



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.8871 of 2026

Piyush Agarwal & anr. ***Petitioners***

Mr. Om Swarup, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha & others ***Opposite Parties***

*Mr. Swayambhu Mishra,
Additional Standing Counsel*

CORAM: JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

20.03.2026

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I.A. No.5429 of 2026

Order No.

- 01.** This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
- 2.** Though the matter was not on board and not in the assignment list of this Bench, in absence of the regular Bench having assignment, the matters of Court No.23 being assigned to this Bench for today only, on being mentioned showing urgency, the matter is taken up vide a special list at 2:00 PM.
- 3.** Heard learned Counsel for the Petitioners so also Mr. Mishra, learned Additional Standing Counsel for the State, who accepts notice on behalf of the Opposite Party Nos.1 to 6 and admits to have received copy of the writ petition with I.A.
- 4.** The allegation of the writ petitioners is that the Opposite Parties, more particularly, the Opposite Party



Nos. 2 to 4 are contemplating to demolish part of residential house and hotel in a compact building of Petitioner No.1 situated over Plot No.6841/20696, Khata No.2414/11140, Mouza- Bargarh, Area Ac.0.0300 dec. and a Medicine shop of Petitioner No.2 situated over Plot No.6841/20656, Khata No.2414/11093, Mouza-Bargarh, Area Ac. 0.0450 dec. without following due procedure and giving opportunity of hearing to them.

5. Learned State Counsel prays for a week's time to take instruction.

6. The matter be listed on 30th March, 2026 before the regular Bench having assignment.

7. As an interim measure, it is directed that no coercive action shall be taken against the Petitioners, so far as the aforesaid suit lands as detailed above, till the next date.

8. Urgent certified copy of this order be granted on proper application as per rules in course of the day.

9. In addition to the certified copy, liberty is granted to the Petitioners to utilize the digitally signed copy of this order, available on the website of this Court, for the purpose of communication of the same to the authority concerned.

(S.K. MISHRA)
JUDGE

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