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State of Odisha and others

**Appellants** 

Mr. M.K. Khuntia, Additional Government Advocate -versus-

Shibasish Behera

Respondent

# CORAM: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE HON'BLE MISS JUSTICE SAVITRI RATHO

Order No.

ORDER 21.10.2024

#### I.A. No.2729 of 2023

- 01. This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.
  - 2. Issue notice to the sole respondent on the question of limitation by Registered/Speed Post with A.D., making it returnable within four weeks, requisites for which shall be filed by 25.10.2024.
  - 3. List this matter on 18.11.2024.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh) Chief Justice

> (Savitri Ratho) Judge

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Order No.

<u>ORDER</u> 18.11.2024

02. *I.A. No.2729 of 2023* 

This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.

2. List this matter on 25.11.2024. In the meanwhile, the up-to-date postal tracking report shall be downloaded and attached to the file.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh) Chief Justice

> (Savitri Ratho) Judge

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Respondent

Mr. H.K. Mahanta, Advocate

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#### Order No.

ORDER 25.11.2024

03. *I.A. No.2729 of 2023* 

This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.

- 2. Mr. H.K. Mahanta, learned counsel submits that Mr. Niranjan Lenka, learned counsel and associates have instructions to appear on behalf of the respondent and Vakalatnama on his behalf shall be filed in course of the day.
- 3. List this matter on 02.12.2024.
- 4. Objection, if any to the application for condonation of delay, shall be filed in the meanwhile.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh) Chief Justice

> (Savitri Ratho) Judge

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This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.

#### I.A. No.2729 of 2023

- 2. This application has been filed by the appellants-State seeking condonation of delay of 149 days in filing the writ appeal.
- 3. Perused the objection filed today in Court on behalf of the respondent.
- 4. Considering the facts of the case and after hearing the learned counsel for the parties, we are inclined to condone the delay with cost. Accordingly, the delay is condoned subject to payment of cost of 2,000/- (Rupees Two Thousand) to the respondent within two weeks from today.



5. The application stands disposed of.



#### W.A. No.1053 of 2023

6 Mr. Bimbisar Dash, learned Additional Government Advocate for the appellants undertakes to serve a copy of the appeal memo on Mr. H.K. Mohanta, learned counsel appearing on behalf of respondent within two days.

8. List this matter on 10.12.2024 for fresh admission.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh) Chief Justice

> (Savitri Ratho) Judge

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#### IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK

W.A. No. 1053 of 2023.

(Arising out of W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 disposed of on 18.11.2022.)

Code No. 3/0405

State of Odisha and others.

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#### **SYNOPSIS**

The State Government and its functionaries have preferred this intra-court appeal challenging the legality and propriety of the order dated 18.11.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge passed in W.P. (C) No.30112 of 2022, wherein and where under the Hon'ble Single Judge on the very first day of hearing, disposed of the Writ Petition filed by the Respondent in the light of the judgment passed in the case of the Malaynanda Sethy Vrs. State of Odisha and Others and also directed the State-Appellants to consider the case of the petitioner for appointment under the OCS(RA) Rule, 1990.

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#### **LIST OF DATES & EVENTS**

Events	
The father of the Respondent while working as	
Classical Teacher in Panchyat High School, Jaja	
died on 3.5.2013.	
Thereafter the Respondent filed application under	
RA Scheme in the prescribed format.	
The present Respondent filed Writ petition bearing	
No. 30112 of 2022 which was disposed of on	
18.11.2022 within an observation to consider the	
representation within a period of three months.	
The appellant No.3 rejected the claim of the present	
Respondent with an observation that the claim of the	
application deserve no merits for consideration.	
The present Respondent filed another Writ petition	
bearing W.P(C) No.30112 of 2022 and the same was	
disposed of on 21.11.2022, which is impugned in the	
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W.A. No. 1053 of 2023.

(Arising out of W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 disposed of on 18.11.2022.)

Code No. 310705

#### IN THE MATTER OF:

An application under Claus-10 of Letter Patents Appeal read with Article-4 of Orissa High Court Order, 1948 read with Rule-2 of Chapter-VIII, Orissa High Court Rules, 1948.

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#### IN THE MATTER OF:

A Memorandum of appeal challenging the order dated 18.11.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge in W. P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022.

#### AND

#### IN THE MATTER OF:

- represented through State of Odisha, 1. Commissioner-cum-(Now Secretary Secretary) to Government, School and Mass Education Department, At-Lokseva Bhawan, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khurda.
- Director of Elementary Education, Odisha, 2. Heads of Department Building, At/Po: Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khurda.

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- 4. Collector, Kandhamal, At/Po/PS/Dist: Kandhamal.
- 5. District Education Officer, Kandhamal, At/Po/PS/Dist: Kandhamal.
- 6. Block Education Officer, Phiringia, At/Po/PS-Phiringia, Dist: Kandhamal.

(Opp. Party Nos.1 to 6 in the writ petition)

Appellants.

#### -Versus-

Shibasish Behera, aged about 30 years, Son of Late Antaryami Behera, At/Po-Shakhipada, PS-Phiringia, Dist: Kandhamal.

(Petitioner in the writ petition)

Respondent.

The matter out of which this writ appeal arises was before this Hon'ble Court in W. P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022, which was disposed of on 18.11.2022 by the Hon'ble Single Judge.

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THE HON'BLE CHIEF JUSTICE, ORISSENTERS.

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JUSTICES OF THE SAID HON'BLE COURT.

The humble petition of the appellants named above;

#### MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:

1. That, the appellants above named, who are the functionaries of the State of Odisha, have filed aforesaid memorandum of appeal challenging the order dated 18.11.2022 of the Hon'ble single Judge passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022, wherein the Hon'ble Single Judge in the operative portion of the judgment passed the following order:

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In the above view of the matter, the order dated 16.06.2022 passed by opposite party No.5 under Annexure-12 is hereby quashed. The opposite parties are directed to consider the case of the petitioner in the light of the judgment passed by the Apex Court in the case of Malaya Nanda Sethy (supra) and pass appropriate order in accordance with law within a period of three months from the date of production of certified copy of this order.

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2. That, it is submitted that such order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge is not only erroneous and contrary to the law but also the same is gross violation of principle of natural justice and also contrary to the material available on record, for which the State- appellants finding no other alternative

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Found Kruner Sareng District Education Officer, Kandhamal Phulhani approached this Hon'ble Court by filing the present intra-court appeal. Hence this writ appeal.

- 3. That, the present appellants are State and functionaries of the State of Odisha and the cause of action for filing the memorandum of appeal arises within the territorial jurisdiction of this Hon'ble Court.
- 4. That, the factual matrix of the present case as revealed from the averments made in the writ petition that the father of the petitioner namely Late Antaryami Behera while working as Primary School Teacher under Block Education Officer, Phiringia died on 21.03.2013. It is also stated by the present Respondent before the Hon'ble Single Judge that after the death of the father of the Respondent, the competent authority has issued a legal heir certificate.
- 4. That, the present Respondent has submitted that she made an application before the present Appellant No.3 in prescribed format on 15.03.2014 for appointment under the Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme and after receipt the application of the present Respondent the same was forwarded to the Director, Elementary Education, Odisha and after thorough scrutiny of the said proposal the Opp. Party No.2 approved the proposal and returned the application to reconsider under the Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 2016.
- 5. That, challenging the decision of the authority prior to filing of W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 the respondent filed

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another writ petition bearing W.P. (C) No. 13376 of 2022 which was disposed of by this Hon'ble Court on 27.05.2022. In obedience to the order dated 27.05.2022 passed by this Hon'ble Court, the present Appellant No.5 considering the grievance of the petitioner rejected the claim of the respondent vide office order No.4334 dated 16.06.2022.

- No.4334 dated 16.06.202 filed a writ petition before this Hon'ble Court bearing W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 seeking a direction to give her appointment under R.A. Scheme Rule 1990, within a stipulated time with all consequential service and financial benefits. Copy of writ petition along with its annexures is filed herewith and marked as **Annexure-1** series.
- 7. That, the aforesaid writ petition was listed before the Hon'ble Single Judge for the first time on 18.11.2022 and at the stage of admission without giving opportunity to the State-appellants to file their reply/ response, disposed of the writ petition by directing the State-appellants to consider the case of the petitioner in the light of judgment passed by the Apex Court in the case of Malayananda Sethy (supra) and pass appropriate order in accordance with law within a period of three months. Copy of order dated 18.11.2022 is filed herewith and marked as **Annexure-2**.

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Being aggrieved by the aforesaid order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 of the Hon'ble Single Judge the present appellants challenge the same on the following amongst other;

#### **GROUNDS**

- A) For that the order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge under Annexure-2 is not at all sustainable as the Hon'ble Single Judge has not appreciated the fact and law involved in the case in its proper prospective, for which the impugned order under Annexure-2 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge by disposing the writ application at the stage of admission in the light of judgment passed in the case of Malayananda Sethy is liable to be quashed.
- B) For that the impugned order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge is not tenable in the eye of law for the simple reason that the Hon'ble Single Judge without providing any opportunity to the State- appellants for filing its response has disposed of the matter at the stage of admission by directing the State Government to consider the case of the Respondent, which is required to be quashed, as the Hon'ble Single Judge has not decided the claim of the Respondent as to whether he is entitled to be appointed under Rehabilitation Assistance scheme or not and without adjudicating the matter on

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Irawood Kumar Sonargo District Education Officer, Kandibaral Phulbari merit, the direction of the Hon'ble Single Judge at the stage of admission is not at all sustainable in the eye of law and such order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge is not only contrary to law, but also same is contrary to the statutory rule governing the field. Hence the impugned order is liable to be quashed.

