



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.14235 of 2026

Aparna Sethi

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Petitioner

Mr. D.K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

***State of Odisha and
Others***

....

Opposite Parties

Mr. S.P. Das, ASC

CORAM:

JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

08.05.2026

Order No.

- 01.** 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical) Mode.
- 2.** Heard learned counsel appearing for the parties.
- 3.** Even though the present Writ Petition has been filed claiming release of arrear wages but this Court after going through the representation made by the petitioner under Annexure-11, finds that petitioner is claiming the benefit of re-engagement.
- 4.** In view of such contrary stand taken in the Writ Petition, this Court directs learned counsel for the petitioner to file an affidavit as to whether petitioner is continuing as a Self-Employed Mechanic in the concerned Grama Panchayat as on today.



5. Let such an affidavit be filed within a period of 7(seven) days.

6. As requested by learned counsel for the petitioner, list this matter after filing of such affidavit.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

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