

LEGAL_AWARENESS FROM 2020 REPRESENTATIONS FILED IN HON'BLE OHRC

REPRESENTATIONS FILED IN OHRC on various issues related to violation of Human Rights and Article 21 and cases pending with "issue notices" to various authorities.

- 1. Filed written complaint against Cuttack Municipal Commissioner, Collector Cuttack, DCP Cuttack, DGP Odisha for their inaction in the field of mushrooming of Mutton shops throughout Cuttack City and illegal and unauthorized cremation ghats on the bank of river Mahanadi within jurisdiction of Cantonment PS Cuttack-1.**

The Hon'ble OHRC has registered a case vide no 2160/2019 and the case is pending with "issue notice".

- 2. Filed written complaint related to carrying of a human dead body by Municipality garbage carrier of Dhenkanal from the premises of Dhenkanal Hospital as telecasted by OTV.**

Hon'ble OHRC has registered a case vide no 2288/2019 and the case is pending with "issue notice" and report of CDM & PHO, Dhekanal dated 24.01.2020 is countered by my email dated 09.04.2020 and 26.04.2020 and my counter-reply dated 09.05.2020 vide speed post EO545856321IN is pending.

The matter was also addressed to Hon'ble Governor Odisha and His Excellency was kind enough to refer it for needful action to the Commissioner cum Secretary to Government Department of Health and Family Welfare dated 17/10/2019 vide memo no P-1-14/2019 12455 SG (ptn) and diary no 2906/P dated 04/10/2019.

- 3. Filed written complaint to keep all the commissions both in state and centre a-political vide speed post dated 23.12.2019 and also it was addressed to Hon'ble Governor Odisha and Hon'ble Prime Minister India. Prime Minister's Office has registered the complaint with PMO ID No.:PMOPG/D/2019/0477961 dated 30/12/2019.**

The Hon'ble Governor has forwarded the grievance petition vide No: P-1-22/2019 359 SG(ptn) date 09/01/2020 and diary no 3627/P dated 27/12/2019 to the Principal Secretary to Government of Odisha, Department of Law, Bhubaneswar.

- 4. Filed a request petition to take suo motu cognizance in the matter of human rights violation of aged senior citizens belonging to Middle Income Group of Odisha state.**

The Hon'ble OHRC was pleased to take cognizance and registered it under case no 2925/2019 and issued notice to Commissioner cum Secretary to Government Social Security and Empowerment of persons with disabilities with a instruction to give prompt report with

suggestions to reach the commission by 20/01/2020 and the case was referred to a division bench on 20/01/2020.

The case is pending.

5. Filed written complaint on 12/02/2020 regarding violation of Article 21 in the matter of sand filling of approximate 400 acres of river Mahanadi in the heart of Cuttack city for making commercial plot by Odisha Government.

It was requested to hear the case without involvement of any political member/advocate being a member of the bench of OHRC in the interest of justice.

As it is highly political in nature and Government of Odisha is opposite party there should not be any political interference to avoid conflict of interest.

The matter is pending. It is pertinent to mention that under RTI it is received that no NOC or clearances has been provided to Odisha Government or its Government agencies for sand filling of river Mahanadi in heart of Cuttack for about 400 acres for commercial project.