- C) For that it is submitted by the present Respondent that she had applied for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance on 15.03.2014 in the proper form when Rehabilitation Rule 1990 was in force. In this regard it is humbly submitted that the present appellant No.3-District Education Officer, Kandhamal considered the application of the present respondent by way of computing points under OCS (RA) Rules, 2020.
- D) For that it is humbly submitted that challenging the order of the present appellant No.3-District Education Officer, Kandhamal, the present respondent had filed writ petition bearing W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022.
- E) For that the Hon'ble Single Judge without verifying the fact in issue in the instant case and without examining the ratio decided in Malaya Nanda Sethy case (supra) and without perusing the pleadings and material documents available on record illegally and most unreasonably disposed of the writ petition directing the Appellants to consider the case of the

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respondent in the light of the principle decided in the case of Malaya Nanda Sethy (supra) and accordingly illegally directed to extend the benefit to the respondent within a period of 3 months from the date of communication of the order. It is humbly submitted that such an observation of the Hon'ble Single Judge is an outcome of total non-consideration of the material facts and pleadings made by the State authorities and the aforcsaid findings and observations arrived at by the Hon'ble Single Judge resulted in grave miscarriage of justice. Hence the impugned order is liable to be set aside.

For that it is humbly submitted that the F) matter relating to appointment under the Rehabilitation Assistance scheme has already been set at the rest by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of N.C. Santosh Versus State of Karnataka and others reported in 2020(7) SCC, page 617, where the Hon'ble Apex Court have clearly held that the norms prevailing on the date of consideration of the application should be the basis for consideration of claim for compassionate appointment. Therefore, in the instant case since the Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistant) Rule, 1990 is no more available in view of the introduction of the new rule in the year 2020 and more particularly the said new rule 2020 is yet to be made applicable in respect of either fully aided institution or block grant institution,

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therefore, the very writ petition filed by the present Respondent before the Hon'ble Single Judge is thoroughly misconceived and contrary to settled position of law and the Hon'ble Single Judge has not considered the said legal aspect while passing the impugned order. Hence the impugned order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge is liable to be quashed.

For that the Hon'ble Single Judge while G) passing the impugned order has not taken into consideration of Rule 6 (9) of Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 2020. In that Rule it is provided that "all pending cases as on the date of publication of these rules in the Odisha Gazette shall be dealt in accordance with the provision of these rules. Though the present Respondent No.1 challenged the rejection order in the writ application on the ground that his case will be considered in the old rules i.e. Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 1990, but he has not choose to challenge the 6.9 of Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 2020, wherein it was provided that all pending cases will be dealt in accordance with the Rule, 2020. Therefore, in absence of such challenge, the writ application before the Hon'ble Single Judge is not maintainable. The Hon'ble Single Judge has also not considered the said rule while disposing the matter and directed that his case may be considered in the old rules on the basis of

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Malayananda Sethy's case. In absence of challenge of 6.9 of Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 2020, which is a statutory rule under Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the direction made in the writ petition is not sustainable in the eye of law.

H) For that it is a fact with regard to applicability of the rule in respect of appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme, though there are some conflicting judgments not only passed by this Hon'ble Court, but also by the Hon'ble Apex Court, but issue decided in the case of N. C. Santosh as referred in the foregoing paragraph is a larger Bench judgment which is binding over all other judgment and more over the very same issue with regard to applicability of the norms for consideration of Rehabilitation Assistance application is also pending and referred to a larger bench in the case of State Bank of India Versus Sheo Shankar Tewari reported in (2019) 5 SCC 600 and the said issue is still pending before the Hon'ble Apex Court. Basing on such issue pending before the Hon'ble Larger Bench of the Hon'ble Aapex Court, the Division Bench of this Hon'ble Court vide its order dated 27.07.2022 in W.P. (C) No. 37575 of 2020 observed that awaiting the judgment of larger bench of the Hon'ble Apex Court in the above case adjourned the said case as sine die till the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court. Therefore, since the issue is pending before the Hon'ble Apex

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Court in the larger bench and more over another larger bench in the case of N.C. Santosh (supra) wherein it has been held that the norms prevailing on the date of consideration of the application should be the basis for consideration of claim for compassionate appointment. Therefore, the Respondent is not entitled to be appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme, but the order of the Hon'ble Single Judge for consideration of the case of the Respondent relying the judgment in the case of Malayananda Sethy is appears to be not sustainable in the eye of law for which the impugned order under Annexure-2 is liable to be quashed.

- I. For that the impugned order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge is also liable to be quashed for the reason that admittedly the Respondent prayed before the Hon'ble Single Judge to give her appointment under R.A. Scheme Rule, 1990, but the Hon'ble Single Judge erroneously disposed of the writ petition at the stage of admission, therefore the order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge is not sustainable in the eye of law, hence the impugned order passed the Hon'ble Single Judge is liable to be quashed.
- J. For that, it is well settled principle of law that appointment on compassionate ground is not a matter of right and since the father of the Respondent died in 2012 and in the meantime more than ten years

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have already been passed and such a belated stage the claim of the Respondent cannot be sustained and the same is contrary to the aims and object provided for compassionate appointment. Therefore, the claim of the Respondent is not at all tenable in the eye of law, hence the same is liable to be quashed.

- K) For that judging from any angle the order passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge cannot sustain in the eye of law and the same is liable to be quashed.
- L) For that in view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances the order dated 18.11.2022 of the Hon'ble Single Judge passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 is not sustainable in the eye of law, accordingly the same may be quashed.

#### PRAYER

It is, therefore, most humbly and respectfully prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to admit the appeal, issue notice to the respondents, call for the records and after hearing the parties the Hon'ble Court may be pleased to quash the impugned order dated 18.11.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 under Annexure-2 and further the writ petition filed by the present Respondent before the Hon'ble Single Judge may be dismissed being devoid of any merit;

And may pass such other order/orders as may be deemed just and proper for the ends of justice.

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

By the appellants through;

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Addl. Government Advocate.

### **CERTIFICATE**

Certified that the grounds set forth above are good grounds involving substantial question of law to be canvassed in this appeal and having prepared and filed. I undertake to support the same at the time of hearing if instructed.

Further certified that due to non-availability of cartridge papers plain blue papers have been used.

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# IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORUSA, CUTTACK (Original Jurisdiction Case)

WP(C) No. 30 112 /2022

Code No.301705

Shibasish Behera

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For the petitioner

(NIRANJAN LENKA, Adv.,

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District Education Officer, Kandhamal, Phulbani

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### IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA CUTTACK (Original Jurisdiction Case)

W.P. (C) No. 30 119 OF 2022

Code No. 301705

In the matter of:

An application under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India;

AND

In the matter of

An application challenging an illegal, arbitrary and unlawful order dtd. 16.0o.2022 passed by the District Education Officer, Kndhamal in rejecting the application of the petitioner for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Rules, on the ground, that as per the Notification No.5651 dtd.17.02.2020 of the Govt., GA&PG Department, he is not found eligible to get appointment nted in Cour under OCS(Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules-2020. The petitioner ABIOseeks to challenge the said order mainly on the ground that while passing the said are sugned order, the direction dtd. 27 05.2022 of this Hon'ble Court passed in WPC No. 13376 of 2022 has been completely ignored, the case of the petitioner should have been considered as per the provision of OCS(RA) Rules 1990 which was prevailing at the time of death of his father, the ratio decided by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the Case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendu Yadav reported in 2021(11) OLR-1072, State of Moharastra Vrs. Manj Kumar Deheria (2020) 2 SCC-729, 2022(11) OLR-1Malaya Nanda Sethi Vrs. State of Odisha and others, 2021(11) CLR-1072 The State of Madyapradesh Vrs Ashis Awasti, have not been taken in to consideration and above all the order suffers from the vice of violation of principle of natural justice.

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#### AND

In the matter of:

Shibasish Behera, aged about 29 years, S/o- Late Antaryami Behera
At/Po-Shakhipada Ps-Phiringia
Dist-Kandhamal.

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- 1. State of Odisha represented through Secretary School and Mass Education Department Govt. of Odisha, Secretariat Building, Bhubaneswar, Dist-Khurda.
- Director of Elementary Education Odisha,
   Bhubaneswar Heads of the Dept. Building,
   Odisha, Bhubaneswar
- District Selection Committee (Rehabilitation
   Appointment) represented through it Chairman
   Office of DEO, Kandhamal, At/Po/Ps /Dist-Kandhamal
- Collector, Kandhamal,
   At/P.O/P.S/Dist-Kandhamal.
- 5. District Education Officer, Kandhamal At/pO/PS/Dist-Kandhamal
- Block Education Officer Phiringia
   At/Po/Ps-Phiringia Dist-Kandhamal

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The matter out of which this writ application arises was before this Hon'ble Court in WPC No. 13376 of 2022 disposed of on 27.05.2022.

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The Hon'ble Chief Justice of Orissa High Court and His Lordship's other companion justices of the said Hon'ble Court.

