



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK
W.P.(C) No.16959 of 2026

Dhanurdhar Swain

Petitioner

Mr. K.K. Rout, Adv.

-versus-

State of Odisha & Ors.

Opposite Parties

Mr. P.K. Sahoo, ASC

CORAM:

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY

ORDER

07.07.2026

Order No. 01

1. This matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
2. Heard learned counsel for the Petitioner and learned counsel appearing for the Opp. Parties.
3. Petitioner has filed the present writ petition inter alia with the following prayer:-

“Under the circumstances stated above, it is therefore, prayed that this Hon'ble Court be pleased to admit this writ petition, issue notice to the opposite parties and after hearing from the advocates of the parties, issue a writ in nature of Mandamus or any other suitable writ directing the opposite parties to issue token and procure/purchase paddy from the petitioner registered under Mahupadar Service Co-operative Society Ltd. in the district of Ganjam within a stipulated period.

And/or the Hon'ble Court may pass any other appropriate order/orders as it deems fit and proper;

And for which act of kindness the petitioners as in duty bound shall ever pray.”



4. However, taking into account the claim raised in the present Writ Petition, liberty is granted to the Petitioner to make a fresh representation before Opp. Party No.3 by enclosing all the relevant documents and citations in support of his claim, if any, within a period of two (2) weeks hence.

5. It is observed that if such representation is filed within the aforesaid time period, Opp. Party No.3 shall do well to take a lawful decision on the same within a period of six (6) weeks from the date of receipt of such representation. The order so passed by Opp. Party No.3 be communicated to the Petitioner.

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

(BIRAJA PRASANNA SATAPATHY)
Judge

Madhusmita