IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P (C) No. 14012 of 2020

State of Odisha &Ors.	…..	***Petitioners***
		Mr. A.K. Mishra, AGA
	Vs.	
Sankar Prasad Panda & Another	…..	***Opposite Parties***

CORAM:
DR. JUSTICE B.R. SARANGI
MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER
26.07.2022

Order No.
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This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. As it appears, the order impugned has been passed on 20.03.2018 and the Writ Petition has been filed on 09.06.2020 after lapse of Two years Three months. Therefore, the Writ Petition suffers from delay and laches.

3. In that view of the matter, this Court is not inclined to entertain this Writ Petition at this belated stage, as the same suffers from delay and laches, in view of the judgment/order of this Court in the case of ***State of Odisha v. Surama Manjari Das*** (W.P.(C) No. 15763 of 2021 dismissed on 16.07.2021).

4. Accordingly, the Writ Petition merits no consideration and the same is hereby dismissed.

(DR. B.R. SARANGI)
JUDGE

(S.K. MISHRA)
JUDGE

Arun/Banita