The humble petition of the petitioner above named

#### MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:-

That, the petitioner who has lost his father while in service and who has been consistently harassed at the hands of the Opp.Parties, filed the present writ application calling in question the legality, propriety and sustainability of an order dtd. 16.06.2022 passed by the District Education Officer, Kandhamal (herein after referred to as the DEO, Kandhamal) the Opp.Party No.5. In the said impugned order the Opp.Party No.5 has illegally, arbitrarily and giving scant regards to the settled principle of law so also the direction of this Hon'ble Court passed in the earlier writ application, has rejected the application of the petitioner for appointment under Rehabilitation Rules, on the ground that, as per the Notification No.5651 dtd.17.02.2020 of the Govt., GA&PG Department, he is not found eligible to get appointment under OCS (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules-2020. The petitioner seeks to challenge the said order mainly on the ground that while passing the said impugned order, the direction dtd. 27.05.2022 of this Hon'ble Court passed in WPC No. 13376 of 2022 has been completely ignored, there is violation of principle of natural justice, the case of the petitioner should be considered as per the provision of OCS(RA) Rules 1990 which was prevailing at the time of death of his father, the ratio decided by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the Case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendu Yadav

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- 2. That, the petitioner is the citizen of India and the cause of action for this writ application arises within the jurisdiction of this Hon'ble court.
- That, the facts leading to the present writ application are that the father of the petitioner namely Antaryami Behera was a govt employee as he was working as Asst. Teacher in the Govt School under School and Mass Education Dept. of Govt. of Odisha and more specifically under the administrative control of BEO, Phiringia in the district of Kandhamal. While working as such the father of the petitioner died, in harness, on 21.03.2013 at an early age of 50 years of age. Copy of the death certificate of the father of the petitioner is annexed as **ANNEXURE-1**.
- 4. That, the father of the petitioner died leaving behind his old and ailing father and mother of 90 and 80 years respectively, his wife Sanjukta Behera and two minor sons including the petitioner and one Umashakar Behera and out of them the petitioner is the elder. Copy of the legal heir certificate of the deceased employee. is annexed as ANNEXURE-2.

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- 5. That, at the time of death of his father the petitioner was a minor of 17 years and his younger brother was also a minor of 13 years of age. So far as the mother of the petitioner is concerned she was the only person to look after and shoulder the burden of the old and ailing father and mother of the deceased employee including his two minor sons, hence he was unable to apply.
- That, after attaining the majority i.e after attaining 18 years 6. of age, on 15.03.2014 the petitioner submitted an application before the BEO, Phiringia the Opp.Party No.6, in the prescribed form, seeking for his appointment under the provisions of OCS(RA) Rules 1990. On the same day i.e on 15.03.2014 the BEO, Phiringia send the said application of the petitioner to the Collector for enquiry and to submit report whether the family of the deceased employee is in distress or not. After conducting due enquiry the Collector by his office order No. 2310 dtd. 29.12.2014 returned back the said application to the BEO, Phiringia with the certificate that the family of the deceased employee is in distress condition, with due intimation to the petitioner. Copy of letter dtd. 29.12.2014 of the collector Kandhamal and the application of the petitioner are annexed as ANNEXURE-3 and 4 respectively.
- 7. That, on receipt of the said letter along with the application from the Collector, Kandhamal, the BEO, Phiringia the Opp.Party No.6, forwarded the said application to the Director, Elementary Education the Opp.Party No.2, the appointing authority to consider the case of the petitioner. After passing about ten months from the date of submission of said report by the Collector, the Opp.Party No.2 by his office order No. 17468 dtd. 13.10.2015 asked the BEO, Phiringia the Opp.Party No.6 to furnish the no employment affidavit of all major legal heirs including the petitioner as per

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- 8. That, pursuant to the said order of the Opp.Party No.2 vide annexure-5 the petitioner filed the required affidavit before the BEO, Phiringia the Opp.Party No.5, inter alia mentioning there in that none of the family members are either in Govt., or public sector employment. Since the copies of said affidavit are not available with the petitioner he is unable to produce the same. The petitioner came to know that the BEO, Phiringia the Opp.Party No.6 send the said affidavits to the Opp.Party No.2 for consideration.
- That, when the matter stood thus and when the petitioner 9. was under hope and trust that since his case for appointment under Rehabilitation Scheme is coming under the deserving category very soon he will be given appointment. But in the month of September 2017 he was served with the order No.7148 dtd. 15.09.2017 of the DEO, Kandhamal, Phulbani; which was addressed to the BEO, Phiringia the Opp Party No.6. In the said order it was mentioned that the Director Secondary Education, Odisha Bhubaneswar has returned all applications for appointment under R.A Scheme submitted by erstwhile DIs/BEO/HMs and directed to take appropriate actions for appointment of applicant under R.A Scheme as per OCS(RA) Amendment Rules-2016. In the said letter so far as the petitioner is concerned, the fresh legal heir certificate of all major legal heirs of the deceased employee, the certificate from the competent authority to ascertain the movable and immovable properties, declaration in shape of affidavit to maintain the family and the educational certificate of

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- 10. That, pursuant to the said letter vides annexure-6 thepetitioner collected all the above mentioned documents and
  submitted the same before the BEO, Phiringira. The petitioner
  came to know that BEO, Phiringia by his office order dtd.
  19.06.2018 forwarded the said documents to the DEO, Kandhamal
  Phulbani with due intimation to the petitioner. Copy of said letter
  dtd.19.06.2018 showing submission of documents and the affidavit
  submitted by the petitioner are annexed as ANNEXURE-7 &8
  respectively.
- 11. That, though all the formalities required for appointment of the petitioner under R.A Scheme were complied with still then the Opp.Party No.2 sat over the matter. Though the petitioner had been to the said authorities time and again but all the time he was given assurance that his case will be considered in time.
- 12. That, when the matter stood thus and when the petitioner was expecting early action on his application for appointment particularly when his case is a year old case and more particularly when he has already complied with all formalities, but to his shock and surprised he was served with the letter dtd. 16.10.2021 issued by the DEO, Kandhamal, Phulbani, the Opp.Party No.4, whereby the petitioner was informed that his application for appointment under R.A Scheme has been rejected in view of the resolution No.5651 dtd. 17.02.2020 of the GA & PG Department of Govt., of Odisha. Copy of said letter dtd. 16.10.2021 is annexed as ANNEXURE-9.
- 13. That, for appreciation of this Hon'ble Court it may be submitted here that by virtue of the said notification

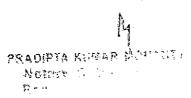
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No.5651dtd.17.02.2020, in supersession of previous OCS(RA) Rules 1990 the OCS(RA) Rules 2020 came in to operation w.e.f. the date of it publication in the Odisha Gazette.

- 14. That, after receipt of said letter dtd. 16.10.2021 vide annexure-9 the petitioner on 02.12.2021 submitted a representation before the Opp.Party No.2 interalia praying that his application for Rehabilitation appointment may be considered under the provisions of OCS(RA) Rules 1990 as the provisions of OCS (RA) Rules 2020 which came in to operation prospectively is not applicable to his case as his father died in the year 2013 when the said 1990 Rules was in operation. Copy of the said representation dtd. 02.12.2021 is annexed as <u>ANNEXURE-10</u>.
- 15. That, though the aforesaid representation of the petitioner vide annexure -10 was duly received by the Opp.Party No.2 but no action was taken thereon and the said authorities sat tight over the grievance of the petitioner putting the petitioner in utter prejudiced.
- 16. That, under the aforesaid facts and circumstances and in view of the settled principle of law, the petitioner approached this Hon'ble Court in WPC No. 13376 of 2022, seeking for a direction to the Opp.Parties, to consider his application for appointment under RA Scheme as per the provision which was governing the field at the time of death of the Govt., employee. This Hon'ble Court by order dtd. 27.05.2022 disposed of the said writ petition setting in aside the said impugned order dtd. 16.10.2021 vide. Annexure-9 and remitted the matter to the DEO, Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 to take a fresh decision in the light of the orders passed by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendi Yadab reported in 2021(11) OLR-

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- 1072. Copy of said order dtd.27.05..2022 passed by this Hon'ble Court in WPC No.13376 is annexed as <u>ANNEXURE-11</u>.
- 17. That, the petitioner meet the Opp.Party No.5 in person and served the copy of said order of this Hon'ble Court along with the judgment of Hon'ble Apex Court in case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendi Yadab reported in 2021(11) OLR-1072 and prayed that his case may be considered in view of the ratio decided in that case so also the judgement passed by this Hon'ble Court in the similar cases.
- No.5, the petitioner was under hope and trust that very soon he will be issued with the order of appointment as he fulfills all the required criteria as per the said OCS(RA) Rules 1990. But his hope and trust was shattered when he was served with an order dtd. 16.06.2022 of the DEO. Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5, where by his application for appointment under Rehabilitation Scheme, has been rejected on the ground that as per the Notification No. 5651 dtd.17.02.2020 of OCS(RA)Rules 2020 of GA & PG Department he is not becoming eligible to get appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme as he has secured 28 points which is less than 44 points. Copy of said order/letter dtd. 16.06.2022 is annexed as ANNEXURE-12.
- 19. That, in this writ petition the petitioner seeks to challenge the aforesaid impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed by the DEO, Kndhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12 and seeks for quashing of the same on the following grounds.
- A) That, aforesaid impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed by the DEO, Kandhamal the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12, being otherwise illegal, arbitrary and contrary to law is liable to be

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set aside and the Opp.Parties should be directed to appoint the petitioner under Rehabilitation Assistance Rules, under the Provisions of OCS(RA) Rules 1990 taking in to consideration of his educational qualification.

- B) That, aforesaid impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed by the DEO, Kandhamal the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12, is unsustainable, hence liable to be set aside only on the ground that, while passing the impugned order the Opp.Party No.5 has given scant regards to the said order dtd. 27.05.2022 passed by this Hon'ble Court in WPC No. 13376 of 2022. In the said order this Hon'ble Court, while disposing of the said writ petition, and quashing the order dtd. 16.10.2021 by which order the application of the petitioner for being appointed under RA Scheme 1990 was rejected, specifically directed the Opp.Party No.5 to consider the Case of the petitioner in the light of the judgment passed by this Hon'ble Court in various writ petition so also in view of the judgment of the Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendu Yadav reported in 2021(11) OLR-1072, (Supra). But while passing the impugned order the Opp.Party No.5 has neither taken in to consideration of the said orders/judgments of the Hon'ble Apex Court in to consideration. .
- C) That, aforesaid impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed by the DEO. Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12 is liable to be set aside as the Opp.Party No.5, while passing the said order has not taken in to consideration of the law controlling the field. The Hon'ble Apext Court in the case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendu Yadav reported in 2021(11) OLR-1072, State of Moharastra Vrs. Manj Kumar Deheria (2020) 2 SCC-729, 2022(11) OLR-1Malaya Nanda Sethi Vrs.

