

IN THE HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH
AT BILASPUR

W. P. (C) No. 197 /2015

PETITIONER:

Puranlal Kothari S/o Ghasiram
Kothari Aged about- 43 years,
Resident of Village- Sonaidongari,
Gram-Panchayat-Sonaidongari,
Tahsil-Gurur, District- Balod (C.G.)

P.R.No. 21/9/15
Presented by Shri B.L. Sahu
dated 29-1-15

VERSUS

RESPONDENTS: 1)

State of Chhattisgarh
Through its Secretary Panchayat &
Rural Development department
Mahanadi Bhawan Raipur (C.G.)

2)

District Election Officer
district -Balod (C.G.)

3)

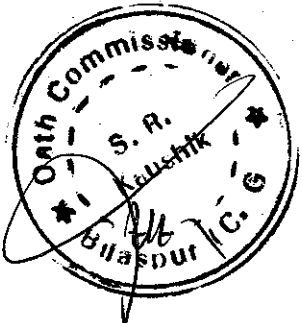
The Returning Officer
(Election-Panchayat)
Janpad Panchayat Gurur
district- Balod (C.G.)

4)

The Chief Executive Officer
Janpad Panchayat- Gurur dist. Balod
(C.G.)

5)

Dularu Ram Sahu S/o Dasaru Ram
Sahu resident of village- Sonaidongari,
Gram-Panchayat- Sonaidongari,
Janpad-Panchayat & Tahsil- Gurur,
district- Balod (C.G.)



Attested

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WRIT PETITION UNDER ARTICLE 226 OF THE
CONSTITUTION OF INDIA



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Shri B.L. Sahu, counsel for the petitioner.

Shri Siddharth Rathore, Dy. Govt. Advocate for the State.

SINGLE BENCH : HON'BLE SHRI PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA, J.

ORAL ORDER

(09/02/2015)

This writ petition has been preferred challenging improper acceptance of nomination paper filed by respondent No. 5 for contesting election of office of the Sarpanch of Gram Panchayat, Sonaidongari, Tahsil Gurur, District Balod.

2. In view of the bar contained under Article 243-O of the Constitution of India, this writ petition is not maintainable. Petitioner's remedy lies in filing an election petition under Section 122 of the Chhattisgarh Panchayat Raj Adhiniyam, 1993.

3. Accordingly, writ petition is dismissed as not maintainable.

Sd/-

Prashant Kumar Mishra
Judge