



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
WP(C) No. 9109 of 2026

Biswajeet Behera

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Petitioner

Mr. A. Das, Advocate

-versus-

The State of Odisha & Ors.

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Opposite Parties

Mr. S. Das, ASC

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

26.03.2026

Order No. 01

1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned counsel appearing for the Opp. Parties.
3. Petitioner has filed the present writ petition inter alia with the following prayer:-

“The petitioner therefore prays that this Hon'ble court may graciously be pleased to admit the writ application and after hearing both sides issue a writ in the nature of mandamus or any appropriate writ/writs directing the opp-parties more particularly to give the Director General of Police (Opp-party No.2) promotion to the post of Inspector of Police w.e.f.10.10.2025 the date on which his juniors given promotion with immediate effect.

And any other order /orders as deem fit and proper be passed.

And for which act of kindness the petitioner shall as in duty bound ever pray.”

4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that though highlighting his grievances, Petitioner has filed a representation at Annexure-7 to



the Writ Petition before the Opp. Party No. 2, but till date nothing has been done in the matter. In such background, learned counsel for the Petitioner prays that a direction be issued to Opposite Party No. 2 to take a decision on the above noted Petition within a specific time period.

5. Considering the submissions made and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this Court directs Opposite Party No. 2 to take a decision on the above noted petition in accordance with law, within a period of three (3) months from the date of receipt of this order and communicate the result of such exercise to the Petitioner.

6. The Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly.

(BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY)
Judge

Sneha