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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK W.A. No. 633 of 2023

Principal Secretary to Government, ... Health and Family Welfare Department, Bhubaneswar, Dist-Khurda and Others Appellants

Mr. Saswat Das, Addl. Govt. Advocate -versus-

Bhagaban Pradhan and Others

Respondents

Mr. Budhiram Das, Advocate (Caveator)

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

Order No.

ORDER 22.10.2024

W.A. No.633 of 2023 and I.A. No.1621 of 2023

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The matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.

- 2. This application has been filed by the appellants seeking condonation of delay of 186 days in filing the present intra-court appeal.
- 3. Mr. Budhiram Das, learned counsel has entered appearance on behalf of the respondents No.1 and 2 by way of caveat petition. Let copies of the appeal memo and the application for condonation of delay be served on him within a week.
- 4. List this matter on 03.12.2024.

(Chakradhari Sharan Singh) Chief Justice

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I.A. No.1621 of 2023

This matter is taken up through Hybrid mode.

- 2. Mr. Budhiram Das, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents prays for one week time to file an objection to the application for condonation of delay.
- 3. List this matter on 10.12.2024. Objection, if any, shall be filed before the said date after serving a copy on Mr. Budhiram Das, learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents.
- 4. Defect pointed out by the S.R. shall be removed by the next date positively.

(Chakradpari Sharan Singh) Chief Justice

(Savitri Ratho)

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK.

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(Arising out of WPC(OA) No.362/2017

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State of Odisha represented through the Commissioner-cum- Secretary to Govt. of Odisha, Health & F.W. Department, LokSevaBhawan, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khordha& 3 others

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SYPNOSIS

The appellantshave filed this Writ Appeal challenging erroneous order dated 24.08.2022 passed by the learned Single Judge wherein this Hon'ble Court while setting aside the rejection order passed by the Appellant No.1 declaring the claim of regularisation and consequential and service benefits of the respondent to be devoid of any merit as much as directed the appellants to consider the case of the petitioner for regularisation as per resolution issued by the G.A. Department on 17.09.2013 and 16.01.2014 as well as in the light of the order passed by the Hon'ble Court in the case of Patitapaban Dutta Das Vrs. State of Odisha and others. Hon'ble Court further directed the O.P. No.3 to take

steps" for absorbing the petitioner in the establishment and such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the petitioner in the regular establishment within a period of four months from the date of receipt of this order."

TheHon'ble Single Judge disposed of the writ petition at the stage of admission and without giving any opportunity to the present appellants to place their stand. Further the Hon'ble Single judge though set aside the order passed by appellant No.1 which is an exhaustive speaking did not whisper anything in order dated 24.08.2022any reason indicating non sustainability of such order. Further the grievance of the respondent has directed to be considered in the light of the principle decided in other case whereas no discussion has been made how the two cases are factually similar in order to invoke the principle decided in other case. The approach of the respondent in claiming his regularisation along with the service and financial benefits etc., therefore the decision dated 24.08.2022 cannot be implemented. Therefore, appeal has been preferred after getting concurrence from the Law Department.

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ENR NO 1738/97

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LIST OF DATES

Sl. No.	Date	Particulars
1	26.12.2007	Respondent No.2 joined as MPHW(M) on contractual basis.
2	09.01.2008	The respondent no.1 was appointed as
3	17.09.2013	MPHW(M) on contractual basis. State of Odisha, G.A. Department issued a
		resolution describing the method of
		regularisation of contractual employees
4	10.04.2015	Appellant No.3 submitted the proposal for
		regularisation of contractual employees
		working as MPHW(M) on completion of six
		years of service
5	09.07.2015	Appellant No.3 further forwarded the
		proposal of regularisation of contractual
		MPHW(M) to the Appellant No.2
6	13.11.2015	The representation submitted by the
		respondent was forwarded to the appellant
		no.1 for consideration.
7 .	26.02.2017	Respondents filed O.A. No. 362/2017 before
		learned O.A.T., Bhubaneswar, which has
		been renumbered as WPC(OA) No.
		362/2017 after abolition of the Tribunal
3	24.08.2022	Hon'ble Single Bench disposed of the said
		writ petition.

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9	12.12.2022	Appellant No.1 authorised Appellant No.3 to contact the Office of the A.FG. Odisha for filing of writ appeal against the order dated 24.08.2022.
10	07.02.2023	Appellant No.3 contacted the Office of the learned Advocate General and submitted the relevant required documents, which was received by the Office of the Advocate General on 01.03.2023.
11		Filing of the present Writ Appeal.

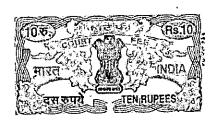
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK.

w.a. no. 693_{/2023}.

(Arising out of WPC (5)11)No.362 of 2017,
Disposed of on 24.08.2022) Code - 3/0200

IN THE MATTER OF:

An appeal under Article-4 of the Orissa High Court Rules, 1948 read with clause-10 of the Letter Patent of the Orissa High Court;

AND

IN THE MATTER OF:

Principal Secretary to Govt. of Odisha,
 Health & Family Welfare Department,
 Lok Seva Bhawan, Bhubaneswar, Dist:
 Khordha.

Region

Registrar (Judicial)

- Director, Health Services. Odisha, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khordha.
- 3. Chief District Medical Officer, Khordha, At/Po/Dist: Khordha.
- 4. Collector & District Magistrate, Khordha, At/Po/Dist: Khordha.

