



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**  
**W.P.(C) NO. 22936 OF 2025**

***Krushna Chandra Panda***

.... ***Petitioner***

Mr. R. K. Mohanty, Senior Advocate  
being assisted by Ms. Sumitra Mohanty, Advocate

-versus-

***State of Odisha and others***

.... ***Opposite Parties***

Mr. Swayambhu Mishra,  
Additional Standing Counsel  
(for Opp. Party No.1)

Ms. Pratyusha Naidu, Advocate  
(for Commissioner of Endowments)

**CORAM:**

**JUSTICE K.R. MOHAPATRA**

**JUSTICE SAVITRI RATHO**

**ORDER**

**22.12.2025**

**Order No.**

- 04.
1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
  2. Perused the counter affidavit of the Tahasildar, Khalikote.
  3. Copy of the counter affidavit filed by Opposite Party No.4 be served on Ms. Naidu, learned counsel for the Commissioner of Endowments, who prays for an adjournment to take instruction in the matter with regard to the steps taken by the Assistant Commissioner of Endowments to protect the interest of the deity.
  4. Put up this matter on 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2026.

***(K.R. Mohapatra)***

***Judge***

***(Savitri Ratho)***

***Judge***

*Subhalaxmi*