

HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR**WPC No. 425 of 2015**

- Govindram Bhasker @ Govind Satnami S/o Hagraram Bhasker Aged About 34 years R/o Village Girdharikapa P.S.- Kunda, Dist- Kabirdham

---- Petitioner

Versus

1. State of Chhattisgarh Through Collector District Election Officer Janpad Panchayat Pandaria Dist- Kabirdham
2. Returning Officer (Panchayat) Panchayat Election Janpad Panchayat Pandaria Dist- Kabirdham
3. Madhubai W/o Mahendra Verman Aged About 32 Years R/o Village Dongaria Khurd P.S- Kunda, Dist- Kawardha

---- Respondents

For Petitioner	:	Shri H.S. Ahluwalia, Advocate
For Respondent/State	:	Shri A. Surana, Dy. GA for the State.

Hon'ble Shri Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra**Order On Board****10/03/2015**

1. The petitioner is challenging the action of re-tabulation and preparation of final sheet by the Presiding Officer concerning the election of member of Janpad Panchayat, Pandaria.
2. If the writ petition is allowed, the effect would be of setting aside the election of member of Janpad Panchayat.
3. In view of the provisions contained under Article 243-O of the Constitution of India, any challenge to the election, either directly or collaterally, can be



made only by filing a election petition under Section 122 of the Chhattisgarh
Panchayat Raj Adhiniyam, 1993 and the jurisdiction of this Court is barred.

4. For the foregoing, this writ petition is dismissed as not maintainable.

Sd/-
Prashant Kumar Mishra
Judge

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