



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) Nos.41866, 17945, 20140, 20144,
22490 and 41871 of 2023

***Gyanaranjan Mohapatra @
Jnanaranjan Mohapatra
(In W.P.(C) Nos.41866, 20140, 20144
and 41871 of 2023***

Ajit Sahu

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Petitioners

(In W.P.(C) No.17945 of 2023)

Sarat Kumar Jena

(In W.P.(C) No.22490 of 2023)

Mr. Soumya Ranjan Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and others

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Opposite Parties

Mr. Debashis Tripathy, AGA

CORAM:

HON' BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

AND

HON' BLE MR. JUSTICE MURAHARI SRI RAMAN

ORDER

07.04.2026

Order No.

04.

1. According to the learned counsel for the petitioners, the points involved in all these matters have already been decided by this Court in *Sandeep Chandak v. State of Odisha* (decided on 7th February, 2025 in W.P. (C) No.27096 of 2024 and batch) and, therefore, these writ petitions may also be disposed of on the basis thereof.

2. Mr. Debashis Tripathy, learned Additional Government Advocate representing the State-opposite parties prays for an



accommodation to peruse the said judgment rendered in *Sandeep Chandak* (supra).

3. Accordingly, let these matters be listed on 21st April, 2026 under the heading 'for orders'.

(Harish Tandon)
Chief Justice

(M.S. Raman)
Judge

M. Panda