

Sl. No.	Date	Office Notes, reports, orders or proceedings or directions and Registrar's order with Signatures	COURT'S OR JUDGE'S ORDERS
			<p>WPMS No.699 of 2026 Birbhaddar Mahadev Mandir & anotherPetitioners Versus State of Uttarakhand & othersRespondents</p> <p><u>Hon'ble Pankaj Purohit, J.</u> Mr. Bhupesh Kandpal, learned counsel with Mr. Hem Chandra Joshi, learned counsel for the petitioners.</p> <p>2. Mr. Suyash Pant, learned Standing Counsel for the State.</p> <p>3. It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioners that the impugned notice is illegal, as no reasonable opportunity was granted to the petitioners. The mere grant of 48 hours' time to remove the alleged encroachment is wholly arbitrary, unreasonable, and unjust. It is a settled position of law that any action affecting rights must be preceded by a fair, reasonable, and adequate opportunity of being heard.</p> <p>4. As prayed, two weeks' time is granted to the State Counsel to file counter affidavit.</p> <p>5. List on 09.04.2026.</p> <p>6. Till then, petitioners shall not be evicted from the Gausala in question.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Pankaj Purohit, J.) 23.03.2026</p> <p>AK</p>