



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.23212 of 2025

Gagan Behera

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Petitioner(s)

Mr. Alok Kumar Mohapatra, Adv.

-versus-

The State of Orissa & Ors.

....

Opposite Party (s)

Mr. Debashish Nayak, AGA

CORAM:

HON'BLE DR. JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

Order

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09.10.2025

01. 1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. In filing this Writ Petition, the Petitioner has challenged the notice to show cause dated 09.06.2025 issued by the Additional Tahasildar, Sadar, Cuttack vide Annexure-2.
3. Heard learned counsel for the Parties.
4. Learned counsel for the State, at the outset, submits that instead of filing reply to the notice to show cause dated 09.06.2025, the Petitioner has preferred this Writ Petition. Hence, the prayer made in this Writ Petition is premature.
5. Considering the above submission of learned counsel for the State, this Court directs the Petitioner to file his reply to the notice to show cause dated 09.06.2025 within a period of ten working days hence. In such event, the Additional Tahasildar, Sadar, Cuttack shall look into the reply of the Petitioner and pass a lawful order on the said reply of the Petitioner within a period of fifteen working days thereafter.

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6. It is further directed that till a decision on the reply of the Petitioner is taken, no coercive action shall be taken against the Petitioner pursuant to the impugned notice vide Annexure-2.

7. This Writ Petition is, accordingly, disposed of.

(Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi)
Judge

Ayaskanta