

Letter No. 784 OSCPCR, Dt. 05.07.2024
OSCPCR- 91/2024

To

1. The Chairperson,
Child Welfare Committee,
Sundargarh.
2. The District Child Protection Officer,
Sundargarh.

Sub: OSCPCR Case No.91/2024.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the order passed on Dt.05.07.2024 of Commission in OSCPCR Case No.91/2024 for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully



Secretary, OSCPCR

Memo no. 785 /Dated 05.07.2024

Copy forwarded to the Collector & District Magistrate, Sundargarh for information and necessary action.



Secretary, OSCPCR

Memo no. 786 /Dated 05.07.2024

Copy forwarded to A.K Sharma, Advocate, Sector-6, Markat Nagar, Cuttack for information.



Secretary, OSCPCR

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Case No OSCPCR-91/2024

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(FIRST PAGE NOTE SHEET)

A.K Sharma
Advocate,
Sector-6, Markat Nagar,
Cuttack. } Complainant

Vs

1. Chairperson,
Child Welfare Committee,
Sundargarh. } Respondents
2. District Child Protection Officer,
Sundargarh. }

Odisha State Commission for Protection of Child Rights (OSCPCR) has been constituted under section 17 of the Commission for Protection of the Child Rights (CPCR) Act 2005. OSCPCR is mandated to act as a civil court to undertake suo-motu enquiry and look into the complaints relating to the violation and deprivation of child rights under section 13 (1) (j) of CPCR Act 2005.

The Commission is empowered to monitor the effective implementation of child related laws more specifically the three important enactments i.e. Right of children to free and compulsory Education (RCFCE) Act 2009, Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act 2012 and Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2015.

Taking cognizance of the complaint received from the complainant A.K. Sharma, Advocate, Sector-6, Market Nagar, Cuttack on dt.29.06.2024 (copy enclosed) the Commission desires to have an enquiry into the matter by the respondents with a fact finding team regarding allegation of the inadequate facilities at place of safety, Rourkela and to submit enquiry report / fact finding report before the Commission dt.20.07.2024.

Forward copy of this order along with copy of the complaint to all concerned.

Forward also a copy of the order to the Collector and District Magistrate, Sundargarh for information and necessary action.

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Rubi Biswal
Member, OSCPCR

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Complaint Petition

1 message

Advocate T.K.Dwibedi & Associates <advocatetkdwibedi@yahoo.com>
To: OSCPCR <oscpcr2012@gmail.com>, "oscpcr.od@nic.in" <oscpcr.od@nic.in>
Cc: Advocates' Chamber <advocateschamber@yahoo.com>

Sat, Jun 29, 2024 at 4:22 PM

To

Odisha State Commission for the Protection of Child Rights
Bhubaneswar, Odisha



Subject: Urgent Attention Required for Inadequate Facilities at the Place of Safety in Rourkela Place of Safety.

Sir,

I, Advocate A.K. Sharma a concerned citizen, hereby submit this complaint petition to bring to your attention the deplorable conditions prevailing at the Place of Safety in Rourkela. The situation is alarming and requires immediate intervention to safeguard the rights and well-being of the inmates as the under-mentioned facilities are not available in the place of safety.

1. Lack of Basic Facilities:

- There is **no Sick Room** available for inmates who require medical attention.
- The absence of a **library** deprives the inmates of educational and recreational resources.
- The superintendent has **no quarters**, affecting their ability to manage the facility effectively.
- The absence of a **counseling hall** hinders rehabilitation efforts.
- No **e-Mulakat** facility ever provided for the lawyers and family members
- Many Children are implicated in false cases
- Many Children are denied bail violating the provision of the JJ act 2015.

2. Inadequate Sanitation Facilities:

- There is **no bathroom** for staff members, including female staff.
- The lack of proper sanitation facilities compromises hygiene and health.
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3. Impact on Inmates:

- Three inmates have already become **fugitives** due to the substandard conditions.
- Children from respectable families are **interacting with antisocial peers**, jeopardizing their safety and well-being.
- The inadequate environment has **disrupted their education**, hindering their prospects.
- Many children have relinquished their studies due to the lack of facilities for study in the Place of Safety.

Request for Immediate Action:

1. Facility Upgradation:

- Urgently allocate resources to establish a **Sick Room**, a **library**, and proper **quarters for the superintendent**.
- Create a dedicated **counseling hall** for rehabilitation and support services.
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2. Sanitation Facilities:

- Construct **bathrooms** for staff members to maintain hygiene and dignity.
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3. Inquiry and Accountability:

- Investigate the circumstances that led to the escape of three inmates.
- Hold accountable those responsible for the inadequate conditions.
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Additional Information:

- There is a direction of the Bombay High Court to provide library and sufficient books in the library
- Please treat this matter with utmost urgency, considering the rights and safety of the inmates. I trust that the Odisha Human Rights Commission will take the necessary steps to rectify the situation and ensure a humane environment at the Place of Safety.
- Instead of taking action against the violation of Child Rights the OSCPCR is calling them a guest in their function as the tainted IPS Arun Bothra was invited as a guest even if he violated the child rights by falsely implicating the CCL in the Nayagarh Pari Case.

Declaration:

I confirm that the information provided in this complaint petition is true to my knowledge and belief.

Date: 29-06-2024

Place: Cuttack

Signature of Complainant:

Grand Kum of Sharma.

Adv. A. K. Sharma



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