



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CONTC No.3216 of 2025

Ravva Nagamalli

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Petitioner

Represented by Adv. –
Mr. Kuldeep Samal

-versus-

Dr. Santosh Kumar Patro,
Chief District Medical & Public
Health Officer, Bhadrak.

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***Opposite Party/
Contemnor***

Represented by Adv. –
Mr. C.M. Singh, ASC for
O.P. No.1

Mr. Amitav Tripathy,
Advocate for the O.P. No.2

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR MOHAPATRA

ORDER

17.04.2026

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
 2. Although learned counsel for the Contemnor submitted before this Court that State-Opposite Party has preferred a writ appeal bearing W.A. No.1437 of 2025, however, no interim order was produced before this Court staying the further proceeding of the present contempt application.
 3. Learned counsel for the Contemnors submitted that notices have been issued in the writ appeal.



4. Since no interim order was produced stating further proceeding of the present contempt application, this Court is of the view that there is no bar to proceed in the present contempt application.

5. Taking in to consideration the fact that several adjournments have been granted in this matter and order passed by this Court is not implemented, this Court directs the Opposite Parties-Contemnors to implement the order passed by this Court within four weeks hence, failing which, the Opposite Parties-Contemnors shall appear in person before this Court on 21.05.2026 at 10.30 A.M.

6. In the event the order passed by this Court is implemented in the meantime, which shall obviously subject to the outcome of the writ appeal, the personal appearance of the Contemnors shall automatically stand dispensed with.

7. List this matter on 21.05.2026.

8. A free copy of this order be handed over to the learned counsel for the State.

(A.K. Mohapatra)
Judge

Debasis