(Opposite Party No. 1 to 4 in the writ petition)

... Appellants.

-Versus-

1. Bhagaban Pradhan, aged about 56 years, Son of late. Dhobali Pradhan, At/Po: Kuha, Old Town, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khordha, at present serving as

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MPHW(Male), CHC, Balkati, under the CDMO, Khordha.

2. Raghunath Pradhan, aged about 44 years, son of late Dhobali Pradhan, At/Po: Kuha, Old Town, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khordha, at present serving as MPHW(Male), CHC, Balkati, under the CDMO, Khordha.

(Petitioners in the writ petition)

.... RespondentS

Officer, I/c, CHC, Manijanga, At/Po: Manijanga, Dist:

Khordha.

(The matter out of which, this writ appeal arises was before this Hon'ble Court in W.P.(C) No.362 of 2017, disposed of on 24.08.2022)

The Hon'ble Chief Justice and His Lordships companion justices of the Hon'ble High Court of Orissa.

The humble memorandum of appeal of the above named appellants;

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:

1. The respondents of the present appeal being the petitioners before the learned State Administrative Tribunal, Bhubaneswar had filed an application under Section 19 of the Administrative Tribunal's Act, 1985 with the following prayers:-

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2. That the appellants being the respondent-Opp. Parties before the learned State Administrative Tribunal are aggrieved with the final decision dated 24.08.2022 passed by Hon'ble Single Judge of this Hon'ble Court in WPC (OA) No.362/2017 filed by the present respondents before the learned Tribunal and was re-numbered with the aforesaid case number after transfer of the case from learned Tribunal to this Hon'ble Court due to abolition of the SAT. In the case Hon'ble present Single Judge misinterpere4ted the fact as well as the settlement position of law on reaching to a conclusion with the entitlement of the present respondent while disposing the writ petition on 24.08.2022 with the following orders:

"Since in the present case, the petitioners have already completed more than 14 years of service on contractual basis as multipurpose Health worker (Male), the Opposite Parties more particularly the O.P. No.3 is directed to take steps for absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment. Such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment within a period of 4 months from the date of receipt of the order".

Certified copy of the order dated 24.08.2022 is enclosed herewith and marked as <u>ANNEXURE-1</u>.

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- 2. That the brief facts as outlined by the present respondents in the capacity of petitioners before the Hon'ble Single Judge are as follows:-
- (a) The respondents were initially appointed as paramedical workers under the National Leprosy Eradication Project (NLEP) being sponsored by the District Technical Support Team of Lepra India Society. On completion of such project the respondents were retrenched.
- ·(b) Taking into consideration the service experience of the employees like the respondents Govt. in Health and Family Welfare Department as well as Director, Health Services. Odisha. Bhubaneswar issued instruction to different CDMOs wherein it was instructed to give preference in selection for the post of MPHW. Male and female in different district as they have worked in the health sector in the State and have gained experience in dealing with public health problems. Accordingly the CDMOs were also requested to carry out the above order during selection process and to submit the list of candidates so selected to the office of appellant no.1 & 2.
- (c) Considering the aforesaid instruction of the appellant no.1 & 2 the respondents were appointed as Multipurpose Health Worker (M) on contractual basis

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and respondent no.1 joined on 9.1.2008 whereas respondent joined on 26.12.2007 and they were allowed to continue.

- (d) The respondents have been discriminated in terms of the regularization process while person similarly situated i.e. retrenched candidates from NLEP Scheme and got appointed as MPWH(M) having been regularized under CDMO, Sundargarh and Kandhamal the respondents are left out only because they are continuing under CDMO, Khordha. The authorities have regularized the service of similarly situated employees in Kandhamal as well as Sundergrarh district following the resolution of GA Department dt.17.09.2013 and basing upon a decision of High Power Committee after successful completion of six years of contractual service.
 - (e) The respondents have further urged that though they have completed more than 10 years of contractual service and their names appeared in the Gradation List of MPHW(M) of Khordha district with an objective to regularize the employees by absorbing them under CDMO Khordha but their cases have not been considered till date.
 - (f) The respondents submitted representation before the authorities for considering their regularization claiming to satisfy all the conditions in terms of GA

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Department resolution dt.17.09.2013 and such representation was forwarded by the appellant no.2 vide letter dated 13.11.2015 to appellant no.1 for favourable consideration.

- 3. That, the present appellants who are none other than the opposite parties in the writ petition have filed a counter wherein by disputing the averments of the respondents they took the following stand to justify their prayer to dismiss the claim of the respondent which are as follows:
- (a) The respondents are admittedly retrenched employee of NLEP Scheme. But without following any due procedure of selection as decided by appellant no.1 & 2 where a scope of getting preference in the selection process was there for such retrenched employees like the respondents the then CDMO, Khordha has engaged the respondents without following any procedure of selection rather by treating them as retrenched employees of NLEP Scheme. Accordingly the GA Dept. resolution dated 17.09.2013 could not be utilized in respect of such respondent for their regular absorption.
- (b) The appellants have relied upon the principles decided by this Hon'ble Court as well as by the Hon'ble Supreme Court like State of Orissa Vs. Mamata Mohanty and another reported in (2011) 3

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SCC 436, Delhi Development Horticulture Union vs. Delhi Admn. &Ors reported in AIR 1992 SC 789, Excise Superintendent Malkapatnama, Krishna Dist. A.P. Vs. KBN Bisweswar Rao and others reported in (1996) 6 SCC 216 and many other cases.

