IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.34778 of 2026

CNR No. ODHC010819932026

Uttam Kumar Mohanty .... ***Petitioner***

Mr. S.K. Das, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha & Ors.

.... ***Opposite Parties***

Mr. C.K. Pradhan, AGA

CORAM:
JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

Order No. **27.10.2026**

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:-

> *"It is therefore most humbly prayed that this Hon'ble Court may be graciously pleased to direct the Opp. Party No.1 to sanction the leave of the petitioner for 44 days for the period from 03.08.2017 to 15.09.2017 and to grant the duty pay salary for 404 days from 16.09.2017 to 25.10.2018 as recommended by the Opp. Party No.5 in his letter dtd: 31.08.2026 under Annexure-20 and further be please to direct the Opp. Party No.1 to sanction periodical increment of the petitioner for the year 2018 & 2019 and the benefit of pay revision under ORSP Rules, 2017 w.e.f. 01.01.2016 and to grant all consequential arrear thereof, with final pension, gratuity, unutilized leave salary, GPF with accrued interest minimum @ 7% per annum within a stipulated period as deem fit and proper;*
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> *And/or pas any other appropriate writ/writs, order/orders and direction/directions in the fitness of the case;*

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

4. Learned counsel for the Petitioner submits that request available at Annexure-20 to the Writ Petition is pending before Opp. Party No.2, but till date nothing has been done in the matter. In such background, Petitioner prays that a direction be issued to Opp. Party No.2 to take a decision on the above noted request within a specific time period.

5. Considering the submissions made and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this Court while disposing the Writ Petition directs Opposite Party No.2 to consider and dispose of the request so available at Annexure-20 to the Writ Petition in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of three(3) months from the date of receipt of this order with due communication to the Petitioner.

6. The Writ Petition accordingly stands disposed of.

(Biraja Prasanna Satapathy)
Judge

Subrat

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