



**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD**  
**WRIT - A No. - 23415 of 2012**

Manoj Kumar Rastogi

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

Chairman Cum Managing Director Oriental  
Insurance Com.And Ors

.....Respondent(s)

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Counsel for Petitioner(s) : Bipin Lal Srivastava, Siddhartha Varma  
Counsel for Respondent(s) : C.S.C., Nagendra Kumar Srivastava,  
S.C.

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**Court No. - 34**  
(SN.5)

**HON'BLE ANISH KUMAR GUPTA, J.**

1. Sri Siddhartha Varma, was the counsel for the petitioner, who has been elevated to the Bench, therefore, Sri Bipin Lal Srivastava appearing for the petitioner and vide order dated 19.03.2024, name of Sri Bipin Lal Srivastava, was directed to be recorded as counsel for the petitioner.
2. Sri Saurabh Singh, Advocate appearing on behalf of Sri Vinayak Varma submits that Sri Vinayak Varma, Advocate has instructions to appear in this matter and he will file Vakalatnama on behalf of the petitioner shortly. In view thereof, he seeks some more time to obtain instructions and file Vakalatnama and prepare the case for arguments.
3. Sri Nagendra Kumar Srivastava, learned counsel for the respondents submits that though the counter affidavit was served long back to the counsel for the petitioner and rejoinder affidavit has also been filed to the counter affidavit, however, since the instant petition was dismissed in default earlier, therefore, the counter affidavit could not be filed. He has tendered the counter affidavit today in Court, which is taken on record.
4. Rejoinder affidavit filed on behalf of the petitioner is already on record.
5. List this matter **peremptorily** on **28.04.2026** in **daily cause list**.

**(Anish Kumar Gupta,J.)**

**April 6, 2026**

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