- (c) The appellants have jusiti9fed their ground on the basis of settled legal preposition that no person can even appointed on temporary or adhoc basis without following due procedure of law including involving and element of selection otherwise it will violates the mandate of Article 14 & 16 of the Constitution of India by depriving the candidates from being considered even though eligible for post. For a valid and legal appointment mandatory compliance said constitutional required is to be fulfilled.
- (d) In absence of any policy decision of the Gov.t
 the claim of the respondents for regularization is not maintainable and acceptable.
- (e) The examples cited by the respondents of granting benefit of regularization in other district and thereby bring out the allegation of discrimination is not acceptable as the appellant no.3 has strictly followed the rules and regulations invoked with respect to regularization and the persons are not similarly situated.

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- (f) It is further informed here that the detailed Data Sheet of not only the respondents but also of others are already provided to Govt. i.e. appellant no.1 for the purpose of regularization etc. as per letter dated 21.12.2016. It is further clarified by the appellants that the scheme which is relied upon by the respondents to get the benefit of regularization strictly demands three conditions which includes that their initial engagement should have been by following due procedure of law and at the time of selection the provision of act and rules should have been followed. The respondents have made a claim for regularization in terms of G.A. Dept. letter dated 17.09.2013 and as such they cannot claim regularization in service without satisfying the criteria prescribed therein.
- final hearing on 24.08.2022 and found that the present respondents are covered by the GA Dept. resolution dt.17.09.2013 & 16.01.2014 for the purpose of their regularization in service. Hon'ble Single Judge further held that the grievance of the respondents are squarely covered by the principle decided in the case of Patitapaban Dutta Dash Vs. State of Odisha and others where a direction also been given to regularize the service of the petitioners in that case in completion of six years of contractual appointment. On the aforesaid backgrounds of fact and the principle led down in

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Patitapaban Dutta Das case Supra Hon'ble Single Judge held that the respondents having been completed more than 14 years of service on contractual service as MPHW(M) the appellant no.3 has been directed to take steps for absorbing the respondents in the regular establishment within a period of four months.

Being aggrieved by the order dated 24.08.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge in W.P.(C) No.362 of 2017 under Annexure-1, the appellants beg to prefer this Appeal on the following amongst other;

GROUNDS

For that the Hon'ble Single Judge failed to A) appreciate that the petitioners have made false submission in his writ petition that there was a direction by O.P. No.1 & 2 to absorb them in the post of MPHW(M) as a retrenched NELP Paramedical worker. On bare perusal of the letter under reference dated 31.10.2007 & 7.12.2007 it was urged by the appellant no.1 & 2 that the retrenched paramedical NELP scheme workers are to get preference at the time of selection for the post of MPHW(m) or F. There is no direction to the concerned CDMOs to engage the retrenched NELP scheme worker without following the due procedure of selection. Hon'ble Single Judge failed to appreciate that the orders of appointment indicates that the respondent have been engaged on contractual

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basis by referring to the aforesaid two letter of appellant no.1 & 2 but without following any procedure of selection as much as without applying the provision of ORV Act and Rules. In view of these the initial engagement of the respondents are in without following any selection process so also in deviation to the Govt. decision as referred above.

For that the Hon'ble Single further failed to B) appreciate that no separate scheme has been formulated by the Govt. to regularize such retrenched NLEP scheme employees for which the respondent as well as Hon'ble Single Judge appreciated the fact that the only scheme in vogue to decide the regularization of the respondents are G.A. Dept. resolution 17.09.2013 read with the resolution dated 16.01.2014. Both respondents have relied upon these resolution and their prayer also reflect to consider their cases in the light of such regularization scheme introduced by Govt. as much as the Hon'ble Single Judge has also made an observation that the grievance of the respondents are covered under these regularization scheme. Hon'ble Single Judge committed an error in holding that the respondents are to be regularized because for continuing for a period of 14 years in such post and these resolutions are to be followed to regularized the respondents but completely ignored the argument of the present appellants that non of the At Der son

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respondents have satisfied the criteria led down in the said resolution which are mandatory in nature for considering the regularization of an employee continuing on contractual basis.

- C) For that Hon'ble Single Judge failed to comment any where the manner in which the present respondents are eligible and covered under the regularization scheme as per G.A. Department Resolution dated 17.09.2013 & 16.01.2014.
- D) For that Hon'ble Single Judge failed to comment anything on the different case laws relied upon by the appellants as reflected in their counter affidavit where the basic principle of filling a public post is by adopting the principle in vogue by conducting a fair procedure of selection allowing all the eligible applicants to participate in the selection process. The Hon'ble Single Judge did not comment anything to get rid of such settled position of law while declaring the respondents to be eligible and directing the appellants to absorb such respondents on regular basis.
- E) For that the principle decided in Patitapaban Dutta Das case under some peculiar fact and circumstance of that case has no bearing to the present case and to the factual back ground of the present respondents. Hon'ble Single Judge though observed that the principle in such Patitapaban Dutta Das case is

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also applicable to the case of respondents but completely failed to analyze the situation of the back ground facts in both the cases so as to draw the similarity on facts and circumstances of both the cases as much as to apply the principle decided in one case to other. Moreover the principle decided in Patitaban Dutta Das case cannot be treated as a settled position of law as the state has approached challenging the Hon'ble Single decision of Judge W.A. No..... which is still subjudice. Under such circumstances ignoring the principle decided by Hon'ble Apex Court with respect to public employment and vis-à-vis regularization in service rather by relying a decision which is a subject matter of adjudication in a writ appeal before this Hon;ble Court cannot be treated as sustainable action by the Hon'ble Single Judge and consequentially the decision with direction to absorb the respondents in the regular post is not sustainable in the eye of law.

