



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
W.P.(C) No. 667 of 2026

***Arnapurna Behuria &
Another***

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Petitioners

Ms. D. Nayak, Adv.

-versus-

State of Odisha & Ors.

.....

Opposite Parties

Mr. S.P. Das, ASC

CORAM:
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY
ORDER
04.02.2026

Order No. 01

1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
2. Heard learned counsel appearing for the Parties.
3. The present Writ Petition has been filed inter alia challenging rejection of the Petitioner's claim to get the benefit of Rehabilitation appointment on the ground that under the OCS (RA) Amendment Rules, 2020, there is no such provision to provide employment to the wards of work-charged employee.
4. Learned counsel appearing for the Petitioner contended that by virtue of the earlier resolution issued by the Government dt.14.10.1998, wards of work-charged employees were covered under the provisions of



OCS (RA) Rules, 1990. It is also contended that similar claim has been recommended vide letter dt.01.06.2021 under Annexure-6.

5. Taking into account the pleadings made, this Court directs learned counsel appearing for the Petitioner to provide any order showing appointment of the person so recommended vide Annexure-6 on the next date.

6. As requested, list this matter in the week commencing 23.02.2026.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

Sangita