

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P (C) No. 33690 of 2020

Shiv Dutta Sharma

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Petitioner

Mr. S.K. Singh, Advocate

Vs.

State of Odisha and others

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Opposite Parties

Mr. P.P. Mohanty, AGA

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE B.R. SARANGI

MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MISHRA

ORDER

19.07.2022

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This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. Heard.

3. It is contended by learned counsel for the parties that consequent upon amendment to the provisions of Section 10-A(2)(b) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Amendment (MMDR) Act, the vires of the said amended provision is under challenge before the apex Court in T.P. No. 329-377 of 2022, which is pending adjudication.

4. In that view of the matter, liberty is granted to the petitioner to pursue his remedy before the appropriate forum, if he is so advised.

5. With that liberty, the Writ Petition stands disposed of.

(DR. B.R. SARANGI)
JUDGE

Arun/Banita

(S.K. MISHRA)
JUDGE