4. That, the Appellant has no other effacious alternative remedy available, hence invoke the Appellate jurisdiction of this Hon'ble Court under Article-4 of the Orissa High Court order,1948 read with Clause-10 of the Letters patent constituting the High Court of Judicature at Party and Rule 6 of Chapter-III of the Rules of the High Court of Orissa, 1948. The Appeal is made bonafide.

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- 5. That, the aforesaid submissions are made without prejudice to one another.
- 6. That, the Appellant relies upon the documents, a list whereof is annexed hereto.
- 7. That, the Appellant has not made any other Petition or Appeal either in this Hon'ble Court or in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in respect of the subject matter of this petition. This Hon'ble Court has jurisdiction to try and entertain the present Appeal.
- 8. That, the Appellant craves leave to add or alter or amend or delete any of the grounds of this memo of Appeal at the time of hearing of Appeal.

PRAYER

Under these circumstances the Appellants most humbly pray that this Hon'ble Court be graciously pleased to admit this appeal, call for the records and after hearing the parties be pleased to set aside the impugned order dated 24.08.2022 passed in W.P.(C) No.362 of 2017.

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

By the Appellants through

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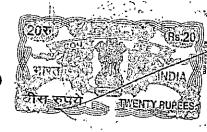
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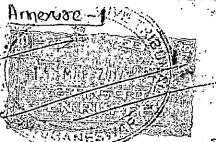
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IN THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

ODISHA, BHUBANESWAR

O.A.No- 26-2/2017

In the matter of-

An application U/S-19 of Administrative Tribunal's Act 1985.

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In the matter of-



- Bhagaban Pradhan, aged about-50 years, S/o-Late Dhobali Pradhan, resident of At/Po-Kuha, Old Town, Bhubaneswar, Dist.-Khurda at present serving as MPHW(Male), CHC, Balkati, under the CDMO Khurda, Dist. Khurda,

----Versus---

- Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Department, Govt. of Odisha, Odisha Secretariat, Bhubaneswar, Dist-Khurda,
- Director, Health Services, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, Dist. Khurda,
- 3. Chief District Medical Officer, At/Po/Dist.-Khurda,
- Collector & District Magistrate, Khurda, At/P.O/Dist.- Khurda,







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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

WPC(OA) Nos.344, 353,361 & 362 of 2017

WPC(OA //) No.344 of 2017

Bikram Samantaray

Petitioner

-versus-

State of Odisha & Others

Opposite Parties

COROM: JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

Order No

ORDER 24.08.2022

- 1. 1. This matter is taken up through Hybrid Mode.
 - 2. Heard Mr. K.C.Sahu, learned counsel for the Petitioners and Mr. R.N.Mishra, learned Additional Government Advocate.
 - **3.** The present Writ Petitions have been filed with the following prayer:

"The Hon'ble Tribunal be pleased to admit & allow the Original Application.

- (ii) The Hon'ble Tribunal be pleased to direct the respondents to regularize the services of the applicants as MPHW (M) on regular basis from the date of completion of six years of contractual service basing upon the G.A. Department circular dtd. 17.09.2013 keeping in view of regularization of similar situated contractual MPHW(m) as per Annexure-5 with all consequential service and financial benefits within a stipulated period for the interest of justice.
- (iii) The Hon'ble Tribunal may be pleased to pass any order(s) / direction(s) as deems fit and proper for the interest of justice".
- 4. It is submitted that after abolition of the National





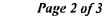
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Leprosy Irradiate Project, (NLIP) Petitioners were appointed as Multi Purpose Health Worker (M) on contractual basis vide order dated 18.02.2008 under Annexure-2.

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- 5. It is submitted that since 18.2.2008, the Petitioners are continuing on contractual basis and even though their cases have been recommended, but they have not yet been regularized.
- **6.** It is submitted that persons appointed on contractual basis subsequent to the Petitioners have been regularized in the meantime.
- 7. This Court after going through the materials available on record finds that the claim of the petitioner for regularization is covered by the resolution issued by the G.A Department on 17.09.2013 and 16.01.2014. Similar issue has also been dealt with by this Court in the case of Patitapaban Dutta Das vrs. State of Odisha & Others, wherein this Court has directed the authorities to regularize the services of the Petitioners therein on completion of six years of contractual engagement.
- 8. Since in the present case, the Petitioners have already completed more than 14 years of service on contractual basis as Multi Purpose Health Worker (M), the Opposite Parties more particularly the Opposite Party No.3 is directed to take steps for absorbing the





Petitioners in the regular establishment. Such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the Petitioners in the regular establishment within a period of four months from the date of receipt of this order.

- **9.** With the aforesaid observation and direction, the Writ Petitions are disposed of.
- 10. The photocopy of the order be placed on the connected cases.

Sel-B. P. Satapathy, J.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ODISHA: CUTTACK

W.A. 693 OF 2023

State of Orissa & Ors

.... Petitioners/

Chagasan Prathen -versus-

.... Opp. Party

APPEARANCE MEMO

I hereby enter appearance in the above noted case on behalf of the petitioners.

