IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
W.P.(C) No.34185 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010802972026

Swagatika Subhadarshini .... ***Petitioner***

Dr. B.K. Mishra, Adv.

-versus-

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

Mr. S.P. Das, ASC

CORAM:
THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER
27.10.2026

Order No.

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

2. Heard learned counsel for the Parties.

3. Petitioner has filed the present writ petition inter alia with the following prayer:-

> *"In the above premises, it is therefore most humbly prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to admit the writ petition and may graciously be pleased to issue RULE NISI calling upon the Opposite Parties to show cause as to why, one (01) U.R. promotional post pertaining to the year 2024 and three (03) U.R. promotional posts pertaining to the year 2025, which have remained unfilled despite being available within the promotional quota, shall not be filled up by promotion from amongst the eligible U.R candidates of the Amin cadre, including the Petitioner.*
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> *And if the Opposite Parties fail to show sufficient cause, the said Rule be made absolute and this Hon'ble Court may further be pleased to issue a writ in the nature of Writ of Mandamus:*
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> *A. directing the Opposite Parties to fill up the one (01) U.R. promotional post pertaining to the year 2024 and three (03) U.R. promotional posts pertaining to the year 2025 from amongst the eligible U.R. candidates of the Amin cadre, including the Petitioner;*

B. directing the Opposite Parties to rearrange the gradation list of the Revenue Inspectors by assigning their appropriate position therein in accordance with their inter-se seniority in the respective feeder cadres and the date of their promotion, along with other service and financial benefits;
And pass any other appropriate order/orders, Writ/writs, direction/directions as this Hon'ble Court may deem just and proper in the interest of justice;
And for this act of kindness the Petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray."

4. In course of hearing, learned counsel for the Petitioner states that highlighting her grievances, Petitioner has made a representation vide Annexure-18 to the Writ Petition before Opposite Party No.3 and the same may be directed to be considered and disposed of within a stipulated time period to which learned Counsel for the State has no objection.

5. As agreed by learned counsel for the parties and after going through the records, this Court without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, dispose of the Writ Petition with a direction on Opposite Party No.3 to consider and dispose of the representation vide Annexure-18, in accordance with law, within a period of three (3) months from the date of receipt of this order with due communication to the Petitioner.

6. With the aforesaid observation and direction, the Writ Petition stands disposed of.

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Signed by: SANGITA PATRA
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Date: 28-Oct-2026 18:12:20

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge