



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.7226 of 2024

Bibekananda Singh

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Petitioner

M/s. A. K. Das, Advocate & Associate

-Versus-

Board of Secondary Education, Odisha, ...
Cuttack

Opposite Parties

Mr. P.K. Rout, AGA

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAİK

ORDER

02.04.2024

Order No.

01. 1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner.
2. No notice is issued to opposite party as the matter is disposed of at the stage of admission.
3. Instant writ petition is filed by the petitioner for a direction to the opposite party to dispose of the representation as at Annexure-3 within a stipulated period and to issue a corrected HSC Certificate reflecting the date of birth as 28th June, 1969 on the grounds stated therein.
4. Referring to Annexure-2, learned counsel for the petitioner would submit that the date of birth is wrongly mentioned in the HSC Certificate as at Annexure-1, which is required to be corrected.
5. In course of hearing, it is brought to the notice of the Court that in a similarly situated case in W.P.(C) No.300 of 2021, this Court issued direction to the concerned authority to correct the date of birth of the petitioner therein and while claiming so, a copy of the said order is produced today for its perusal.



6. Considering the limited grievance of the petitioner and as it is made to reveal from Annexure-2 regarding the correct date of birth of the petitioner wrongly reflected in the HSC Certificate i.e. Annexure-1 and since in the meantime, the petitioner has already knocked the doors of the opposite party with a representation dated 22nd May, 2023 i.e. Annexure-3, the Court is of the view that the same should be duly examined and disposed of with the necessary correction carried out in the HSC Certificate.

7. Hence, it is ordered.

8. In the result, the writ petition stands disposed of with a direction to the opposite party to consider and examine Annexure-3 and to dispose it of with a personal hearing provided, if necessary, and to rectify the wrong which has been found in HSC Certificate i.e. Annexure-1 reconciling it with the Birth Certificate (Annexure-2) thereby taking a final decision in that regard as per and in accordance with law.

9. A copy of the order be handed over to Mr. S.S. Rao, learned Senior advocate, who appears for the opposite party, in order to ensure its early compliance.

10. Urgent certified copy of this order be issued as per rules.

(R.K. Pattanaik)
Judge

Balaram

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