



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK  
CONTC No.7533 of 2024**

*Srinibash Das* ..... *Petitioner*  
*Mr. Satyajit Behera, Advocate*  
-versus-  
*Vir Vikram Yadav, I.A.S, Secretary and* ..... *Opposite Parties*  
*others*  
*Mr. Dayanidhi Lenka, Additional Government Advocate*

**CORAM:  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MURAHARI SRI RAMAN**

**Order No.**  
05.

**ORDER**  
**04.04.2025**

This matter is taken up through Hybrid Mode.

2. This Court on the earlier occasion, i.e., 04.03.2025, on the basis of submission made by Mr. Dayanidhi Lenka, learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for the Opposite Parties, passed the following order:-

*“2. Mr. Dayanidhi Lenka, learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for the Opposite Parties submitted that the Authority Concerned has taken steps for compliance of the Judgment dated 22.07.2024 passed in W.P.(C) No.37540 of 2023 by this Court read with corrigendum order dated 23.07.2024. Therefore, he seeks further four weeks accommodation for deferment of the proceeding, so as to furnish steps taken in regard to compliance of the aforesaid judgment and order.*

*3. List this matter on 04.04.2025.”*

3. Accordingly, the matter was listed on board today. Mr. Dayanidhi Lenka, learned Additional Government Advocate furnished a copy of letter bearing No.RDM-Reg-CASEHC-0041-



2023-8406/R & DM, dated 03.03.2025 issued by the Additional Secretary of the Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Government of Odisha to the Additional District Magistrate (ADM)-cum-District Registrar (DR), Mayurbhanj, Baripada, which reads as under:-

*“In inviting a reference to your L. No.2253/Regn dated 14.08.2024 on the above noted subject, I am directed to say that the matter had been referred to Law Department and the Government in Law Department has advised to implement the order of the Hon’ble High Court in WP(C) No.37540 of 2023.*

*However, it is noted that the aforementioned order of the Hon’ble High Court appears to contradict the provisions of the Finance Department Resolution No.31715/F dated 04.09.2012. In view of this, the views of the Finance Department is being sought regarding implementation of the Hon’ble Court’s order.*

*Accordingly, you are requested to liaise with the Office of the Advocate General and seek an extension of time for implementation of the Hon’ble Court’s order.”*

3.1. He has also furnished a copy of letter bearing No.545/Regn., dated 03.03.2025 issued by the ADM-cum-District Registrar, Mayurbhanj, Baripada to the learned Advocate General, Cuttack, Odisha, which is reproduced hereunder:-

*“In inviting reference to the subject cited above, I am to say that earlier instructions had been sought for from Revenue & Disaster Management in Govt. regarding implementation of Hon’ble High Court order relating to W.P.(C) No.37540 of*



*2023 filed by Srinibas Das Vrs State vide this office letter No.2253 dt.14.08.2024 and No.2922/Regn dt.01.11.2024. **The R & DM Department has intimated that the matter had been referred to Law Department and the Government in Law Department has advised to implement the order of Hon'ble High Court in WP(C) No.37540 of 2024.***

*Further, the R & DM Department is seeking views from Finance Department to Govt. regarding implementation of the Hon'ble Court's order. As, the reply will take some time, you are requested to seek one month time for implementation of the order from the Hon'ble Court."*

4. Learned Additional Government Advocate submitted that in view of the aforesaid letters wherein it is admitted that the Law Department has opined to implement the order of this Court, the Opposite Parties arrayed as parties in the writ petition are duty bound to comply with the order/direction contained in the judgment dated 22.07.2024 read with order dated 23.07.2024.
5. This Court directs the opposite parties to file affidavit on 09.04.2025 by furnishing details of steps taken for implementation of the aforesaid direction contained in the judgment.
6. A free copy of this order be handed over to Mr. Dayanidhi Lenka, learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for the Opposite Parties in course of the day for compliance.
7. List this matter on 09.04.2025.

**(M.S. Raman)**  
**Judge**