



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.24 of 2026

Shiba Shankar Nayak

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Petitioner

Mr. A.K. Sahoo, Advocate

-versus-

**Chairman-cum-
Managing Director,
Odisha State Road
Transport Corporation,
BBSR and Others**

....

Opp. Parties

Mr. S.P. Das,
Advocate for OSRTC

CORAM:

JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

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25.03.2026**

- 05.** 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical) Mode.
- 2.** Heard learned counsel for the parties.
- 3.** Pursuant to order dated 19.01.2026, learned counsel appearing for the Corporation produced the instruction so provided vide letter dated 24.03.2026. The same be kept in record.
- 4.** Basing on the instruction, learned counsel for the Corporation contended that since on self-same issue, Corporation has filed a Writ Appeal No.167 of 2018 and



the same is sub-judice as on date, even though claim of the petitioner has been calculated under annexure-5, but the same has not been released.

5. It is also contended that similar claim has also not been released in favour of similarly situated employees. It is accordingly contended that petitioner's claim will be released only after disposal of the Writ Appeal No.167 of 2018.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner considering the instruction so provided, prays for withdrawal of the writ petition with liberty to reiterate his claim after disposal of the W.A. No.167 of 2018.

7. The Writ Petition stands disposed of with the aforesaid liberty.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

Basudev