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Add Govt. Advocate/ 0-1738/1991 MI/Ph - 986/3/4/33











IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK.

I A No. 1621 /2023

(Arising out of Writ Appeal No. 633 / 2022)

IN THE MATTER OF:

An application Under Chapter-VI, Rule- 27 (A) of Orissa High Court Rules, 1948

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IN THE MATTER OF:

An application under section 5 of the Limitation Act,

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IN THE MATTER OF:

An application for condonation of delay

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Principal Secretary to Govt. of Odisha,
 Health & Family Welfare Department,
 LokSevaBhawan, Bhubaneswar, Dist:
 Khordha.

2. Director, Health Services, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khordha.

3. Chief District Medical Officer, Khordha, At/Po/Dist: Khordha,

4. Collector & District Magistrate, Khordha, At/Po/Dist: Khordha.

(Opposite Party No. 1 to 4 in the writ petition)

... Appellants.

-Versus-

(SURYA MARAYAN PATARA) ENR NO 1738/97 (M/Ph-986/3/4133) At Ober my

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- 2. Raghunath Pradhan, aged about 44 years, son of late Dhobali Pradhan, At/Po: Kuha, Old Town, Bhubaneswar, Dist: Khordha, present at serving MPHW(Male), CHC, Balkati, under the CDMO, Khordha.

(Petitioners in the writ petition)

.... Respondent.

3. Deepak Kumar Behera, MPHW(M), C/o. Medical Officer, I/c, CHC, Manijanga, At/Po: Manijanga, Dist: Khordha.

· (The matter out of which, this writ appeal arises was before this Hon'ble Court in W.P.(C) No.362 of 2017, disposed of on 24.08.2022)

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The Hon'ble Chief Justice and His Lordships companion justices of the Hon'ble High Court of Orissa.

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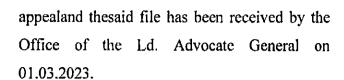
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- 2 That, on receipt of order of Hon'ble High Court vide order dated 24.08.2022 in W.P.(C) No.362 of 2017 on the Administrative Department, i.e. the Appellant No.1 considered the mater and sent it to the law Department for views, where the Law Department has expressed the view to file writ appeal challenging the said order. Accordingly the Department of Health & F.W. (Appellant No.1) issued instruction to the Appellant No.3 vide letter No.28308 dated 12.12.2022 authorizing the Appellant No.3 to contact the Office of the learned Advocate General, Odisha, Cuttack for filing of a writ appeal taking into consideration the views of the Law Department. On receiving such letter from the Appellant NO.1 the Appellant No.3 being the authorized person collected all the documents and vide his letter No.2415 dated 07.02.2023 forwarded all the papers to the Office of the Ld. Advocate General Orissa, Cuttack with a request to file the writ

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- That the delay was caused due to official procedure but not intentional. In such situation delay was caused in preparing and finalizing the writ appeal, which is filed on 34 24 3 2028.
- 4 That, the delay in filing the appeal was on account of procedural delay in obtaining approval from the higher authority. The delay caused is not intentional or deliberate.
- That, due to administrative constraints the movement of the file from one department to another department got delayed, delaying the administrative process in getting approval as well as due to pandemic situation.
- may be treated as facts of this I. A and the same are not mentioned once again to avoid repetition.
 - 7 That, in the larger interest of justice, the delay in filing the appeal beyond the statutory period of limitation be condoned
 - That, the petitioners / appellants have a strong prima facie case; balance of convenience lies in their favour and will suffer irreparable loss if the relief sought here under in not granted.

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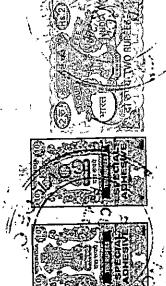
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An application for stay of implementation of dated 24.08.2022 (Annexure-1)

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IN THE MATTER OF:

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PRAYER

In the light of the above facts and circumstances, it is humbly prayed that your Lordships may graciously be pleased to stay operation of the order dated 24.08.2022 (Annexure- 1) passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge in W.P.(C) No. 362/2017, pending disposal of the writ appeal

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

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By the petitioners / appellants

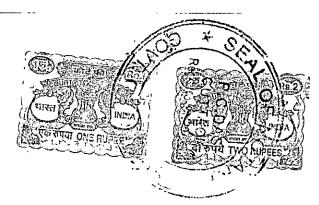
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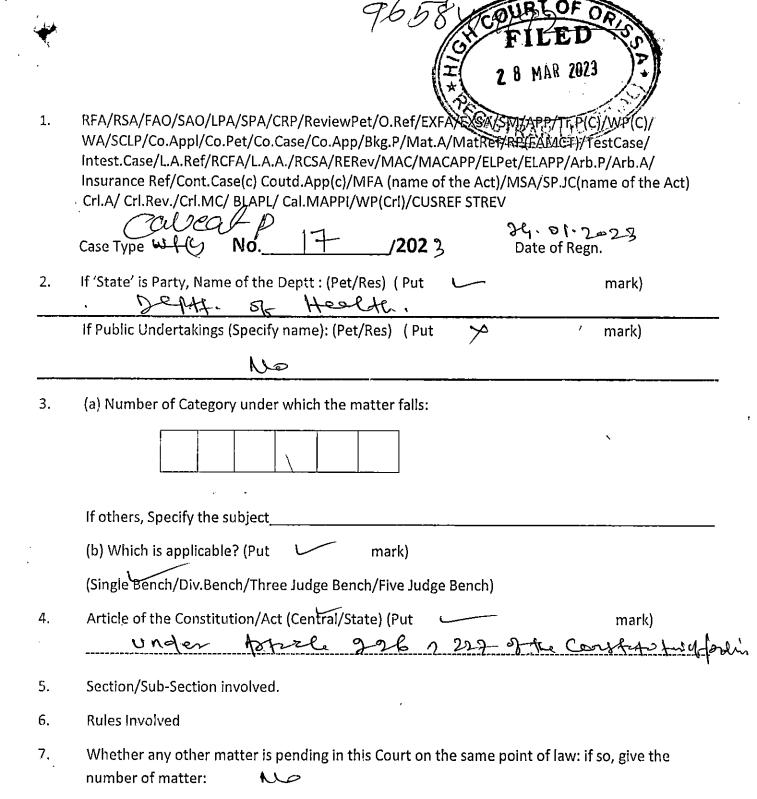
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA:CUTTACK

