



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C). NO.37331 OF 2025

Kaleswar Chinda

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Petitioner

Mr. Bijay Kumar Behera, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and others

....

Opp. Parties

Mr. Siba Narayan Biswal,
Additional Standing Counsel

CORAM:

JUSTICE K.R. MOHAPATRA

JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

20.01.2026

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1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. Mr. Behera, learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that pursuant to judgment dated 14th September, 2023 (Annexure-2) passed by the learned Civil Judge (Senior Division), Nuapada in LAR Case No.8 of 2017 in a reference under Section 18 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (for brevity, 'the Act'), the Petitioner filed an application before the Special Land Acquisition Officer, Lower Indra Irrigation Project, Khariar on 22nd November, 2023 for redetermination of the compensation. It is submitted that the said application is still pending for consideration. Hence, finding no other alternative, the Petitioner has filed this writ petition with a prayer to issue direction for early disposal of application filed under Section 28-A of the Act.

3. Mr. Biswal, learned Additional Standing Counsel prays for an adjournment to take instruction with regard to



the current status of the application filed under Section 28-A of the Act.

4. Put up this matter on 25th February, 2026. Instruction with regard to current status of application filed under Section 28-A of the Act by the Petitioner shall be taken in the meantime positively.

(K.R. Mohapatra)
Judge

(S.K. Mishra)
Judge

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