

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No. 714 of 2022

<i>Bichitra Kumar Baral</i>		<i>Petitioner</i>
		<i>Mr. M.K. Mohanty,</i> <i>Advocate</i>
	Vs.	
<i>State of Odisha & Ors.</i>		<i>Opposite Parties</i> <i>State Counsel</i>

CORAM:

**DR. JUSTICE B.R. SARANGI
MR. JUSTICE S.K. PANIGRAHI**

**ORDER
12.01.2022**

Order No.

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This matter is taken up through video conferencing mode.

2. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner.

3. The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking direction to the opposite parties to extend the lease period for three and half months for lifting rest quantity of sand of 844 cum from the quarry.

4. In course of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner states that highlighting the grievances, the petitioner has made representation to opposite party no.2 vide Annexure-8 and the same may be directed to be considered taking into consideration Rule 27(13) of the OMMC Rules, 2016 within a stipulated time to which

learned State Counsel has no objection.

5. As agreed by learned counsel for the parties, this Court, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, disposes of the writ petition directing opposite party no.2 to consider the representation filed by the petitioner vide Annexure-8 and pass appropriate order taking into consideration Rule 27(13) of the OMMC Rules, 2016 within a period of three months from the date of production/communication of authenticated copy of this order.

6. As the restrictions due to resurgence of COVID-19 situation are continuing, learned counsel for the parties may utilize a print out of the order available in the High Court's website, at par with certified copy, subject to attestation by the concerned advocate, in the manner prescribed, vide Court's Notice No.4587 dated 25th March, 2020, as modified by Court's notice no. 4798 dated 15th April, 2021, and Court's Office Order circulated vide Memo Nos.514 and 515 dated 7th January, 2022.

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(**DR. B.R. SARANGI**)
JUDGE

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(**S.K. PANIGRAHI**)
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