



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No. 16357 of 2024

Soubhagya Ranjan Pattnaik

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Petitioner

Mr. G.R.Sethi, Advocate

-Versus-

State of Odisha & others

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Opposite Parties

Mr. H.K.Panigrahi, ASC

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE R.K. PATTANAİK

ORDER

22.07.2024

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through virtual mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Panigrahi, learned ASC appearing for the State.
3. Instant writ petition is filed by the petitioner challenging the impugned order under Annexure-10 besides the order of punishment i.e. Annexure-5 confirmed in appeal vide Annexure-7 on the grounds stated therein.
4. The petitioner has been imposed with a major penalty which stands confirmed in appeal as well as in revision.
5. Gone through the facts pleaded on record.



6. Considering the ground upon which the writ petition is filed challenging the impugned order under Annexure-10 confirming the order dated 24th May 2013 (Annexure-7) and furthermore, upholding the order of punishment i.e. Annexure-12, the Court is inclined to issue notice to the opposite parties.

7. Hence, it is ordered.

8. Notice.

9. Mr. Panigrahi, learned ASC for the State accepts notice for the opposite parties. An extra copy of the writ petition with annexures is directed to be served on the State by tomorrow positively i.e. on 23rd July, 2024.

10. List this matter on 29th August, 2024 for final hearing and orders and in the meantime, State shall file the counter affidavit positively and in case filed, a copy of the same to be served on the learned counsel for the petitioner well in advance.

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(R.K.Pattanaik)
Judge