



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.9518 of 2025

Hiramani Murmu

....

Petitioner

Mr. S.P. Dash, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha & Others

....

Opposite Parties

Mr. A. Tripathy, AGA

CORAM:

JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

16.04.2025

Order No.04

1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical) Mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
3. The present Writ Petition is filed inter alia challenging the notice issued by the Sub-Collector, Bamanghati-Opp. Party No.3 under Annexure-3 fixing the vote of no confidence against the present Petitioner on 17.04.2025.
4. It is contended that the requisition made by the Ward Member was submitted before Opp. Party No.3 without a copy of the resolution being enclosed as provided under Section 24(2)(a) of the Odisha Gram Panchayat Act, 1964.
5. It is contended that since the requisition made by the Ward Member under Annexure-2 is not accompanied along with the proposed resolution, the same amounts to non-compliance of the provisions contained under Section 24(2)(a) of the Act. It is accordingly contended that in view of such irregularity with regard to submission of the requisition, the impugned notice issued under Annexure-3 is not sustainable in the eye of law.



6. Considering the submission, this Court directs learned Addl. Government Advocate to produce the records relating to the vote of no confidence from the office of Opp. Party No.3 on the next date.

7. However, for the present this Court is inclined to issue notice on Opp. Party No.5 to 17 by Special Messenger, cost of which shall be assessed and deposit be made by tomorrow (17.04.2025).

8. Office is directed to indicate in the notice that the matter will be taken up by this Court on 30.04.2025.

9. List this matter 30.04.2025.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

05. I.A. No.5447 of 2025

1. Heard.

2. In the interim, vote of No Confidence proposed in terms of Annexure-3 shall not be held till the next date.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

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