



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No. 23869 OF 2024

Dhiren Kumar Sahoo

Petitioner

Miss Sakshi Rout, Advocate

-versus-

***The Talcher Super Thermal Power
Station, Kaniha of NTPC, Angul and
and others***

Opp. Parties

Mr. Siba Narayan Biswal,
Additional Standing Counsel

Mr. Lalit Kumar Maharana, Advocate
(For NTPC)

CORAM:

JUSTICE K.R. MOHAPATRA

JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

15.04.2026

Order No.

IA No.3682 of 2026

3.
 1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
 2. This is an application for amendment of the Writ Petition.
 3. Miss Rout, learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that at the time of filing of the Writ Petition, some relevant facts could not be stated in the Writ Petition. Hence, this application for amendment was filed.
 4. Mr. Biswal, learned ASC and Mr. Maharana, learned counsel for NTPC submit that the proposed amendments are formal in nature. However, they may be provided with an opportunity to file counter affidavit to the consolidated Writ Petition, if the amendments as sought for are allowed.
 5. Taking note of the submissions made by learned counsel for the parties, prayer for amendment is allowed. Consolidated Writ Petition incorporating the amendment as per the schedule appended



to this IA shall be filed by 16th April, 2026, as undertaken by Miss Rout, learned counsel for the Petitioner serving copies thereof on learned counsel for Opposite Parties.

6. The IA is disposed of accordingly.

(K.R. Mohapatra)
Judge

(S.K. Mishra)
Judge

4. **W.P.(C) No.23869 of 2024**

1. Put up this matter on 24th June, 2026.
2. Counter affidavit, if any shall be filed to the consolidated Writ Petition serving copies thereof on learned counsel for Opposite Parties.

(K.R. Mohapatra)
Judge

s.s.satapathy

(S.K. Mishra)
Judge