



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.9383 of 2026

Bidyadhar Patri

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Petitioner

Mr. A.P. Bose, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and others

....

Opposite Parties

Mr. R. Pradhan, A.S.C.

CORAM:

JUSTICE B. P. ROUTRAY

ORDER

26.03.2026

Order No.

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1. Heard Mr. A.P. Bose, learned counsel for the Petitioner and Mr. R. Pradhan, learned Additional Standing Counsel for State-Opposite Parties.

2. It is submitted on behalf of the Petitioner that as per the notice dated 28.01.2026, the date of hearing was fixed to 03.02.2026. But without conducting any hearing on the date fixed and without granting any opportunity of hearing to the Petitioner, the date for eviction was fixed to 30.03.2026 as per Annexure-1.

3. Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of at the stage of admission with a direction to the Tahasildar, Dhamnagar, Dist.-Bhadrak (Opposite Party No.4) to grant due opportunity of hearing to the Petitioner before proceeding for eviction and take decision, in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order along with a copy of the writ petition. Till such decision is taken by



Opposite Party No.4, the Petitioner may not be evicted from the case land.

4. An urgent certified copy of this order be granted on proper application in course of the day.

(B.P. Routray)
Judge