

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.12778 of 2023

**N. Rajendra Narayan
Ayangar**

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Petitioner

Mr. S. Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and Others

Opposite Parties

Mr. B. Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM:

JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

03.07.2023

Order No.

- 04.** 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical) Mode.
2. Heard Mr. S. Mohanty, learned counsel for the Petitioner and Mr. B. Panigrahi, learned Addl. Standing Counsel for the State and Mr. S. Jena, learned counsel who entered appearance for O.P. No.6 by filing his Vakalatnama in Court today.
3. Mr. Jena, learned counsel for O.P. No.6 contended that pursuant to order passed by this Court on 18.05.2023, Opposite Party No.2 vide order dated 30.06.2023 has directed to release the salary of the petitioner from May, 2023 onwards. Copy of the said order produced by Mr. Jena, be kept in record. In view of such direction issued by the Opposite Party No.2, this Court directs Opposite Party No.6 to release the current salary of the Petitioner for the month of May, 2023 from the available fund and submit the bill within a period of 7 (seven) days from today.

4. List this matter in the week commencing 24th July, 2023. In the meantime, Mr. Panigrahi, learned Addl. Standing Counsel is direct to file an affidavit as to why the salary of the petitioner has been withheld in terms of Directorate letter No. 3284 dated 24.02.2020.

5. Let a copy of the Writ Petition be served on Mr. Jena, who has entered appearance for O.P. No.6 in course of the day.

An extra copy of the Writ Petition be served on Mr. Panigrahi, learned ASC also in course of the day.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

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