



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CONTC No.6306 of 2023

Narayan Mahali

.....

Petitioner

Represented by Adv. -
Bhakta Ranjan Barik

-versus-

Satyabrata Sahu, I.a.s.

.....

Opposite

Party/Contemnor

Represented by Adv. –

Mr. D.K. Sahu, AGA

CORAM:

MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR MOHAPATRA

ORDER

27.02.2026

Order No.

- 07.
1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
 2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner as well as Contemnor/Opposite Party.
 3. Learned counsel for the Contemnor-Opposite Party referring to the reply affidavit dated 26.02.2026 stated before this Court that pursuant to order passed by this Court on 19.04.2023, the case of the Petitioner was considered by the Review DPC by convening a meeting of such Committee. After consideration of the case of the Petitioner, the Review DPC found the Petitioner not suitable for promotion to the ORS Group-B post on the ground that the CCRs of the Petitioner is not available in respect of the recruitment year 2011 for assessment of his merit and that the Petitioner does not



possess outstanding merit as required under Rule 4(b) of the ORS Recruitment Rules, 2011. Accordingly, the case of the Petitioner was considered and rejected by the DPC.

4. In view of the aforesaid action of the review DPC Committee, the present contempt proceeding is dropped by granting liberty to the Petitioner to approach this Court again by filing a fresh writ application challenging the subsequent conduct of the Opposite Parties, if so advised.

(A.K. Mohapatra)
Judge

Sisir