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State of Odisha and others and The state of Madhya Pradesh and ors Vrs. Ashis Awasti reported in 2021 (11) OLR -1072, has decided the taw that the case of the applicant for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Rules should be considered under the provision of Rules which was in Vogue at the time of death of the deceased employee and not as per the subsequent rules.

- by the DEO, Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12 is also not sustainable and liable to be quashed as the same has been passed in complete violation of the principle natural justice. It may be submitted here that prior to passing the impugned order against the petitioner, he has not been given an opportunity of hearing. Had the petitioner been given the opportunity of hearing, he could have convinced the authority/Opp.Party No.5 that the Hon'ble Apex Court so also this Hon'ble Court in plethora of decision have held that the applications for appointment under Rehabilitation Scheme should be considered as the Rules which was prevailing at the time of death of the deceased employee.
- D) That, there is no dispute that the father of the petitioner was a Govt. employee and he died on 21.03.2013 in harness. It is also not disputed that on 15.03.2014 the petitioner made application for his appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Rules and it is also not disputed that in the year 2013 itself the application of the petitioner were sent to the Collector, Kandhamal for submission of distress certificate. It is also not disputed that in the year 2013 itself the Collector, Kandhamal submitted the report that the family is in financial distress. But instead of considering the application of the petitioner for being appointment then and there, the said authority sat over the grievance of the petitioner.

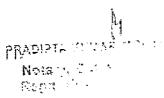
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Now he has mechanically rejected the petition of the petitioner on the ground that the new Rules came in to operation and under the said new Rules the petitioner is ineligible to get the appointment under RA Scheme as he has scored only 22 point.

- E) That it is relevant to submit here that the application of the petitioner for appointment was made when the Rehabilitation Assistant Rules 1990 was in vogue i.e much prior to 2020 Rules came in to force. Hence the application of the petitioner should have been considered under the said 1990 Rules as the said 2020 Rules was not there. It is the authorities, particularly the Opp.Party No.4 who sat over the matter for last more than seven years and after coming in to operation the new Rules, rejected the application of the petitioner, which is not only perse illegal but also not sustainable in the eye of law. Consequently the the action/order of the Opp.Party No.4 to consider the case of the petitioner as per the new Rules is not sustainable in the eye of law and the application of the petitioner for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Scheme should be considered as per the rules which was in force at the time of death of his father
- by the CDMO, Rayagada, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12 should be quashed only on the ground that while passing the impugned order the Opp.Party No.5 has not taken in to consideration of the fact that the father of the petitioner died in the year 2013 and on 15.04.2014 the application for appointment under RA scheme was filed by the petitioner. Had his case been considered then and there, the petitioner would have been completed more than six years of service by now and the

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authorities would not have get the chance to reject the application of the petitioner in view of the new Rules.

- G) That, non-consideration of the case of the petitioner for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Rules 1990, should be deprecated as the same suffers from the vice of discrimination and violation of Article 14 & 16 of the Constitution of India. When the application of the similarly situated person have been considered and they have already been given appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Schemes, which was prevailing at the time of death of the Govt. employee absolutely there is no reason in not considering the case of the petitioner in the light of the orders/judgment passed by the Hon'ble Apex Court so also this Hon'ble Court.
- That, aforesaid impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed H) by the DEO, Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12, should be quashed also on the ground that as per the settled principle of law, a particular statute shall come into operation prospectively if specifically there is no provision that it would have the retrospective effect. Here in the present case the application of the petitioner should have been considered in view of RA Scheme, 1990 as the father of the petitioner died in 1990 i.e much prior to the said 2020 Rules came into operation. But here in the present case the cause of action in favour of the petitioner arose much : before the said RA Rules, 2020 came into operation. The father of the petitioner died on 21.03.2013 he applied in the month of 15.03.2014 i.e much prior to said RA Rule, 2020 came in to operation. Had the authorities considered the case of the petitioner immediately thereafter the provision of Rules RA Rule, 2020 would not have come on his way. Apart from that since the RA Rule, 2020 came much after the date of death of the father of the

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petitioner same is not applicable to him. In view of the law settled . by this Hon'ble Court as stated above the case of the petitioner should be considered in view of the law prevalent at the time of death of the father of petitione, but the Opp.Party No.5 has utterly failed to appreciate the same.

- dtd.16.06.2022 vide Annexure-12, the DEO, Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 has failed to appreciated that this Hon'ble Court in several reported and unreported decisions have settled the law that the particular Rules which has not seen the light of the day, has no application to the cases taking place prior to such rule come into existence. Further this Hon'ble Court relying on the decisions of the Hon'ble Apex Court in case of Canara Bank and onther Vs. M. Mahesh Kumar reported in (2015) 7 SCC-412, has held that the case of the applicant for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Rules shall be considered as per the provisions which was prevailing at the time of death of the deceased employee. Copies of some orders of this Hon'ble Court are annexed as ANNE SURE-13 series.
- J) That, aforesaid impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed by the DEO, Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12 cannot be allowed to sustain in view of the fact that while passing the impugned order the Opp.Party No.5 has not considered the case of the petitioner in consonance with the order passed by this Hon'ble Court on 27.05.2022 in WPC no.13376 of 2022
- 20. That, in the aforesaid facts and circumstances interference of this Hon'ble Court is warranted for a direction to the Opp. parties to give appointment to the petitioner under OCS (RA) Rules, which was in vogue at the time of death of his father.

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21. That, the petitioner finding no other speedy, efficacional alternate remedy seeks to invoke the extraordinary jurisdiction this Hon'ble Court.s

### PRAYER

It is therefore, prayed that, this Hon'ble court be graciously pleased to admit the writ application, issue rule NISI in the nature of writ of mandamus or any other writ or writs as deem fit and proper impugned order dtd.16.06.2022 passed by the DEO, Kandhamal, the Opp.Party No.5 vide Annexure-12 shall not be quashed and why they shall not be directed to give appointment to the petitioner under OCS(RA) Rules 1990 immediately taking in to consideration of the educational qualification of the petitioner.

In the event of the Opp. Parties fail to show-cause or show insufficient cause said rule be made absolute.

And further be pleased to pass any order/orders direction/directions as deem fit and proper.

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

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By the petitioner through

Dtd.04.11.2022

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ADVOCATE

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### AFFIDAVIT

I. Shibasish Behera, aged about 29 years S/o- Late Antaryami Behera At/Po-Shakhipada Ps-Phiringi Dist-Kandhamal, do hereby solemnly affirm and state as follows:

1. That, I am the petitioner in this Writ Application.

2. That, the facts stated above are true to best of my knowledge and belief.

Identified by H-K. Mahous

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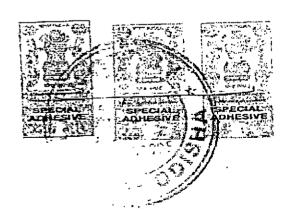
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Due to non-availability of Cartridge papers this petition is being typed in white thick papers. The petitioner undertakes to file the English version of Oriya Annexure later on if necessary

ADVOCATE

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## **GOVERNMENT OF ORISSA**

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE PHULBANI MUNICIPALITY

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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This is to certify that the following information has been taken from the original record of death which is in the

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Miscellaneous Certificate Case No. 3611 / 13

GAL HEIR CERTIFICATE

This is to earlify that the person's specified below is/ are the legal heir/heirs of Late Antarjyami Behera Son/Daughter/Wife of Santosh Behera of village: Sakhipada, P.S. Phiringia Tahasik Phiringia, Phulbani in the district of Kandhamai.

This certificate is being granted only of the purpose of family pension and other arrear dues.

SL. No.	Name	Age	Relationship with the deceased
1	2	3	4
1	Santosh Behera	90	Father
2	Ranga Behera	80	Mother
- 3	Sanjukta Behera	40	Wife
4	Sibasish Behera	17	Son ·
5	Umasankar Behera	13	Son

Signature of the Applicant

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TAHASILDAR
Phiringia, Bist.-Kandhama,
Signature of the Revenue Officer
(Designation with seal and date)

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### Office of the Collector, Kandhamal, Phul

No. - 2310 /BEE 11-102 - /2014 Dated 29

The Block Education Officer, Phiringia.

Sub.

R.A. Case of Sri Shibasish Ch. Behera, S/O Late

Antaryami Behera, Ex-Asst. Teacher.

Rcf:

Your letter No.269 dt 15.3.2014. - 5

Sir,

With reference to the letter on the subject cited above, I am directed to return herewith the original R.A. application of Sri Shibasish Ch. Behera, S/O Late Antaryami Behera, Ex-Assi Teacher duly signed the distress certificate in part IV of the application form by the Collector, Kandhamal for necessary action at your.

Encl: As above.

Yours faithfully

Establishment Officer Collectorate, Kandhamal Phulbani.

Memo No. 231 /dated. 25 12 2019 -Copy to Sri Shibasish Chandra Behera, S/O Late Antaryami Ex-Asst Teacher, At/PO-Sakhipada, P.S.-Phiringia Dist. Behera. Kandhamal for information.

> Establishment Officer, Collectorate, Kandhamai, Phulbani.

