



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) NO.18268 OF 2025

Prafulla Kumar Choudhury ***Petitioner***

Mr. Subhasis Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha & others ***Opp. Parties***

*Mr. Siba Narayan Biswal,
Additional Standing Counsel*

CORAM:

JUSTICE K.R. MOHAPATRA

JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

05.03.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
 2. Mr. Biswal, learned Additional Standing Counsel, on instruction, submits that although the demarcation was fixed to 16.02.2026, none was present at the time of demarcation.
 3. Mr. Mohapatra, learned Counsel for the Petitioner, on instruction, submits that no notice was ever served on the Petitioner for demarcation to be taken place on 16.02.2026.
 4. It is quite astonishing as to how none of the parties, to whom notices were stated to have been served was present on 16.02.2026. Thus, the instruction imparted by the Tahasildar, Bhubaneswar is not believable.
 4. It appears that notices might not have been properly served on the persons, who were required to be present at the time of demarcation.



5. It is however, submitted by Mr. Biswal, learned Additional Standing Counsel that the next date of demarcation is fixed to 13th March, 2026. It is expected that proper notices shall be served on the persons requiring them to be present at the time of demarcation.

6. Put up this matter on 20th March, 2026, on which date learned Counsel for the parties shall apprise the Court about the development.

(K.R. Mohapatra)
Judge

(S.K. Mishra)
Judge

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