



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C). NO.29765 of 2023

Anandi Shankar Patel

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Petitioner

Mr. Laxmikanta Behera, Advocate
on behalf of Mr. Suresh Kumar Panda, Advocate

-versus-

***Mahanadi Coalfields Limited,
Sundargarh and others***

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Opp. Parties

Mr. Artaram NS Nadkarni, Senior Advocate
being assisted by Mr. Debraj Mohanty, Advocate
(For Opp. Party No.1)

Mr. Siba Narayan Biswal,
Additional Standing Counsel
(For Opp. Party Nos.2 to 4)

CORAM:

JUSTICE K.R. MOHAPATRA

JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

10.02.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
 2. Mr. Behera, learned counsel being authorized by Mr. Panda, learned counsel for the Petitioner prays for further adjournment to file rejoinder affidavit.
 3. Mr. Nadkarni, learned Senior Advocate appearing for Opposite Party No.1 submits that the Petitioner has prayed for adjournment to file rejoinder affidavit earlier.
 4. Hence, taking into consideration the submission made by learned counsel for the parties, this Court permits the Petitioner to file rejoinder affidavit within a period of two weeks hence serving copy thereof on learned counsel for the Opposite Parties.



5. It is made clear that if the rejoinder affidavit is not filed within a period of two weeks hence, this Court shall proceed with the matter without waiting for the filing of the rejoinder affidavit.

6. Put up this matter on 31st March, 2026 along with W.P.(C). No.34615 of 2023.

(K.R. Mohapatra)
Judge

(S.K. Mishra)
Judge

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