### ANNEXUREA (See Rule 8(1)(A)) URM OF APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT UNDER THE REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME (TO BE SUBMITTED IN DUPLICATE)

### PART-I ...

يُّ الْ	Name of the deceased Government Servant :	LATE ANTARY	MY BEHERA
2)	Designation and Office/Department of the : Government servant	Asst. Teacher, Blo	ek Officer, Phiringis
3)	Whether permanent or temporary	Permanent	
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5}	Date of death (Enclose an attested copy of the cath certificate issued by the Health and family Welfare Department)	21.03.2013.	
6)	List of family members as per the Legal Heir : Certificate issued by the concerned Tahasildar.	Legal Heir cuclos (list of 5 family m	ed. embers)
7)	lucome and status of each of the legal heirs	No.	
8)	is any of the members listed under item 6 has : heen sepainted under computationate ground? If so, give particulars of such appointment.	No.	
9)	Total assets of the deceased Government :	State Burnston.	
a)	Details of immovable property, if any in the information and continued and members of family	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	,
b)	Movable Property	٠.	
c)	Pension, family pension and F.J. etc.	P.P.Rs.7,435/- wit	h T.I. as admissible.
	PART-II	. ,,	
10)	Name of the candidate for appointment	Sri Shibasish Ch.	Behera
il)	His/her relationship with the deceased : Government servant	Son	
12)	Pare of him	05.07.1996	
13)	Particulars of Education/Technical Qualification land experience, if any	Matric Pass (Xerox copies of C	ertificate enclosed)
14)	Whether belongs to any of the following :		
a); . b); .	SCJST. Ex-service men	SEBC	
c) .	Physically Handicapped	No.	· The state of the
d)	Sportsmen	No. No.	and the last of the second sec
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25 − 35 − : Junior Clerk

I, Shibasish Behera, Son of Late Antaryami Behera hereby declare that the information furnished above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. If any of the facto herein mentioned are found to be incorrect or false at the future date my service can be terminated by the appointing authority without furnishing notice or reasonable opportunity of hearing.

Skilearie to Believe Signature of the applicant.

Date:

### PART-III

Forwarded to Collector, Kandhamal for enquiry and report whether the family of the deceased Government servant is in distress financially.

Block Education Offices.
Approximing Authority
(Scal & Designation)

### PART-IV

(Centificate by Collector of District)

Certified that the information furnished by the applicant in this application form have been enquired into and found correct/meorreet. The family of the deceased Government employee is in distress/not in distress. The annual income of the family from all sources excluding Pension and T.I. is Rs. 2.000/ for the year 3013

Forwarded to the Block Education officer phining's

(Collector & 1) shirt magistrate)

(No authority except the Collector and District Magistrate shall sign this certificate)

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DIRECTORATE OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION, ODISHA, BHUBANESWA No. 8R-114-2015-VIII-//Date: /3~/0-/5

The B.E.O. Phiringia, Dist: Kandhamal.

Appointment of Sri Shibasish Behera, S/o. Late Antaryamee Beher Siz

I am directed to invite a reference to your letter No. 914 dt: 28.08.2015 on the subject noted above and to say that you were requested vide this Dte. letter No. 1105 dt: 08.07.2015 to furnish No employment affidavit of all major legal heirs including th applicant as per Rule-2(iii) of the O.C.S. (R.A) Rules, 1990 in the following manner.

That, none of the family members of the employee who has died while i service is already in employment of Govt. Public or Private Sector or engaged i independent business.

But, you have not furnished the same in the proper manner.

You are therefore requested to furnish the same in the proper manner to this Die. immediately for further action.

Yours faithfully

MDt: 13-10-13

Copy forwarded to Sri Shibasish Behera, S/o. Late Antaryamee Behera, At/Po: Sakhipada, P.S. Phiringia, Dist: Kandhamal for information.

Deputy Director

### DISTRICT EDUCATION OFFICE, KANDHAMAL, PHULBANI

Letter No 7/48 /Date 15.9.17 //

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	The Block Education Officer/ Headmaster Photographs
5ug	Appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme as per Gove Guide line issued
	vide letter No 25296/SME date 22-12-2016 and GA Dept. Notification No 23345/Gen
	cate 05-11-2016.
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	The Director Secondary/ Elementary Education Odisha, Bhubaneswar has returned
<ul> <li>all the application and directors</li> </ul>	tions for appointment under R. A Scheme submitted by the Erstwhile D.IS/ BEO /HMs
OCS (R.A.) Ast	to take appropriate action (of appropriate of appropriate higher aim settems or our endment Rules-2016 (List enclosed)
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	rience, you are requested to submit the following documents/information along
् with Annexui	e -B duly filled in favour Sri Shibasic Seferca at an early date for taking
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	1. Fresh Income Certificate of all major legal hair. (Income from all sources,
	private, public. Agriculture or business by the family members who have been
	identified as legal heirs of the deceased government employee)  2. Certificate from competent Authority to ascertain Movable/immovable
	property with latest market Value in Rilpees.
	3. Declaration of the applicant in shape of affiliavit to maintain family.
	4. Educational Certificates of the candidate ( if not submitted earlier)
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### KÄNDHAMAL

To

District Education Officer, Kandhamal.

Appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme in favour of Sri Sibasis Behera S/O- Late. Antaryami Behera, Asst. Teacher under this Block. Տսե։

Sir.

I submit herewith following documents for consideration of rehabilitation assistance scheme at your level.

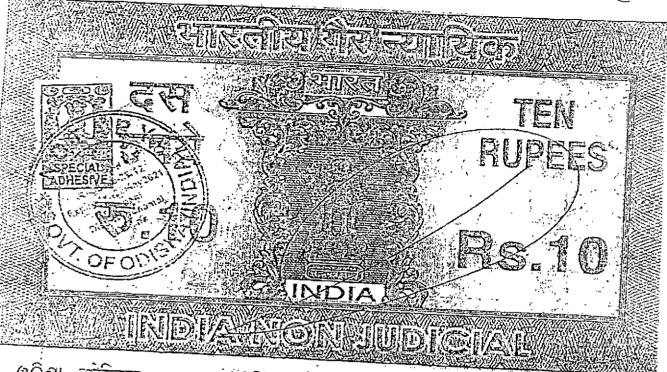
This is for favour of your kind information and necessary action.

- Fresh application from (23 Annexure- A) in duplicate.
- Copy of death certificate
- 3. Copy of legal heir certificate
- 4. Declaration in shape of an affidavit regarding number of dependants, number of unmarried daughter, number of minor children, liability towards education of children, monthly income of earning members and income from property excluding family pension, movable / immovable property.
- 5. Certificate from the competent authority relating to class in which the youngest 02 (two) children of the deceased employee are educating at the. time of death.
- 6. Certificate from the competent authority concerned relating to payment of un-utilized leave salary and DCRG.
- 7. Xerox copy of pension book to determine the monthly pension and DCRG.
- 8. Declaration of the applicant in shape of affidavit to maintain family.
- Educational certificate of the applicant.
- 10.1<sup>st</sup> page of Original service book of deceased.

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Yours faithfully

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Copy to Shibasish Behera S/O-Late. Anataryami Behera for information.



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I, Shibasish Behera, aged about 31 Wears, son of Lantariyami Behera, resident of viilage; sakhipada, P.O.: son of Late Sakhipada, P.S.: Phiringia, in the district of Kandhamal, do hereby solemnly affirm and state as tollows:-

1. That, I am the deponent and declarant of this arridevit.

2. That, I have made an application for my employment upder Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme.

3. That, + do hereby undertakes that I shall maintain dependent family members by providing the food, shelter self-

4. That, the purpose of this affidavit is to produce before the competent authority as a declaration to maintain the family members, for consideration of my employment under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme.

That, the facts stated above are true to the best of m knowledge and belief.

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### DISTRICT EDUCATION OFFICE, KANDHAMAL, PHULBANI

Letter No. 5570 /Date 16.10.202) //

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	sri Sibasish Behova
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	At:- Sakhipada
	Po- <u>Sakhipado</u>
	Psi-Phiningsa
	Dist.:- K andhannal
Sub: -	Verification of your application Under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme.
Sir,	
3,	With reference to your application under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme; I
am to infor	m you that your application verified as per instruction issued vide Government
	no. 5651 date 17-02-2020 of G.A. Department. You secured total points in Part I
	nation sheet given in Form 'D' to these rules is 38 which is 44 or less than
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	Hence, you are not eligible for appointment under the Scheme as per rule.
	Yours faithfully
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	Randhamal, Phulbani.
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The Director Elementary Education Govz of Odisha Bhabaneswar

Sub - Grievance Petition of Sri Shibasish Behera Sto - Late Antaryami Behera of Sakhupada under Phiringia Block, Dist Kandhamal for appointment under R.A. Scheme.

Houseable Santanians

With due respect, I Sri Shibasish Behera S/o – Late Antaryzmi Behera Ex – teacher of Sakhipada under Piverspa 6.E.O at Kandhamai Dist Bog to platform the personal Grievance as detailed below.

