

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.21773 of 2022

Ramanath Behera

....

Petitioner

-versus-

State of Odisha & Others

....

Opposite Parties

COROM:

JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

26.09.2022

Order No

1. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for Petitioner and learned counsel for the State-Opposite Parties.
3. The present Writ Petition has been filed with the following prayer:-

“ (i) Direct/ order Opp.Party No.1 to dispose of the representation dated 08.02.2022 submitted by the petitioner as at Annexure-6 within a stipulated time period as deem fit and proper by this Hon’ble Court while relying eye on their earlier orders/ decisions as at Annexure-5.

(ii) Direct/ order the Opp.Parties to sanction Grade Pay Rs.5400/- as 3rd RACP benefit w.e.f. 01.05.2014 under RACP Scheme-2103 and accordingly revise the salary of the Petitioner under ORSP Rules, 2017 w.e.f. 01.01.2016 and thereafter the pension and other pensioinary benefits w.e.f. 31.12.2017 and sanction the differential amounts accrued in favour of the Petitioner within stipulated time period as deem fit and proper by this Hon’ble Court”.

4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that through highlighting his grievances, the Petitioner has filed a representation at Annexure-6 to the Writ Petition, before

the opposite party No.1 but till date nothing has been done in the matter. In such background, he prays that a direction be issued to opposite party No.1 to take a decision on the above noted petition within a specific time period.

5. Considering the submissions made and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this Court directs opposite party No.1 to take a decision on the above noted petition in accordance with law and also taking into account the order passed under Annexures-3 & 5 within a period of three months from the date of production of certified copy of this order and communicate the result of such exercise to the petitioner.

6. With the aforesaid observation and direction, the Writ Petition is disposed of.

7. The photocopy of the said order be placed in the connected cases.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

Subrat