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(Arising out of W.A. No. 693/2023)

Bhagaban Pradhan & another ... Caveators/Petitioners
-Versus-

The Commissioner -Cum- Secretary,
Health and Family Welfare Department,
Government of Odisha & othersOpp.parties

SYNOPIS

The petitioners are working as MPHW (Male) under C.H.C., Balkati and Zonal Dispensary, Kalpana Area (District Malaria Office), in the district of Khurda and they have already rendered their services for more than 10 years on contractual basis and in spite of this they have not been regularised following which they approached this Hon'ble Court in WPC (OAC) No.362 of 2017 claiming to regularise their services.

This Hon'ble Court after hearing the writ petition was pleased to pass an order dtd.24.08.2022 directing the opposite party No.3 to take steps for absorbing the petitioners/caveators in the regular establishment and such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment within a period of 4 months from the date of receipt of this order.

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Under the above facts and circumstances of the case, the opposite parties being aggrieved by such order may approach this Hon'ble Court in Writ Appeal to obtain any interim order before giving an opportunity of hearing to the present petitioners.

Hence, the petitioners/caveators file the aforesaid Caveat Petition seeking prayer that they may be given an opportunity of hearing before passing any interim order by this Hon'ble Court.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK

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The Commissioner -Cum- Secretary,
Health and Family Welfare Department,
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O.A. No.362 of 2017 before the learned O.A.T., Bhubaneswar seeking for a direction to the opposite parties to regularise the services of the applicants as MPHW(M) on regular basis from the date of completion of six years of contractual service basing upon the G.A. Department Circular dated 17.09.2013 keeping in view of regularization of similar situated contractual MPHW(M) as per Annexure-5 with all consequential service and financial benefits within a stipulated period.

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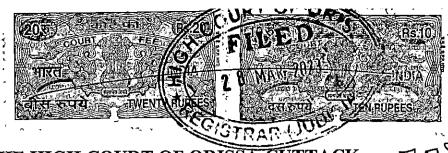
this Hon'ble Court and renumbered as WPC(OAC)No.362 of 2017.

- the parties was pleased to dispose of the Writ Petition with a direction to the opposite party No.3 (Chief District Medical Officer, Khurda) to take steps for absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment and such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment within a period of four months from the date of receipt of the order.
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- 3. The Chief District Medical Officer, Khurda, At/P.O./Dist.-Khurda.
- 4. The Collector & District Magistrate, Khurda, At/P.O./Dist.-Khurda.

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Hon'ble the Hon'ble Chief Justice of Orissa High Court and his Lordship's Companion Justices of the said Hon'ble Court.

The humble petition of the above named Caveators/Petitioners;

MOST RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:-

- 1) That, the Opp parties in this Writ Appeal are intending to challenge the order dated 24.08.2022 passed by the Hon'ble Single Judge of this Hon'ble Court in W.P.(OAC)No.362 of 2017 directing the opposite party No.3 to take steps for observing the petitioners in the Regular Establishment within a period of 4 months from receipt of the order.
- 2) That it is humbly submitted herewith that the Caveators as Petitioners filed OA No.362 of 2017 before the learned State Administrative Tribunal, Odisha, Principal Bench, Bhubaneswar for regularisation of their service as they have already completed 10 years of service on contractual basis.

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- That it is further alleged that the petitioners were 3) initially appointed as Paramedical Worker under the National Leprosy Eradication Project (in short NLEP) Scheme sponsored by the District Technical support of Team of Lepra India Society and after the project work was over under the said scheme, the petitioners got retrenched from service and thereafter, the Government, Health and Family Welfare Department, so also the Director, Health Services, Odisha, Bhubaneswar upon considering the past work experience rendered by the petitioners, vide letter dated 31.10.2007 and 18.02.2008 directed different CDMOs to absorb the retrenched Paramedical Workers of NLEP Scheme for the post of Multipurpose Health Worker(Male) against the regular sanctioned vacant post.
- That pursuant to the letter of the Director, Health Services, the C.D.M.O., Khurda appointed the petitioners as Multipurpose Health Workers (Males) on contractual basis and accordingly, the applicants were posted at

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different sub-centres under Community Health Centres (in short CHC) in the district of Khurda and the petitioners joined on 18.02.2008 and till today, both of them are continuing as such.