- My lighter Late Antarysmi Behas was survice as a teacher under the kind administrative control of D.E.O. Kanchamal amount the B.E.O Pointing and Expired On D.21.03.2013 at that time my age was below 18 and 1 was reading so I could not applied for R.A. Scheroe during the year 2013.
- 2. As per Govi, instruction I have applied for appointment under R.A. Scheme in the year 2014. The Collector Kurufhamai has issued detress certificate I have applied observing all the formality as per Goudeline issued vides Laber No.25290/SME, Dt.22.12.2016 and No.23345 Dt.05.11.2016.
- The B.E.O Privingle has to the proper Quarter; the same was forwarded to the director Elementary Education Vida No.914 Dt. 28.08.2015.
- 4. The Centry Director Elementary Education Odisha BBSR has instructed to the B.E.O Philingia to direct submit and unclavit all members to lumish No Employment. Of all major legal heir including the applicant Vide Letter No.11054 Di. 08.07.15 accordingly 1 have submitted the required documents to the B.E.O Phiringia, But the Phiringia has submitted my R.A application along with all the relevant documents to the D.E.O Kandisancii Vide Letter No.1159 Ct.19.06.2018(Enclosed)
- 5. After a lepters of long period that is, from 2014 to till 2021 my case has not been considered. On 16.10.2021 the O.E.O.Kandhamal fins intimated that My R.A. application has been rejected mentioned in the General Administrative Department resultation No.5651 Dt. 17.02.2020 Vide Letter No.5570 Dt.16.10.2021, but in the said resultation it is clearly mentioned that the same will be come into force on the Buto Of there publication in the Odisha Gazette in this regard I am to inform that my claim is prior to the above resolution it should not be applicable to my case.
- 6. For the Lara to intimate that the honourable high court of odisha has take a diction in case of Ralaligni to has shelter court of law before the honourable high court of odisha the court has order all the case under R.A. scheme prefor resultation No.5651 Di.17.02.2021 should be considered as per old manner (Paper Cutting Di.13.09.2021 Enclosed.) accordingly my case should be considered as my case retains to the year 2015 I can turther the intimate that my tather was only earning member after his death we are facing much financial hardship.

the view of the facts I prayed before the Honorable Director Elementary Education Odisha BBSR to considered my sympathically and I may be apprimed as I was claimed earlier for which act of your kindness we family members and my shall remained grateful to your kind Honor.

21-07-12-2021

Your Faithfully

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S/o -late Antaryairo Benera

(Shibasish Bahera)

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Copy Submitted to the Collector Kandhamal D.E.O. Kandhamal B.E.O. Phiringia Dist.Kandhamal for kind information and necessary section.

(Shibasish Behara)

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- 42 - ANNEXURE-11

# Original Jurisdiction Case) W.P. (C) No. 12,27-6 OF 20725

In the matter of:

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in the matter of:

AND

An application seeking for a direction to the Opp. parties to consider the case of the petitioner for appointment under stiar (ARChabilitation Assistant Rules as per the provision prevailing at the time of death of the father of the petitioner and in view of the ratio decided by the Hon bie Apex Court in the Case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendu Yadav reported in 2021(11) OLR-1072, State of Moliarastra Vrs. Manj Kumar Deheria (2020) 2 SCC-729. The father of the petitioner who died in the year 2013, at that time the petitioner was 17 years old and after attaining majority in the year 2014 he made due application for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Rules 1990 Rules 1990 was invogue. But the authorities, instead of considering the said application, sat over the matter for years together despite submission of distress certificate by the Collector, Now they, have rejected the grievance of the petitioner in the year 2021 under the provisions of new Rules giving scant regards to the settled principle of law that the application of the petitione. should be considered as per the provisions of law which was prevailing at that time.

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In the maner of:

Shibasish Behera, aged about 28 years, S/o- Late Antaryami Behera

Dist-Kandhamal.

### PETITIONER

.6. MAY 2023

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- State of Odisha represented through Secretary
  School and Mass Education Department Gove
  of Odisha, Secretariat Building, Bhubaneswar,
  Dist-Khurda:
- Director of Elementary Education Odisha,
   Bhubaneswar Heads of the Dept Building,
   Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
- 3. Collector, Kandhamal At/P.O/P.S/Dist-Kandhamal
- 4. District Education Officer, Kandhamal

  At/pO/PS/Dist-Kandhamal
- 5. Block Education Officer Phiringia

  At/Po/Ps-Phiringia Dist-Kandhamal

OPP. PARTIES

## IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

## W.P.ICI No.13376 of 2022

Shihasish Behera

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State of Odisha & Ors.

Opposite Particle

## JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

URDER

Order No

- 01. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Mode.
  - 2. At the outset on the oral prayer of Mr. Lenka, he is permitted to make necessary correction-of the Annexure as indicated in the prayer.
  - 3. Heard Mr. N. Lenka, learned counsel for the Petitioner and Jearned Standing Counsel appearing for the S & ME Dept.
- 4. In view of the decision relied on by the learned counsel appearing for the Petitioner reported in 2021 (II) OLR (SC) 1072 and the order passed by this Court in different writ Petition, the order dtd. 16:10:2021 funder Annexure 9 is set aside and the matter is remitted back to the DEO handhamal-O.P. No.3 to take a fresh decision in the light of the order passed by the Hon'ole Apex Court in the aforesaid decision.

5. Such decision shall be taken by the said of period of one month from the date of technology and of the result inex of to the Permission within that time.

6. The writ Petition is accordingly allowed

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## -46- ANNEXURE-12

### DISTRICT EDUCATION OFFICE, KANDHAMAL, PHULBANI

Office order No 4334 /G. Est/Date 16-0-6-2024-

The Hon'ble High Court Orissa, Cuttack has passed the order dated 27-05-2022 in W.P (C) No. 13376 of 2022 filed by Sri Shibasish Behera-Vrs-State of Odišha & others. The operative part of the order is cited below:

"In view of the decision relied on by the learned counsel appearing for the petitioner reported in 2021 (II) OLR (SC) 1072 and the order passed by this court in different writ petition, the order dtd. 16-10-2021 under Annexure-9 is set aside and the matter is remitted back to the DEO, Kandhamal—O.P. No. 3 to take afresh decision in the light of the order passed by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the aforesaid decision. Such decision shall be taken by the said Opp. Party within a period of one month from the date of receipt of the order with communication of the result thereof to the petitioner within that time. xxxx"

Pursuant to the aforesaid orders of the Hon'ble High Court, Cuttack the Respondent No. 3 i.e. the District Education Officer, Kandhamal, Phulbani considered the claim of the applicant, Sri Shisibash Behera made is in the writ petition and passed the following order.

Whereas, the father of the petitioner namely Antaryami Behera while serving as Primary school teacher under Block Education Officer, Phiringia died on 21-03-2013. Soon after death of his father, the petitioner submitted his application for appointment under Rehabilitation Scheme before B.E.O, Phiringia. The Block Education Officer, Phiringia submitted the details information of the petitioner to the Collector, Kandhamal for issuance of Distress certificate in favour of the applicant. The Collector Kandhamal issued the Distress Certificate of the petitioner vide letter No. 2310 dtd. 29-12-2014. The BEO, Phiringia after obtaining Distress Certificate submitted the R.A. application of the petitioner to this respondent i.e. the District Education Officer vide his office letter No. 1159 dtd. 19-06-2018.

While the application of the petitioner pending at the disposal of this respondent, O.C.5 (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rule 2020 came in to force w. e. f. 17-02-2020.

Para 9 of the O.C.S (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rule 2020 envisaged that "All pending cases as on the date of publication of these Rules in the Odisha Gazette shall be dealt in accordance with the provision of these rules".

Hence, the application of the petitioner assessed by the District selection committee as per parameter laid down in OCS (RA) Rules-2020 and the petitioner obtained 28 points; which is less than 44 and declared ineligible and communicated the petitioner vide office letter No. 5570 dtd. 16-10-2021 of this respondent

The instant rule clearly transpires that appointment under rehabilitation assistance shall be governed under the provision prescribed therein i.e. O.C.S (Rehabilitation

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Assistance) Rules 2020. The O.C.S (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules 1990 has been raperseded.

In view of the above, the claim of the applicant deserves no consideration and is hereby rejected.

District Education Officer

Kandhamal, Phulbani,

Jemo No 1335 /Date 16 06 1922 //

Copy forwarded to Sri Shisibah Behera, Son of Late Antaryami Behera; At/Po-Sakhipada; Ps-Phiringia; Dist-Kandhmal for information and necessary action.

Memo No 4336 Date 16:06: 2923

Copy submitted to the Standing Counsel, School & Mass Education Cell, Cuttack for favour of kind information and necessary action. He is requested to appraise the matter to the file OAT.

District Education Officer Randhamal, Physibahi.

Memo No 4339 /Date 16-06-2032 //

Copy submitted to the Director Elementary Education Odisha, Bhubaneswar/ Collector Kandhamal for favour of kind information and necessary action.

District Education Officer

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Memo No 4338 /Date 6.06.9022 //

Copy submitted to the Additional Secretary to Govt. School & Mass Education Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information and necessary action.

District Education Officer Kandhamal, Phulbani.

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ANNEXURE-13 Series

### IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT PETTACK

W.P.(C) No.17419 of 2021

Minati Rath

Mr. R.N. Pathayak, Advocate

Vs.

State of Odisha and others

Opposite parties Mr. S.N. Nayak, ASC

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE B.R. SARANGI

ORDER 27.07.2021

Order No. 02 The matter is taken up by video conferencing mode,

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking direction to opposite parties to consider her case for compassionate appointment in place of her late husband under the Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 1990 instead of poisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 2020.

of the deceased involving Rehebilitation Assistance whom agos otment application for Scheme is sought for the date of ation Assistance Scheme, this appointment he claim of the petitioner for Court finds that reject The provision in the compassionate applying appointment 2020 Rule, which en the light of the day either on the date of death or on the date of submission of application for appointment under the Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme, remains contrary to the decision of this Court in disposal of W.P.(C) No.10168 of 2021 and W.P.(C) No.8486 of 2021 and also the judgment of the Hon'ble apex Court in the case of Canara Bank and another Vs. M. Mahesh Kumar with two other matters reported in (2015) 7 SCC 412.

In such view of the matter, this Court disposes of this writ petition and directs the party no.2 to consider the case of the Petitioner for appointment under the Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme in terms of the provision at Orissa Civil

Services (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 1990. The entire exercise shall be completed within a period of three months from the date of communication of authenticated/certified copy of this order by the Petitioner.

