IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
W.P.(C) No.34203 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010786532026

Tusharkanti Jena ***Petitioner***

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Mr. R. Acharya, Adv.

-versus-

State of Odisha & Ors. ***Opposite Parties***

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Mr. S.P. Das, ASC

CORAM:
JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

Order No. **29.10.2026**

01. **1.** This matter is taken up through Hybrid Arrangement (Virtual/Physical) Mode.

2. Heard learned counsel appearing for the parties.

3. At the outset, learned counsel for the Petitioner contended that he does not intend to press the prayer No.2 and the same be treated as not pressed.

4. The present Writ Petition has been filed *inter alia* with the following prayer: -

> *"In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances, it is therefore, prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to issue notices to the Opp. Parties and after hearing from both the parties the Hon'ble Court may kindly be pleased to issue following directions:*
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> *I. And a writ of mandamus or an appropriate Writ be issued directing the opp.parties specifically O.P No- 1 to 3 to regularize service of the Petitioner and grant pension and other retirement benefits to the petitioner with all consequential service benefits after regularizing his service;*
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> *II. The opp.party No.3 be directed to release the awarded amount of gratuity of Rs. 6,30,793 with 10% interest per annum till final payment is made.*

III. And be pleased to pass such other order/orders as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper for granting complete and effective justice to the petitioner;

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

5. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that through highlighting his grievances, the petitioner has filed a representation vide Annexure-9 to the Writ Petition, but till date nothing has been done in the matter. In such background, he prays that a direction be issued to the Opposite Party No.1 to take a decision on the above noted petition within a specific time period.

6. Considering the submissions made and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this Court directs the Opposite Party No.1 to take a decision on the above noted representation in accordance with law, within a period of six weeks from the date of production of certified copy of this order and communicate the result of such exercise to the petitioner.

7. The Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

Nitu Prava

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