- That it is further humbly submitted herewith that the petitioners like other Paramedical Workers have been promoted to MPHW (male) by the C.D.M.O. on contractual basis and most of them have been regularised by different CDMOs basing upon the Resolution of G.A. Department dtd.18.09.2013, as well as the decision of the Higher Power Committee.
- That it is humbly submitted herewith that though the applicants have already completed their service for more than 10 years on contractual basis, they have not been regularised till today for which they have submitted their representations to the C.D.M.O., Khurda but nothing has been done.
- 7) That the petitioners finding no other alternative and efficacious remedy approached the Hon'ble Tribunal





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vide O.A.No.362/2017 for regularisation of service and consequential service and the Hon'ble Tribunal was pleased to admit and issue notice to the opposite parties making it returnable within 4 weeks and rejoinder, if any be filed within two weeks thereafter.

- Original Application was transferred to the Hon'ble High Court for adjudication due to abolition of the Hon'ble Tribunal and this Hon'ble Court while hearing this matter was pleased to direct the opposite party No.3 (Chief' District Medical Officer, Jagatsinghpur) to take steps for absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment and such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the petitioners in the regular establishment within a period of four months from the date of receipt of this order.
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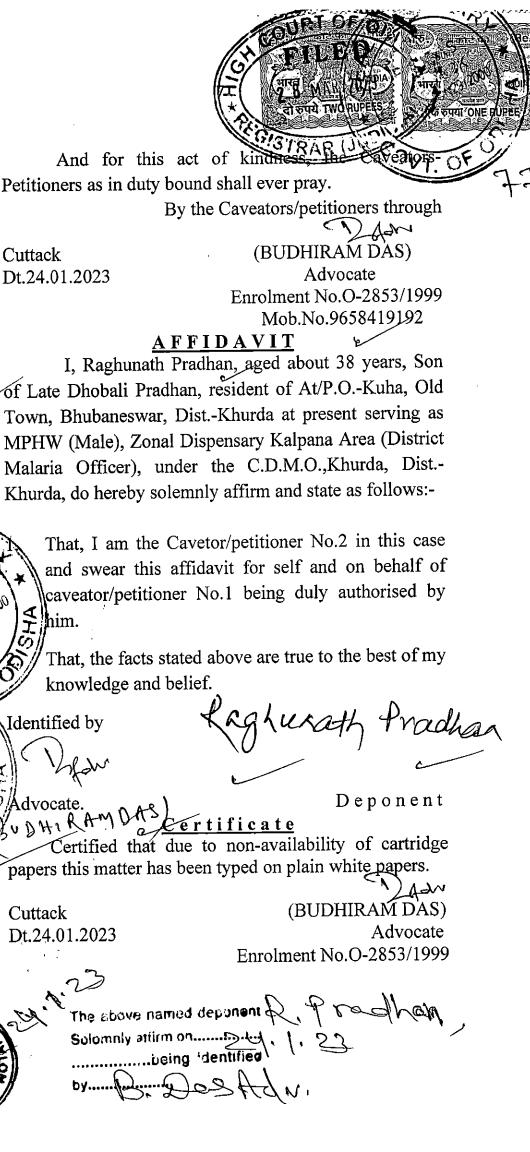
- 10) That if the writ appeal is filed by the opposite parties and any order is passed in that petition without hearing the caveators/petitioners, the caveators/petitioners will be highly prejudiced.
- 11) That in the interest of justice, it is necessary to serve the copy of the Writ Appeal and stay application if any, before the matter is listed for Admission and Stay and no order shall be passed without giving an opportunity to the caveators of being heard in the matter.
- 12) That the notice has been sent to the opposite parties by Registered Post with A.D. and the Receipt is filed herewith.

PRAYER

The Caveators-Petitioners, therefore most humbly pray that this Hon'ble Court may graciously be pleased to direct the Opposite parties to serve the copy of the Writ Appeal and stay application, if any, or any other proceeding before the matter is listed for orders/admission and no order may be passed without giving any opportunity of hearing of the Caveators-Petitioners.







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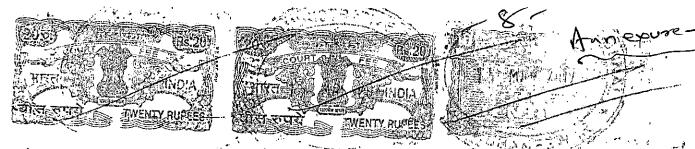
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IN THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL ODISHA, BHUBANESWAR

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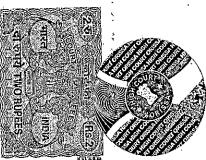
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- 1. **Bhagaban Pradhan**, aged about-50 years, S/o-Late Dhobali Pradhan, resident of At/Po-Kuha, Old Town, Bhubaneswar, Dist.-Khurda at present serving as MPHW(Male), CHC, Balkati, under the CDMO Khurda, Dist. Khurda,

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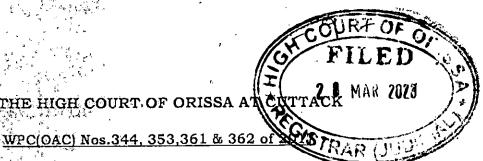
- Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Department, Govt. of Odisha, Odisha Secretariat, Bhubaneswar, Dist-Khurda,
- 2. Director,
 Health Services, Odisha,
 Bhubaneswar, Dist. Khurda,
- 3. Chief District Medical Officer, At/Po/Dist.-Khurda,
- 4. Collector & District Magistrate, Khurda, At/P.O/Dist.- Khurda,
- 5. Deepak Kumar Behera, MPHW(M), C/o-Medical Officer, I/c, CHC, Manijanga, At/Po-Manijanga, Dist- Respondents





