



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK**

**W.P.(C )No.23210 of 2025**

***Manoranjan Chand &  
Others***

....

***Petitioners***

*Mr. D. Mund, Adv.*

*-versus-*

***State of Odisha & Others***

....

***Opposite Parties***

*Mr. C.K. Pradhan, AGA*

**CORAM:**

**JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY**

**ORDER**

**21.08.2025**

**Order No.**

1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical) Mode.
2. On the oral prayer made by the learned counsel appearing for the Petitioner, he is permitted to implead Dy.Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Bhawanipatna as Opp. Party No.6 in Court.
3. Heard learned counsel appearing for the parties
4. The present Writ Petition has been filed *inter alia* with the following prayer:-

*It is therefore prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to admit this Writ Petition, call for the records, issue notice to the Opp. Parties and after hearing the parties, issue appropriate writ(s) thereby modifying/partly setting aside the impugned orders dated 01.01.2025 vide Annexure 7 (Series) to the extent of effectuation of the promotion of the petitioners from the date of their joining in new capacity and direct the Opp. Party No. 4 to give ante-*



*dated promotion to the petitioners to the rank of Asst Manager, Grade-II w.e.f. 22.08.2019 from or in alternative from the date of publication of merit list under Annexure 6, i.e., 03.07.2021 with all the consequential service and financial benefits from the said date.*

*And further be pleased to direct the Opp. Parties to redraw the gradation list under Annexure - 8 afresh.*

*And further pass any other order(s)/ direction(s) as this Hon'ble Court deems fit and proper;*

*And, for this act of kindness, the petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.*

**5.** However, taking into account the claim raised in the present Writ Petition, liberty is granted to the Petitioner to make a fresh representation before Opp. Party No.6 by enclosing all the relevant documents and citations in support of his claim, if any, within a period two (2) weeks hence.

**6.** It is observed that if such a representation is filed within the aforesaid period, Opp. Party No.3 shall do well to take a lawful decision on the same within a period of three (3) months thereafter. The order so passed by the Opp. Party No.3 be communicated to the petitioner.

**7.** With the aforesaid observation and direction, the Writ Petition stands disposed of.

**(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)**  
**Judge**

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