

IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.30040 of 2022

Bijaya Kumar Biswal

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Petitioner

Mr.P.K.Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and others

....

Opposite Parties

Mr.N.K.Praharaj, A.G.A.

CORAM:

JUSTICE A.K. MOHAPATRA

ORDER

21.11.2022

Order No.

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1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual /Physical Mode).
2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned Additional Standing Counsel.
3. The Petitioner has filed the present writ application with the following prayer:

“ Under the aforesaid facts and circumstances, it is therefore, prayed that this Hon’ble Court may graciously be pleased to

- i) Direct the Opp.Parties to regularize the period of suspension i.e. from 17.12.2005 to 07.06.2006 as per the order dated 09.08.2021 as at Annexure-7, sanction annual increments from 2006 to give retrospective promotion to Sr.Clerk from 2006 and accordingly grant pension and pensionary benefits in view of the acquittal from the Vigilance Cse vide Judgment dated 26.02.2016, passed in T.R.Case No.33 of 2009 as at Annexure-4 for the interest of justice;
- ii) Pass such other order(s) or issue direction(s) as may be deemed fit and proper in the bona fide interest of justice.”

4. In course of hearing of the writ application, learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that the Petitioner ventilating his grievance has submitted representation before the Principal Secretary, Revenue & Disaster Management Department, Odisha, Opposite Party No.1 on 18.04.2022 under Annexure-9. It is also submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that the said representation is pending as of now. It is also submitted by the learned counsel for the Petitioner that a direction be issued to the Opposite Party No.1 to consider the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-9 within a stipulated period of time.

5. Learned Additional Standing Counsel submits that he has no objection if the representation of the Petitioner is considered by the Opposite Party No.1, which is stated to be pending, in accordance with law within a stipulated period of time.

6. Considering the limited nature of grievance of the Petitioner, the writ application is disposed of at the stage of admission with a direction to the Opposite Party no.1 to consider the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-9 in accordance with law within a period of two months from the date of production of certified copy of this order. The Opposite Party No.1 shall do well to dispose of the representation of the Petitioner under Annexure-9 by passing a speaking and reasoned order taking into consideration Annexures-4 & 7.

7. With the aforesaid observation, the writ application stands disposed of.

8. Issue urgent certified copy of this order as per Rules.

