

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

CRLMP No.506 of 2022

Arun Kumar Das

....

Petitioner

In person

-versus-

State of Odisha & others

....

Opp. Parties

Mr. Sk. Zafarulla,

Additional Standing Counsel

**CORAM:
JUSTICE BISWAJIT MOHANTY**

**ORDER
29.04.2022**

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1. This matter is taken up through video conferencing mode.
2. Mr.A.K.Das appears in person submits that he is a practicing Advocate with Orissa Bar Council Enrollment No. 0-1229/1999.
3. Heard Mr.A.K.Das in person and Mr. Zafarulla, learned Additional Standing Counsel.
4. The grievance of the petitioner in this case pertains to non-registration of his complaint dated 3.5.2020 under Annexure-1 series as F.I.R. by the I.I.C., Jagatsinghpur Police Station (opposite party No.4) though the same reveals commission of cognizable offences and the same has been acknowledged on the same date by assigning Complaint No. 245050272000020. He further submits that though against such inaction, he has approached the Superintendent of Police, Jagatsinghpur (opposite party No.3) by filing a grievance petition dated 16.3.2022 vide Annexure-2 series sent through registered post on the same date, however, till date no action has been

taken on the same. In such background, he prays that necessary directions be issued to opposite party Nos.3 & 4 for registration of the complaint of the petitioner as F.I.R. within a specific time period.

5. Considering the submissions made and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this Court directs the Superintendent of Police, Jagatsinghpur (opposite party No.3) to take a decision on the grievance petition dated 16.3.2022 of the petitioner under Annexure-2 series in accordance with law keeping in mind the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of **Lalita Kumari Vs. State of U.P. & Others** reported in **AIR 2014 SC 187** within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order, if in the meantime, the same has not been disposed of and communicate the result of such exercise to the petitioner. The petitioner is directed to supply copies of the complaint dated 3.5.2020 under Annexure-1 series as well as grievance petition dated 16.3.2022 under Annexure-2 series to opposite party no.3 while presenting a certified copy of this order.

6. Accordingly, this CRLMP is disposed of.

7. Urgent certified copy of this order be granted on proper application.

(Biswajit Mohanty)
Judge