within two weeks thereafter.

7. With the aforesaid observations and directions, 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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