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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTAC

WPC(OA®) No.344 of 2017

Bikram Samantaray

Petitioner

-versus-

State of Odisha & Others

Opposite Parties

- COROM: JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

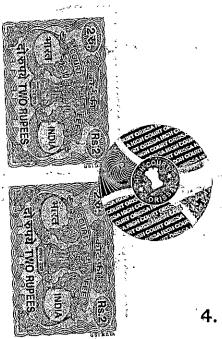
Order No

24.08.2022

- This matter is taken up through Hybrid Mode. 1.
 - Heard Mr. K.C.Sahu, learned counsel for the Petitioners and Mr. R.N.Mishra, learned Additional Government Advocate. 🐠
 - 3. The present Writ Petitions have been filed with the following prayer:

"The Hon'ble Tribunal be pleased to admit & allow the Original Application.

- (ii) The Hon'ble Tribunal be pleased to direct the respondents to regularize the services of the applicants as MPHW (M) on regular basis from the date of completion of six years of contractual service basing upon the G.A. Department circular dtd. 17.09.2013 keeping in view of regularization of similar situated contractual MPHW(m) as per Annexure-5 with all consequential service and financial benefits within a stipulated period for the interest of justice.
- (iii) The Hon'ble Tribunal may be pleased to pass any order(s) / direction(s) as deems fit and proper for the interest of justice".
- It is submitted that after abolition of the National



Leprosy Irradiate Project, (NLIP)the Petitioners were appointed as Multi Purpose Health Worker (M) on contractual basis vide order dated 18.02.2008 under Annexure-2.

- 5. It is submitted that since 18.2.2008, the Petitioners are continuing on contractual basis and even though their cases have been recommended, but they have not yet been regularized.
- 6. It is submitted that persons appointed on contractual basis subsequent to the Petitioners have been regularized in the meantime.
- 7. This Court after going through the materials available on record finds that the claim of the petitioner for regularization is covered by the resolution issued by the G.A Department on 17.09.2013 and 16.01.2014. Similar issue has also been dealt with by this Court in the case of Patitapaban Dutta Das vrs. State of Odisha & Others, wherein this Court has directed the authorities to regularize the services of the Petitioners therein on completion of six years of contractual engagement.
- 8. Since in the present case, the Petitioners have already completed more than 14 years of service on contractual basis as Multi Purpose Health Worker (M), the Opposite Parties more particularly the Opposite Party No.3 is directed to take steps for absorbing the Page 2 of 3



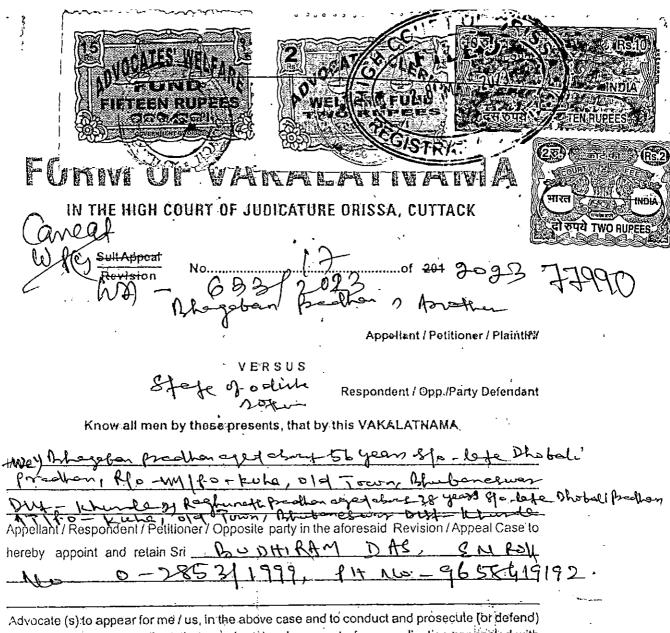


Petitioners in the regular establishment. Such exercise shall be completed by absorbing the Petitioners in the regular establishment within a period of four months from the date of receipt of this order.

- 9. With the aforesaid observation and direction, the Writ Petitions are disposed of.
- 10. The photocopy of the order be placed on the connected cases:

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the same and all proceedings that may be taken in respect of any application confiected with the same, or any decree or order passed therein including all applications for return of documents or receipt of any moneys that may be payable to me / us in the said case. I / We of any moneys that may be payable to me lus in the said case and also in application review, and in appeals under Orissa, High Court order and in applications for leave to appeal to Supreme Court. I / We authorise myll our Advocate(s) to admit any compromise lawfully entered in the said case.

Dated 34 / 2023

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

'Accepted as above

Advocate Accepted as above

Advocate Accepted as above



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SIGNATURE OF EXECUTANT(S)

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA: CUTTACK

W.A. No. 633 of 2023

State of Odisha & Ors

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CLEARANCE STATE

-Versus-

Shri Bhagaban Pradhan

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Respondents.

RECEIPT

Received the copies of appeal memo along with its annexure and all I.As, from the Appellant (State) in the aforesaid Appeal for appearing on behalf of **Respondent no.1 and 2** pursuant to order **dtd. 22.10.2024.**

Cuttack

Date-24.10.24

Advocate

For the **Respondent no. 1 & 2**

(Adv. Mr. Budhiram Das)