IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
W.P.(C) No.33773 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010792672026

Sauranshu Mohan Patnaik

.... ***Petitioner***

Mr. P. K. Mohapatra, Advocate

-versus-

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

....

Mr. S.P. Das, ASC

CORAM:
JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

Order No. **10.11.2026**

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

2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned counsel appearing for the Opp. Parties.

3. Petitioner has filed the present Writ Petition *inter* alia with the following prayer: -

> *"Under the aforesaid facts and circumstances of the case, it is therefore, prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to:*
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> *(i) direct the Opp. Parties to allow the Grade Pay of Rs.6600/- w.e.f. 10.11.2013 towards 3rd Financial Up-gradation under RACP on completion of 30 years of service in the light of the principles, decided by this Hon'ble Court in W.P.(C) No.16201/2020, which has been affirmed by the Hon'ble Apex Court in SLP(C) Diary No.65692/2025 vide order, dtd.27.11.2024 and implementation Order in favour of similarly situated persons vide Orders, dated 28.07.2026, 27.07.2026, 24.06.2026, 13.08.2026, 20.08.2026 and 21.09.2026 under*

Annexure-7 and accordingly revised pension and pensionary benefits 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.

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

4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that through highlighting his grievances, Petitioner has filed a representation at Annexure-6 to the Writ Petition before the Opposite Party No.2, but till date nothing has been done in the matter. In such background, learned counsel for the Petitioner prays that a direction be issued to the Opposite Party No.2 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 the Opposite Party No.2 to take a decision on the above noted petition in accordance with law, within a period of three (3) months from the date of receipt of this order and communicate the result of such exercise to the Petitioner.

6. The Writ Petition is disposed of accordingly.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

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