With the aforesaid observation and direction the writ petition stands disposed of.

As the restrictions due to resurgence of COVID-19 situation are continuing, learned counsel for the parties may willing a print out of the order available in the High Court's website, at par with certified copy, subject to attestation by the concerned advocate, in the manner prescribed, vide Court's Notice No.4587 dated 25th March, 2020, as modified by Court's notice no. 4798 dated 15th April, 2021.

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(DR. B.R. SARANGI,J.)



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2 19.03.2021

Heard Miss. Mohapatra, learned counsel for Petitioner and Sri Tripathy, learned Additional Government Advocate for the Opposite Parties.

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This writ petition involves the following prayer:

"Under the facts and circumstances as narrated above, this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to admit this writ petition, issue Rule Nisi to the opposite parties and if the opposite parties will fail to show cause or shown insufficient cause made the said rule absolute by directing the opposite parties to provide employment to the petitioner as per prevalent Rules and further be pleased to quash the letter dated 09.03.2021 under Annexure-7;

And further be pleased to pass any other order/orders as may be deemed fit and proper.

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

Taking this Court to the pleadings, the death of the deceased taking place on 20.06.2016 and application for Rehabilitation Assistance, was filed by the mother requiring service in favour of her son by way of Rehabilitation Assistance appointment, it is contended that the application being filed on 6.1.2017 and death having taking place in the year 2016, the OCS (RA) Amendment Rule,2016 prevailing at the relevant point of time, should have been considered instead the public authority has applied (OCS) RA Rules, 2020 and rejected the claim of the petitioner. It is on this premises, application of non-existing rule to the case of the petitioner, prayer is made to allow the writ petition in setting aside of Annexure-7. To substantiate the request involved herein, learned counsel for the petitioner refers a

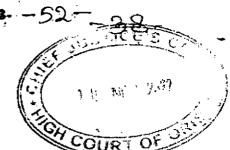
decision of this Court dated 05.03.2021 in W.P.(C).No.8486 of 2021.

To the contrary, Sri Tripathy, learned Additional Government Advocate appearing for the State submits that at the time of consideration of the application the Rule 2016 was already in vogue, the authority was constrained to consider the rule already taken place in the meantime and thus claimed that there is no illegality in Annexure-7. Sri Tripathy, however did not dispute applicability of decision of this Court in W.P.(C).No.8486 of 2021 to the case at hand.

Considering the rival contentions of the parties, this Court finds for the settled position of law through the Hon'ble Apex Court, a rule which has not seen the light of the day, has no application to the cases taking place prior to such rule come into existence. Admittedly, the death involved herein took place in the year 2016, consequently, the application for Rehabilitation Assistance appointment was also filed in 2017 when Rule 2016 was in place and Rule 2020 had not come into existence even. Petitioner claim for application of judgment in W.P.(C).No.8486 of 2021 to the case at hand finds justified.

In view of the settled position of law, this Court sets aside the order at Annexure-7 and directs the opposite party no.2 to issue appointment order in favour of the petitioner following the recommendation already there in favour of petitioner by completing the entire exercise within a period of four weeks.





The writ petition stands disposed of with the observation and direction made hereinabove.

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### THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA CUTTACK

(Crigina! Jurisdiction Case)

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<u>W.P. (C ) No. 30 l/2 OF 2022</u>

Code No. 301705

In the matter of:

An application under Article 226 and 227 of the Constitution of India;

AND

In the matter of:

An application challenging an illegal, arbitrary and unlawful order dtd. 16.06.2022 passed by the District Education Officer, Kndhamal in rejecting the application of the petitioner for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistant Rules, on the ground that as per the Notification No.5651 dtd.17.02.2020 of the Govt., ented in Court GA&PG Department, he is not found eligible to get appointment under OCS(Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules-2020. The petitioner ກາຍເອົາອອດຂອງ to challenge the said order mainly on the ground that while, passing the said impugned order, the direction dtd. 27 05.2022 of this Hon'ble Court passed in WPC No. 13376 of 2022 has been completely ignored, the case of the petitioner should have been considered as per the provision of OCS(RA) Rules 1990 which was prevailing at the time of death of his father, the ratio decided by the Hon'ble Apex Court in the Case of The State of Madhya Pradesh Vrs. Baalendu Yadav reported in 2021(11) OLR-1072, State of Moharastra Vrs. Manj Kumar Deheria (2020) 2 SCC-729, 2022(11) OLR-1Malaya Nanda Sethi Vrs. State of Odisha and others, 2021(11) CLR-1072 The State of Madyapradesh Vrs Ashis Awasti, have not been taken in to consideration and above all the order suffers from the vice of violation of principle of natural justice.

> PRADIPTA KUMAR MOHANTY Notary, Cuttack Town Regd. No- ON-04/1993

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### AND

### In the matter of:

Shibasish Behera, aged about 29 years, S/o- Late Antaryami Behera At/Po-Shakhipada Ps-Phiringia Dist-Kandhamal.

. PETITIONER

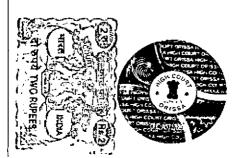
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- 1. State of Odisha represented through Secretary School and Mass Education Department Govt. of Odisha, Secretariat Building, Bhubaneswar, Dist-Khurda.
- Director of Elementary Education Odisha,
   Bhubaneswar Heads of the Dept. Building,
   Odisha, Bhubaneswar
- 3. District Selection Committee (Rehabilitation Appointment) represented through it Chairman Office of DEO, Kandhamal, At/Po/Ps /Dist-Kandhamal
- Collector, Kandhamal,
   At/P.O/P.S/Dist-Kandhamal.
- 5. District Education Officer, Kandhamal At/pO/PS/Dist-Kandhamal
- 6. Block Education Officer Phiringia
  At/Po/Ps-Phiringia Dist-Kandhamal

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## IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK W.P (C) No.30112 of 2022

Shibasish Behera

Petitioner

Mr. Niranjan Lenka, Advocate

Vs.

State of Odisha and others

Opposite Parties
State Counsel

CORAM:

DR. JUSTICE B.R. SARANGI

ORDER 18.11.2022

Order No.

This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.

- 2. Heard learned counsel for the parties.
- 3. The petitioner has filed this writ petition seeking to quash the order dated 16.06.2022 under Annexure-12 issued by opposite party no.5, and further to issue direction to the opposite parties to give appointment to the petitioner under Rehabilitation Assistance Scheme as per Odisha Civil Service (Rehabilitation Assistance) Rules, 1990 within a stipulated period.
- 4. Mr. N. Lenka, learned counsel for the petitioner contended that the case of the petitioner is covered by the judgment of the apex Court in the case of *Malaya Nanda Sethy v. State of Orissa*, Civil Appeal No. 4103 of 2022 disposed of on 20.05.2022. Therefore, this writ petition may be disposed of in the light of the aforesaid order, to which learned State Counsel has raised no objection.
- 5. In the above view of the matter, the order dated 16.06.2022 passed by opposite party no.5 under Annexure-12 is hereby quashed. The opposite parties are directed to consider the case of the petitioner in the light of the judgment passed by the apex Court in the case of *Malaya Nanda Sethy* (supra) and pass appropriate order in accordance with law within a period of three months from the date of production of certified copy of this order.

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- No. 1053 of 2023 WA /

STATE OF ODISHA & OTHER'S .....PETITIONERS. APPELLANTS

-VERSUS-

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## <u>E M O</u>

I/We hereby enter my appearance in the above noted case on behalf of the Petitioners / Appellants.

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Date: 15・05・2023

Addl. Govt. Advocate

MANOJA KUMAR KHUNTIA Additional Govt. Advocate B.C.E No.-O-98/1994 M-9437168044





## IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK.

I.A. No. 2729 of 2023.

(Arising out of W.A. No. 1053 of 2023)

#### IN THE MATTER OF:

An application under Section 5 of the Limitation Act for condonation of delay.

#### AND

#### IN THE MATTER OF:

State of Odisha and others ... Appellants.

-Versus -

Shibasish Behera.

Respondent.

TO

THE HON'BLE CHIEF JUSTICE, ORISSA HIGH COURT AND HIS LORDSHIPS COMPANION JUSTICES OF THE SAID HON'BLE COURT.

The humble petition of the appellants named above;

## MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:

1. That, the appellants above named who are the functionaries of the State of Odisha have filed the present memo of appeal challenging the order dated 18.11.2022 passed by this Hon'ble Single Judge in W.P. (C) No.30112 of 2022.

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- 2. That the averments made in the memo of appeal may be read and treated as part and parcel of this application and those are not reiterated for the sake of brevity.
- 3. That, the above said writ petition was disposed of by this Hon'ble Court vide order dated 18.11.2022.
- 4. That, after thorough examination of the said order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 passed by this Hon'ble Court in favour of the present respondent (Writ Petitioner), the Ioint Secretary to Government in the Department of School and Mass Education vide letter No. 7866/SME dated 06.04.2023 instructed the present deponent to file Writ appeal challenging the above said order dated 18.11.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge.
- 5. That, it is humbly submitted that after receipt of the above said instruction from Government, this deponent vide letter No. 4963/M dated 13.04.2023 requested the Learned Advocate General, Odisha to prepare the writ appeal and this deponent came to the Office of the Advocate General, Odisha, Cuttack for filing of writ appeal as well as the Interim application for stay and for condonation of delay and the same was filed on
- 6. That, it is humbly and respectfully submitted that the delay caused for filing of memorandum of appeal is bonafide, unintentional and not willful, on the other hand the delay caused for filling of the memo of appeal is due to observation of the official formalities.

