

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
EXP No.11 of 2023

1) Prafulla Mahapatra
2) Dhirendra Kumar Panda

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Petitioners

Represented by Adv. –
Mr. Upendra Kumar
Samal, Mr. M. R.
Mohapatra

-versus-

State of Odisha, represented by
Secretary, Revenue and Disaster
Management Department,
Odisha

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Opposite Parties

Represented by Adv. -
Mr. Sarathi Jyoti
Mohanty, A.S.C.

CORAM:
REGISTRAR (JUDICIAL)

ORDER
22.04.2026

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17. Heard Mr. M.R. Mohapatra, learned counsel for the petitioner, decree holder and Mr. S.J. Mohanty, A.S.C.

Perused the execution petition case record and disposed of order of the Hon'ble Court on 10.01.2020 passed in WP(C)(P.I.L) No.376 of 2020.

Also verified last order sheet dated 15.04.2026. But, compliance affidavit has not been filed by the State Government.

During course of hearing, the learned ASC submitted that in W.P.(C)(P.I.L.) No. 376 of 2020 direction was made to the Secretary, Revenue & Disaster Management Department to consider the representation of the petitioners and to take

appropriate step for eviction of the encroachers if any, as per the statutory provisions. And as revealed from the report of the Tahasildar, Sundergarh the process of eviction is going on and in the process 101 numbers of cases have been settled in favour of 101 numbers of persons. Some portions of land have been under occupation of some individuals and the process is on to make them encroachment free.

On the other hand the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner submitted that major portion of the land is still under encroachment.

Heard both sides and it is directed to produce the details of the land settled in favour of individuals and the area of land that is still to be made encroachment free as per the direction of the Hon'ble Court.

Put up this case on 06.05.2026.

Registrar (Judicial)
Lawzima Court.