



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
CONTC No.7486 of 2024

Tulasi Jena

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Petitioner

Represented By Adv. -
Prafulla Kumar
Mohapatra

-versus-

1) Anu Garg, Ias

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Opposite

Parties/Contemnors

2) Bhakta Ranjan Mohanty, E.i.c,
W.r Dept.

Represented By Adv. –Mr.
C.M.Singh, A.S.C.

3) Nagendra Moharana, Addl.
Chief Engnr.,rushikulya Bahuda
Basin

4) Rajkishore Pandit, Supdt.
Engnr.,harabhangi Irrigation
Divn.,adava

CORAM:

**THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADITYA KUMAR
MOHAPATRA**

ORDER

10.10.2025

Order No.

05. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement
(Virtual /Physical Mode).
2. Heard the learned counsel for the Petitioner as well as
learned counsel for the Contemnors.
3. Alleging violation of this Court's order dated
09.05.2022 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.10601 of
2022, the Petitioner has approached this Court by fling the
present contempt application.



4. It is stated by learned counsel for the Petitioner that order dated 09.05.2022 passed by the learned Single Judge Bench has been confirmed by the Division Bench of this Court in W.A. No.232 of 2023 vide order dated 13.11.2023. He further contended that although the State-Opposite Parties preferred an SLP before the Hon'ble Supreme Court by filing SLP (C) No.26089 of 2024, however, the same has been dismissed vide order dated 24.07.2025 i.e. in ***State of Odisha vs. G.Balkrishan***. In such view of the matter, learned counsel for the Petitioner contended that the order passed by this Court has already attained finality. However, the said order has not been implemented.

5. Considering the request made by the learned counsel for the Contemnor, this Court deems it proper to provide another opportunity to the Contemnors as a last chance and the Contempt Petition stands disposed of with a direction to the Opposite Party-Contemnors to comply with the direction of this Court dated 09.05.2022 passed by this Court in W.P.(C) No.10601 of 2022, if the same has attained finality in the meantime keeping in view the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in ***State of Odisha vs. G.Balkrishan*** disposed of on 24.07.2025, within a period of four weeks from the date of service of a certified copy of this order by the Petitioner, provided the operation of order has not been stayed by higher forum and file compliance report before the Registry of this Court within one week thereafter. It is made clear that in the



event the order of the Court is not given effect to within the time stipulated hereinabove, it will be construed to be wilful and deliberate violation of this Court's order which has attained finality in the meantime by dismissal of the SLP preferred by the State-Opposite Parties.

6. With the aforesaid observation and direction, the contempt petition stands disposed of.

(A.K. Mohapatra)
Judge

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