



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

WP(C) No.31727 of 2024

Sandhyarani Jhankar ***Petitioner***

Mr. B.P. B. Bahali, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha & ors. ***Opposite Parties***

Mr. B. Nayak, AGA

Mr. Sukanta Kumar Dalai, Advocate

(For Opp. Party No.5)

CORAM: JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

03.07.2026

Order No.

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This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. Though this is a matter of the year 2024, as per the office note, no Counter has yet been filed by the State-Opposite Parties so also the private Opposite Party No.5. However, Mr. Nayak, learned AGA prays for further three weeks' time to take instruction and file counter affidavit.

3. Mr. Dalai, learned counsel for the private Opposite Party No.5 also prays for three weeks' time to file counter affidavit.

4. Prayers for adjournment are allowed.

5. However, in view of the office note, learned Counsel for the petitioner is directed to file requisites



for issuance of notices afresh to the private Opposite Party Nos.6 & 7 by Speed Post with AD by Monday (06.07.2026). On filing of requisites, notice be issued urgently to the said Opposite Parties, fixing a short returnable date.

6. The matter be listed during next sitting of this Bench, if any, in the week commencing from 3rd August, 2026 along with the tracking report of the Postal Department.

(S.K. MISHRA)
JUDGE

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