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IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No. No.31135 of 2026
CNR No. ODHC010732402026

Kapilash College of Nursing, Dhenkanal, represented through its Chairman .... ***Petitioner***

Mr. S. Satapathy, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha, represented through its Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare and others .... ***Opposite Parties***

Mr. S.K. Jee, AGA of O.P. No.1
Mr. R.C. Mohanty, counsel for O.P. No.2 to 4

CORAM:
JUSTICE B. P. ROUTRAY
JUSTICE SAVITRI RATHO

ORDER
15.10.2026

Order No.

02. 1. Heard Mr. S. Satapathy, learned counsel for the Petitioner, Mr. S.K. Jee, learned AGA for State – opposite party No.1 and Mr. R.C. Mohanty, learned counsel for opposite parties No.2 to 4.

2. The petitioner – institution is imparting GNM Course and it has approached this Court for direction to the opposite parties to grant NOC in its favour by quashing the impugned rejection order dated 11th September, 2026 under Annexure-7.

3. It is submitted that the petitioner-institution has applied for no objection certificate (NOC) for conducting GNM course for the Academic Session 2026-27 and due to certain deficiencies pointed out by the authorities, its prayer for grant of NOC was

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rejected by the authorities under Annexure-7. It is further submitted that in the meantime the petitioner-institution has already complied with such deficiencies and thus its case may be considered for grant of NOC by the authorities.

4. It is submitted by Mr. Mohanty, learned counsel for opposite parties No.2 and 3 that the affidavit dated 12th October, 2026 filed on their behalf in WP(C) No.30355 of 2026 may be adopted in the present case.

5. In the said affidavit, it has been admitted that as the date of admission has been extended up to 31st October, 2026, in the event the institution submits requisite documents and rectifies the defects within the stipulated period, its case would be considered for grant of NOC for the Academic Session 2026-27, subject to fulfilment of such requirements and compliances.

6. Mr. Mohanty, learned counsel for opposite parties No.2 & 3 submits that in the event the petitioner-institution rectifies all the defects and fulfills prescribed norms, its case for grant of NOC will be considered by the authorities appropriately.

7. Taking note of such admission rendered on behalf of opposite parties No.2 and 3, we are inclined to permit the petitioner – institution to rectify all the deficiencies as pointed out by the authorities.

8. In the circumstances, we accordingly permit the petitioner to rectify all such deficiencies pointed out by the authorities in respect of the petitioner – institution on or before 17th October,

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2026 peremptorily, failing which no further extension shall be granted in any manner whatsoever. In the event the petitioner complies all such deficiencies on or before 17th October, 2026, its prayer for grant of NOC may be considered and decision may be taken by the authorities, in accordance with law, on or before 27th October, 2026 positively.

9. With aforesaid observation and direction the writ petition is disposed of.

10. An urgent certified copy of this order be issued on proper application.

(B.P. Routray)
Judge

(Savitri Ratho)
Judge

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