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

Case No. : WP(C)/1102/2021

SIMANTA SAIKIA AND 14 ORS
S/O. SRI UMESWAR SAIKIA, R/O. ABHAYPURIA, P.O. BHAKTIDUAR, P.S.
JENGRAIMUKH, MAJULI, DIST. MAJULI, PIN-785105.

2: MANUJ BORUAH
S/O. BHUDHAR BORUAH
VILL. ABHAIPURIA
P.O. BHAKATIDUAR
P.S. JENGRAIMUKH
JORHAT
DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785001.

3: RAMEN BORA
S/O. LT. GANGARAM BORA
R/O. POHUMORA GAON
P.O. RANGACHAHI NIKINIKHOWA
MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
ASSAM
PIN-785001.

4: POBITRA SAIKIA
S/O. LT. RAM SAIKIA
R/O. DAKHINPAT
NAWSHALIA GAON
P.O. DAKHINPAT
PIN-785104
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ASSAM.

5: DULAL DUTTA
S/O. LT. RAM CHANDRA DUTTA
R/O. BENGENNATI

P.O. BENGENATI
PIN-785104.

6: PUTUL SAIKIA
S/O. SRI TANKESWAR SAIKIA
R/O. BEZ GAON
P.O. PIN-785104
DIST. MAJULI
ASSAM.

7: JOGEN KALITA
S/O. SRI DULAL KALITA
R/O. CINATOLI
P.O. GAYAN GAON
PIN-DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785001.

8: MRIDUL PEGU
S/O. SRI BIJOY PEGU
VILL. JENGERI BALI CHAPORI
P.O. JENGERAI CHAPORI
P.S. JENGERAI MUKH
MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785105.

9: DIGANTA PAYENG

S/O. SRI PADMESWAR PAYENG
VILL. CHITADARCHUK
P.O. CHITADARCHUK
P.S. GARAMUR
MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785001.

10: SUSEN DOLAKASHARIA
S/O. SRI MANIK DOLAKASHARIA VILL. BONGAON
P.O. BONGAON MAJULI
P.S. KAMALABARI
MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785110.

11: PORESH RAJKHOWA
S/O. NOBIN RAJKHOWA
VILL. KAMAR GUWAL GAON
P.O. POTIYA

MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785001.

12: KUSHAL KALITA
S/O. MAHESWAR KALITA
VILL. NIKINIKHOWA GAON
P.O. RANGACHAHI NIKINIKHOWA
P.S. JENGRAIMUKH
DIST. JORHAT
ASSAM
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13: PRANAB NAGARIA
S/O. LT. JOBA NAGARIA
VILL. KAMAR GAON
P.S. KAMALABARI
DIST. JORHAT
ASSAM
PIN-785101
P.O. TATAYA.

14: MUKUL KAMAN
S/O. SRI HEMKANTA KAMAN
VILL. CHITADAR CHUK
P.O. CHITADA CHUK
P.S. GARAMUR
MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
PIN-785104.

15: JOGANATH DOLEY

S/O. LT. MONIBOR DOLEY
VILL. MALAPINDHA
P.O. GUWAL GAON
P.S. GARAMUR
MAJULI
DIST. JORHAT
ASSAM
PIN-785001

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 6 ORS
REP. BY ITS COMM. AND SECY. TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM POWER
DISTRIBUTION COMPANY LTD. DISPUR, GUWAHATI-06.

2:THE ASSAM POWER DISTRIBUTION COMPANY LTD.
REP. BY ITS CHAIRMAN BIJULI BHAWAN
PALTANBAZAR
GHY.-01.

3:THE CHIEF GENERAL MANAGER

(D AND S) UAR
APDCL
BIJULEE BHWAN
PLATANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-01.

4:THE MANAGING DIRECTOR APDCL

GUWAHATI
BIJULI BHWAN
PLATANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-01.

5:THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

JORHAT ELECTRICAL CIRCLE
APDCL
JORHAT
ASSAM
PIN-

6:ASSTT. GENERAL MANAGER

JORHAT ELECTRICAL DIVISION NO.II
APDCL
JORHAT
ASSAM
PIN-

7:THE SUB-DIVISIONAL ENGINEER

MAJULI ELECTRICAL SUB-DIVISION GARMUR
MAJULI

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR B P BORAH, MR R S RONGHANG,MR P J DUTTA

Advocate for the Respondent : SC, APDCL,

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE KAUSHIK GOSWAMI**

ORDER

09.01.2026

Heard Mr. B P Borah, learned counsel for the petitioners. Also heard Mr. S P Sharma, learned Standing counsel, APDCL for the respondents.

Mr. S P Sharma, learned Standing counsel, APDCL has submitted that an affidavit-in-opposition has been filed yesterday, i.e., 08.01.2026. A copy of the same has also been received by Mr. B P Borah, learned counsel for the petitioners. However, the same is not available on record.

Registry to verify the same and place it on record.

Relist on **22.01.2026.**

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant