



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No. 35275 of 2025

**Rajdhani School of Nursing,
Bhubaneswar**

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Petitioner

Represented by Adv.—
Mr. Smita Ranjan Patnaik, Advocate
-Versus-

State of Odisha & Others

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Opposite Parties

Represented by Adv._
Mr. Debaraj Mohanty, ASC
(for opposite party No. 1),
Mr. R.C. Mohanty, Advocate
along with Mr. K.C. Swain
& Mr. S.S. Sahoo, Advocates
(for opposite parties No.2 to 4),
Mr. P.K. Parhi, DSGI,
along with Mr. D. Gochhayat, Advocate

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANASH RANJAN PATHAK

AND

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MRUGANKA SEKHAR SAHOO

ORDER

17.12.2025

(Hybrid mode)

Order No.

- 02.**
- 1.** It has come to our notice that the name of the petitioner-Institution in order No.1 dated 10.12.2025, has been wrongly typed, the same shall be corrected as “Rajdhani School of Nursing”. Necessary correction be carried out.
 - 2.** Mrs. S. Mahakuda, learned counsel seeks adjournment on behalf of the learned arguing counsel Mr. S.R. Patnaik due to personal difficulty.
 - 3.** The learned counsel appearing for opposite parties No.2 and 3 brought to the notice that the petitioner-Institution, Rajdhani College of Nursing, Bhubaneswar had earlier filed W.P.(C) No.25173 of 2025. The said writ petition was disposed of along



with batch of writ applications by order dated 16.10.2025, the lead matter being ***W.P.(C) No.24404 of 2025 (Gurukrupa College of Nursing, Balasore v. State of Odisha & Others)***.

The petitioner has chosen not to instruct the learned counsel in the present writ application regarding the earlier writ application. He has also not given the statement in the cause title as mandated by the High Court of Orissa Rules to disclose the earlier writ application. The declaration regarding the earlier cases pending as given in the affidavit supporting the Writ Petition at paragraph-3, states thus: -

“3. Number of proceedings pending in the High Court or would be instituted Caveat: No.”

4. While disposing the earlier application, this Bench by order dated 16.10.2025 had directed the following: -

“6. In view of the above fact situation and taking note of the order dated 14.10.2025 passed by the Co-ordinate Bench in I.A. No.16798 of 2025 passed in W.P.(C) 39868 of 2023, as well as the submissions made at the bar by the learned counsels on behalf of the petitioners-Institutions, the submissions of the learned counsel for the regulatory authority(ies), Mr. R.C. Mohanty and the learned Additional Standing Counsel for the State, we issue the following directions.

6.1. All the Institutions whose applications have been rejected for grant of renewal of NOC shall comply the deficiencies, if not, already complied in the meantime by 23rd October, 2025 for the academic year, 2025-26.

In view of the undertaking given before this Court, no further time shall be granted for submission of compliance.

6.2. We also expect the respective authorities like fire services or others shall take expeditious steps in



considering compliances, if applied for by the petitioners-Institutions after due verification in accordance with law.

6.3. Upon submission of the necessary compliance in the respective individual cases on or before 23rd October, 2025 5.00 pm, the authority shall consider the same and take decision(s) as expeditiously as possible, taking note of the fact that last date of admission to courses of Session-2025-26 is 31st October, 2025, and after grant of NOC the Institutions have to seek affiliations and other requirements, as the case may be, for admission of students.

7. Thereafter, the admission notification has to be notified, the students have to approach the Institutions and the entire process has to be completed by 31st October, 2025.

Apart from the above writ applications by the Institutions, the above order shall strictly apply to only those Institutions who also have applied during time specified for renewal and rejected by the authority, applications for NOC made thereafter and fresh NOC applications pending for considerations till today, if these category of Institutions comply the deficiency and approach the authority by 23rd October, 2025.”

- 5.** List under the same heading on 23rd December, 2025.

(Manash Ranjan Pathak)
Judge

(Mruganka Sekhar Sahoo)
Judge