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HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH, BILASPUR

WPC No. 112 of 2016

- Sharad Kumar Titus S/o J. H. Titus, Aged About 64 Years Retired Presiding Officer, R/o Darogapara, Raigarh, Tahsil And District Raigarh (Chhattisgarh)

---- **Petitioner**

Versus

1. State of Chhattisgarh Through The Secretary, Scheduled Caste & Scheduled Tribe Development Department, Mahanadi Bhawan, Mantralaya, New Raipur (Chhattisgarh)
2. The Sub Divisional Officer (Revenue), Raigarh, District Raigarh (Chhattisgarh)
3. The Naib Tahsildar, Raigarh, District Raigarh (Chhattisgarh).

---- **Respondents**

For Petitioner	:	Shri DN Prajapati, Advocate
For Respondents-State	:	Shri RK Gupta, Dy. AG for the State

Hon'ble Shri Justice Prashant Kumar Mishra

Order On Board

18/01/2016

1. Petitioner is aggrieved by the order passed by the Sub Divisional Officer (R), Raigarh, rejecting his application for issuance of the caste certificate.
2. The order impugned is appealable under Section 5 of the Chhattisgarh Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes And Other Backward Classes (Regulation of Social Status Certification) Act, 2013.
3. In view of the availability of efficacious statutory alternative remedy, the writ petition is dismissed, however, liberty is reserved in favour of the petitioner to prefer an appeal within a period of 30 days from today. Sd/-

Judge
Prashant Kumar Mishra

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