



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CONTC No. 3726 of 2025

Prafulla Kumar Mohapatra

..... *Petitioner(s)*

Mr. Goutam Mukherji, Sr. Adv.

Mr. Prabodha Chandra Nayak, Adv..

-Versus-

Sri Sanjay Kumar Singh, IAS,

& Ors.

.....

Opposite Party/Contemnor(s)

Mr. Sonak Mishra, ASC

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE SANJEEB K PANIGRAHI

MR. JUSTICE G. SATAPATHY

ORDER

19.02.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid arrangement.
2. This CONTC has been filed by the Petitioner for non-compliance of the order dated 24.06.2024 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.39578 of 2023.
3. Heard.
4. Mr. Mukherjee, learned Senior Counsel submits that this is a 2nd contempt petition filed by the Petitioner seeking compliance of the order dated 24.06.2024 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.39578 of 2023 wherein three weeks time period was prescribed for implementation and prescription of such time



line has already been elapsed, yet the Opposite Party/Contemnor(s) has not complied with the aforesaid order.

5. Learned Senior Counsel for the Petitioner further contends that the Petitioner had earlier filed one contempt petition vide CONTC No.6048 of 2024 for non-compliance of the aforesaid order and the said CONTC was dropped on 11.07.2025 with a direction for compliance of the order dated 24.06.2024 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.39578 of 2023 and treated the action of the Contemnor as aggravated contempt.
6. In such view of the matter, since the Opposite Party/Contemnor(s) has not yet complied the order dated 24.06.2024 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.39578 of 2023, this Court grants, as a last chance, to the Contemnor(s) to comply the aforesaid order, failing which this Court will be constrained to issue warrant of arrest against the Contemnor(s).
7. List this matter on 19th March, 2026.

(*Dr. Sanjeeb K Panigrahi*)
Judge

(*G. Satapathy*)
Judge