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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)

Case No. : WP(C)/1118/2026

HEM CHANDRA SARMA AND ANR
SON OF LATE BRAJA NATH SARMA, RESIDENT OF HOUSE NO.263, MALAY
NAGAR, PWD CHOWK, NEAR AEC CAMPUS, P.O AND P.S.- JALUKBARI,
GUWAHATI-781013, DISTRICT- KAMRUP (M), ASSAM.

2: DIPANKAR SARMA
SON OF SRI HEM CHANDRA
SARMA
RESIDENT OF HOUSE NO. 263
MALAY NAGAR
PWD CHOWK
NEAR AEC CAMPUS
P.O AND P.S.- JALUKBARI
GUWAHATI- 781013
DISTRICT-KAMRUP (M)
ASSAM

VERSUS

THE UNION OF INDIA AND 6 ORS
REPRESENTED BY SECRETARY, GOVT. OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT, SHASTRI BHAWAN, C-WING, DR.
RAJENDRA PRASAD ROAD, NEW DELHI- 110011.

2:THE STATE OF ASSAM
REPRESENTED BY SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE DISPUR
GUWAHATI-781006.

3:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY /PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
HEALTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI- 6.

4:THE JOINT DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES
OFFICE OF THE JOINT DIRECTOR HEALTH SERVICES
CHATPUKHURI
UZANBAZAR
GUWAHATI
KAMRUP M.

5:ASSAM STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY
ADJACENT TO GAUHATI HIGH COURT NEW BUILDING
GUWAHATI- 781001.

6:THE CHAIRMAN
DISTRICT LEVEL COMMITTEE CUM JOINT DIRECTOR
HEALTH SERVICES
CHATPUKHURI
UZANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-01
KAMRUP (M)
ASSAM.

7:PURABI SARMAH
WIFE OF SHRI. DIPANKAR SARMA DAUGHTER OF SACHIN SARMAH
RESIDENT OF PACHARIA
BARHMONTOL
NEAR KALI MANDIR
P.O.- PACHARIA
P.S.- HAJO
PIN- 781104
DISTRICT- KAMRUP (M)
ASSAM
PH. NO.- 9957977320

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR S P DAS, MR. ANGSHUMAN DEKA,MS C BORA,MS. S
BAISHYA

Advocate for the Respondent : DY.S.G.I., MS. S BHUYAN(R7),MS. C SHARMA(R7),SC, HEALTH
AND F W,GA, ASSAM

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE ANJAN MONI KALITA**

ORDER

01.04.2026

- 1.** Heard Mr. S.P. Das, learned counsel for the petitioners. Also heard Ms. S. Bhuyan, learned counsel for respondent no.7; Ms. S. Sarma, learned standing counsel, Health Department; Mr. N. Das, learned counsel for respondent no.2 and Mr. R. Das, learned counsel for respondent no.5.
- 2.** Ms. S. Sarma, learned standing counsel, Health Department submits that she has received certain instructions and would like to bring those instructions by way of an affidavit. Therefore, prays for some time.
- 3.** Mr. S.P. Das, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that he has to implead the Deputy Commissioner in the instant case and would be filing an interlocutory application. Therefore, he also seeks some time.
- 4.** Prayer is allowed.
- 5.** Ms. S. Bhuyan, learned counsel for respondent no.7 submits that there may be a possibility of settling the issue by way of mediation, to which the learned counsel for the petitioners submits that there is no scope for mediation in the matter. However, the learned counsel for the petitioners submits that he will take instructions on the next date about the possibility of resolving the matter by mediation in the instant case.

- 6.** Interim order passed earlier shall continue till the next date of listing.
- 7.** Let the matter be listed after the ensuing bihu vacation.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant