IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.10297 of 2026

Jitendra Barik and others ***.....*** ***Petitioners***

Represented by

Mr.T.K.Mishra, Adv

-versus-

State of Odisha and others ***.....*** ***Opposite Parties***

Represented by
A.G.A.

CORAM:
JUSTICE SASHIKANTA MISHRA

ORDER

Order No. **10.4.2026.**

01. 1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioners and learned Addl. Government Advocate for the State.

3. The Petitioners have approached this Court with the following prayer;

> *"Under the aforesaid facts and circumstances, it is therefore, prayed that your lordship may kindly be graciously enough to admit writ application, issue a rule NISI, calling upon the 0pp. Parties as to why a fresh and lawful demarcation of the land under Plot No.450/1424 and*

450/1435 under Khata No.207/31 and 207/46 of Mouza-Sargipalli which corresponding of Khata No.33, Plot No.450 and Plot No.449 of Khata No. 127 of Mouza-Sargipalli shall not be made independently in response to the guidelines dated 13.12.2016 in presence of all the boundary tenants and independent witnesses, if the 0pp. Parties fails to show cause or show insufficient cause made the rule absolute;

And further be pleased to allow the writ application.

And for this act of kindness the Petitioners shall as in duty bound ever pray."

4. In course of hearing, it is seen that the Petitioners, highlighting the same grievance have already approached the Collector, Sundargarh as well as the Tahasildar, Lefripada, seeking necessary relief.

5. Since the Collector is in seisin over the mater, the Writ Petition is disposed of directing the Collector, Sundargarh to consider the representation submitted by the Partitioners on 25.3.2026 in accordance with law and pass necessary orders within four weeks from the date of production of certified copy of this order by the Petitioner.

6. It goes without saying that the Petitioners shall be granted opportunity of hearing before disposal of the representation.

7. In case, the petitioners apprehend any coercive measure in respect of the property in question, it shall be open to them to approach the Collector, Sundargarh seeking order of prohibition.

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

(Sashikanta Mishra)
Judge

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