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Irannad Kumau Soveus District Education Officer,

- 7. That in the given sets of facts and circumstances, it is humbly prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to condone the delay in filling the Writ appeal.
- 8. That, it is humbly submitted that in the interest of justice, equity and fair play the delay in filing the writ appeal may be condoned and the same may be heard on merit.

#### PRAYER

Therefore, in view of the above facts and circumstances, it is humbly prayed that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to allow this petition by condoning the delay of ... days in filling the writ appeal;

And pass any such other order/orders as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper;

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

By the Appellants through;

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DATE: 18.05.23

Addl. Government Advocate.

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I, Smt. Subhalaxmi Nayak, aged about 40 years, Wife of Sri Soubhagya Ranjan Mohanty, at present working as District Education Officer, Kandhamal, do hereby solemnly affirm and state as follows:

B. MISHRA NOTARY, CUTTACK ODISHA

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- 1. That I am the Appellant No.3 in this case. I have been duly authorised by the other appellants to swear this affidavit on their behalf.
- 2. That the facts stated above are true to my knowledge, based on official records.

Advocate Clerk,

I dense bid by

Advocate Clerk A.G. office.

Pramed Kumar Savargi

Deponent.

District Education Officer, Kandhamal, Phulbani

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Date: 15.05.23

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Addl. Government Advocate.

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NOTARY, CUTTACK ODISHA





IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA : CU'A LEACHT

I.A. No. 3730 of 2023.

IN THE MATTER OF:

An application under Chapter VI Rule-27(A) of the High Court of Orissa;

AND

IN THE MATTER OF:

An application for stay of impugned order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022;

AND

IN THE MATTER OF:

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TO

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The humble petition of the appellants named above;

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1. That, the appellants above named who are the functionaries of the State of Odisha have filed the present

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memo of appeal challenging the order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No.30112 of 2022 by the Hon'ble Single Judge.

- 2. That, the averments made in the writ appeal may be read as part and parcel of this interim application and those are not reiterated here for the sake of brevity.
- 3. That the petitioner respectfully submit that unless operation of the order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No.30112 of 2022 is stayed, the petitioner shall suffer irreparable loss and substantial injury.
- 4. That the impugned order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 is illegal, arbitrary and not sustainable in the eye of law.
- 5. That in the interest of justice, equity and fair play the operation of order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 be stayed pending final decision of this writ appeal.

#### **PRAYER**

It is, therefore prayed that, your lordships may graciously be pleased to allow this interim application and grant stay of the operation of the impugned order dated 18.11.2022 passed in W.P. (C) No. 30112 of 2022 till disposal of the writ appeal;

And may further be pleased to pass such other order/orders as deem just and proper.

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

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By the Appellants through;
MANOJA KUMAR KHUNTIA
Additional Govt. Advocate
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Date: 15-052029

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District Education Officer, Kandhamal, Phulbani

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STATE OF ODISHA AND OTHERS .....APPELLANTS.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE ORISSA, CUTTACK

WA NO.

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Between State 08 0 Staba & others

Appellant/Petitioner

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Respondent /Opp. Party

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that by this VAKALATNAMA

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Appellant/Respondent / Petitioner / Opp Party in the aforesaid Revision / Appeal case do hereby appoint and retain NIRANJAN LENKA (Enrl. No. O-232/1987, Mob. No.9338117098), HEMANTA KUMAR MOHANTA, Enrl. No. O-30/2010, Mob. 9438190975, MRS. NIBEDITA LENKA, Enrl. No. O-562/2016, Mob. 8018884418, PRASANT KUMAR BARIK, Enrl. No. O-1010/2011, Mob. 9337413031, Mrs. SUBHALAXMI RANA, Enrl. No. O-533/2022, Mob. 7008123096, GOURAV DASH, Enrl. No. O-1060/2022, Mob. 8917598722 & TAPAS KUMAR JENA,

Enrl. No. O-1779/2023, Mob. 7873745729 Advocate (s) to appear for me/us, in the above case and to conduct and prosecute (or defend) the same and all proceedings that may be taken in respect of any application connected with the same or any decree or order passed therein including all applications for return of documents or receipt of any money that may be payable to me/us in the said case and also in applications for review in appeals under Orissa High Court order and in applications for leave to appeal to Supreme Court. I/We authorise my/our Advocate(s) to admit any compromise lawfully entered in the said case.

Received from the executant (s) satisfied and accepted as I hold no brief for the other side.

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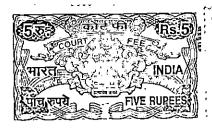
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### IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA, CUTTACK

#### **I.A No.2729of 2023**

(Arising out of WANo.1053of 2023)

In the matter of:-

State of Odisha and others	
•	APPELLANTS

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.....RESPONDENT

# OBJECTION FILED BY THE RESPONDENT TO THE I.A FILED BYTHE APPELLANT FOR CONDINATION OF DELAY.

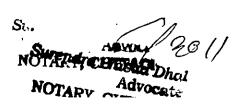
- 1. That, challenging the order dtd. 18.11.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge of this Hon'ble High Court in WP(C) No. 30112 of 2022, directing the authorities to consider the case of the Opp.Party/respondent for appointment under Rehabilitation Assistance Rules 1990 in view of the judgment render by the Hon'ble Apex Courtin the case of Malayananda Sethy Vrs. State of Odisha and others, the State Authorities have filed the present Writ Appeal.
- 2. That the I.A for condonation of delay should be dismissed as because the appellant filed present Appeal challenging the order dtd. 18.11.2023 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge of this Hon'ble Court in WP(C) No. 30112 of 2022 for which the Appeal should have been filed with in thirty days i.e. by 18.12.2022. But the present appeal has been filed on 17.05.2023 where there is delay of 147 days in filling the appeal. Since the Appeal is hopelessly barred by limitation same should be entertained and the I.A should be dismissed.



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- 3. That, the appeal should be dismissed on the ground of delay because of the fact that the appellants have not given the sufficient cause in support of such inordinate delay. The reason assigned that in the I.A for condonation of delay is that due to observation of the official formalities delay was caused. It may be submitted here that the Hon'ble Supreme Court in various judicial pronouncement have deprecated such reason inter alia holding that, delay caused due to official formalities cannot be the ground to condone the delay.
- 4. That, the inordinate delay of 147 days should not be condoned and the I.A filed by the appellant should be dismissed on the ground that the reason assigned by the appellant in the present I.A. for condonation of delay are not the proper ground and the appellant has not explained the delay properly for which the delay should not be condoned.
- 5. That I.A for condonation of delay should not be allowed on the ground that in in Paragraph-4 of the I.A. the appellants have stated that after thorough examination of the order dtd. 18.11.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge of this Hon'ble Court in WP(C) No.31112 of 2022, the Joint Secretary to Government School and Mass Education Department vide letter No. 7866/SME dtd. 06.04.2023 instructed the present deponent to prefer appeal. But the appellants have not given the reason as to why the Joint Secretary sat over the order from 18.11.2022 to 06.04.2023 and then from 06.07.2023 to 17.05.2023. Since the delay has not been explained properly and the reason assigned that due to observation of the official formalities the delay was caused is not the sufficient ground, the I A be dismissed.
- 6. That, the I.A should be dismissed as Hon'ble Apex Court Court, so also this Hon'ble Court in so many decisions has clearly stated that when any appeal filed on delay, the appellant should explained the each and every days of delay properly, but in the present case the appellants have not at

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all explained the delay properly, for which the I.A for condonation of delay be dismissed.

- 7. That, the I.A for condonation of delay should be dismissed only on the ground that in order to avoid to comply this Hon'ble Court's order dtd.18.11.2022, the Appeal has been filed. By this rocess the Opp.Party has been harassed sufficiently and has been deprived of getting the genuine claim i.e appointment under RA Rules, particularly when his family id reeling under financial stringency.
- **8.** That in view of the facts stated above the I.A. filed by the appellant for condonation of delay be dismissed.

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By the petitioner through

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Date.30.11.2024

H.K. Mohanta
ADVOCATE.

Surendra Prasad Dha

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#### IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA, CUTTACK

I.A No 2729 /2023

(Arising out of WA No. 1053 / 2023)

#### IN THE MATTER OF;

State of Odisha and others

..... APPELLANTS

-VERSUS-

ShibasishBehera

.....RESPONDENT

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

- 1. I, ShibasishBehera, Occupation –Un-Employed, Aged about 31 years, At.-Sakhipada, P.S.-Phiringia, Dist.:-Kandhamal.
- 2. Father's Name- Late Antaryami Behera.
- 3. Number of proceedings pending in the High Court or would be instituted(Caveat): No.
- 4. Statements of facts: As per averments in the petition.
- 5. That I am the respondent in the present case.
- 6. That the facts stated are true to the best of the knowledge and belief of the deponent.

## **DECLARATION**

Shibasish Behera, the deponent above named do hereby solemnly affirm that the facts stated in the paragraphs 1 to 7 are true to be my own knowledge and in paragraph 1 to 7 are true the best of my information which I obtained from my personal sources:-

I believe the information to be true for the following reasons: basing upon official records and information.

Surendra Prasad Dhall Advocati.

HK. Mohant

Solemnly declare at the above said this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 2024.

**Identified By** H.K. Mohanta -ADVOCATE ( Shibasigh Behera. DEPONENT

Solemnly affirm before me by Shibasish Behera, Who is identified before me by Hemanta Kumar Mohanta, Advocate, Whom I personally know.

This the 30<sup>th</sup> of November 2024

#### **CERTIFICATE.**

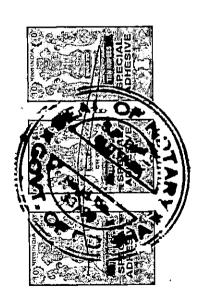
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Date:-30.11.2024

H.K. Hohanta ADVOCATE. ,

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