



IN THE HIGH COURT OF ORISSA AT CUTTACK

W.P.(C) No.22739 of 2026

Santosh Kumar Swain & Ors.

..... Petitioners
Mr. K.K.Swain, Advocate

-versus-

State of Odisha and Ors.

..... Opposite Parties
Mr. G.Tripathy, AGA

CORAM:
SHRI JUSTICE B. P. ROUTRAY
ORDER
23.07.2026

Order No.

01. 1. The matter is taken up through hybrid mode.
2. Heard Mr. Swain, learned counsel for the Petitioners and Mr. Tripathy, learned AGA for the State.
3. It is submitted on behalf of the Petitioners, who are the teaching and non-teaching staff of Shantidevi High School, K.Balang, Sundargarh, that they have claimed for release of their salary components as per Grant-in-Aid Order, 1994, which is similar to the case of the Appellant in FAO No.509 of 2014, which has been disposed of by a Co-ordinate Bench on 19th March 2025 and upheld by the Hon'ble Supreme Court.
4. It is further prayed on behalf of the Petitioners that their representation under Annexure-3 may be considered by the appropriate authority.



5. Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of at the stage of admission, without expressing any opinion on the merits of contentions of the petitioners, with a direction to the Director of Secondary Education, Odisha, Bhubaneswar (Opposite Party No.2) to consider the grievance of the Petitioners as per their representation at Annexure-3, in accordance with law, within a period of three months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order along with a copy of the writ petition.

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

(B.P. Routray)
Judge

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