



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**

**W.P.(C) No.16334 of 2024**

***Pyasa Pattanaik***

**....**

***Petitioner***

Represented By Adv.-  
Mr. Sidhant Chandan, Advocate

***-VERSUS-***

***State of Odisha and others***

**....**

***Opp. Parties***

Represented By Adv.-  
Mr. J.K. Bal, AGA  
(for opposite party No.1)  
Mr. P.K. Mohanty, Sr. Advocate  
being ably assisted by Ms. K.T. Muduli, Advocate  
(for opposite party No.2)  
Mr. Goutam Mishra, Sr. Advocate  
being ably assisted by Mr. D.R. Bhokta, Advocate  
(for opposite party No.3)

**CORAM:**

**THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANASH RANJAN PATHAK  
AND  
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SIBO SANKAR MISHRA**

**ORDER**

**20.03.2026**

***(Hybrid mode)***

**Order No.**

- 16.**        **1.**     Heard Mr. Sidhant Chanda, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, Mr. J.K. Bal, learned Additional Government Advocate for the State of Odisha (opposite party No.1), Mr. P.K. Mohanty, learned Senior Advocate being ably assisted by Ms. K.T. Muduli, learned counsel appearing for the opposite



party No.2 (Odisha Public Service Commission) and Mr. Goutam Mishra, learned Senior Advocate being ably assisted by Mr. D.R. Bhokta, learned counsel appearing for the opposite party No.3 (the Registrar General, High Court of Orissa, Cuttack).

2. Learned counsel for the opposite party No.3 shall file his counter affidavit on or before 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2026 after serving copies thereof on the learned counsel for the respective parties.

3. List this matter on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2026.

***(Manash Ranjan Pathak),  
Judge***

***(Sibo Sankar Mishra),  
Judge***

*Rabindra*