

GAHC010023362023



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

**Case No. : WP(C)/609/2023**

SMITA BARUA DEKA  
W/O MOON DEKA,  
VILL.- BETONIJHAR, GOROIMARI, TEZPUR,  
DIST.- SONITPUR, ASSAM, PIN- 784104.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 5 ORS.  
REP. BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM,  
EDUCATION (HIGHER) DEPTT., DISPUR, GUWAHATI- 781006.

2:THE DIRECTOR HIGHER EDUCATION  
ASSAM  
KAHILIPARA  
GUWAHATI- 781019.

3:THE GOVERNING BODY OF TEZPUR LAW COLLEGE  
TEZPUR  
REP. BY ITS PRESIDENT TEZPUR  
DIST.- SONITPUR  
ASSAM  
PIN- 784001.

4:THE GUWAHATI UNIVERSITY  
REP. BY ITS REGISTER  
GUWAHATI UNIVERSITY  
GUWAHATI  
KAMRUP (M)  
ASSAM.

5:JOY SHANKAR HAZARIKA  
PRESIDENT

GOVERNING BODY OF TEZPUR LAW COLLEGE  
TEZPUR  
SONITPUR  
ASSAM

**Advocate for the Petitioner** : MR D K DAS

**Advocate for the Respondent** : SC, HIGHER EDU

**BEFORE**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEVASHIS BARUAH**

10.05.2023

Heard Mr. D. K. Das, the learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. K. Gogoi, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent Nos.1 & 2. Also heard Mr. U. K. Nair, the learned senior counsel assisted by Mr. N. Newme, the learned counsel appealing on behalf of the respondent No.3; Mr. M. P. Sarma, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent No.4 as well as Ms. S. Sarma, the learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent No.5.

2. This Court upon hearing the matter has raised certain queries pertaining to the Gauhati University Statutes as well as the Gauhati University Regulations which have been mentioned at Sl. Nos.8 & 11 of the Rules and Regulations of Tezpur Law College Society. This Court has also enquired as regards the records which led to the Governing Body take the decision for the issuance of the order of suspension of the petitioner.

3. Mr. U. K. Nair, the learned senior counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent No.3 submits that he shall produce the Gauhati University

Statues as well as the Gauhati University Regulations and shall also produce the records on the next date which led to the resolution issued by the Governing Body to suspend the petitioner.

4. Mr. D. K. Das, the learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the instant writ petition is connected with WP(C) No.292/2023.

5. Taking into account the same, list the matter again on **15.05.2023** along with WP(C) No.292/2023 at 2:00 PM.

**JUDGE**

**Comparing Assistant**