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

Case No. : WP(C)/1248/2026

BISWAJIT BRAHMA
SON OF LATE BINOD BRAHMA
RESIDENT OF WARD NO. 4, RUPNAGAR, P.O. AND DIST. KOKRAJHAR
(BTC), ASSAM, PIN-783370

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 2 ORS.
REPRESENTED BY THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
ASSAM, DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS, DISPUR,
GUWAHATI - 781006.

2:THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS AND HEAD OF
FOREST FORCE

ASSAM
ARANYA BHAWAN
PANJABARI
GUWAHATI-781037.

3:THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER

DHUBRI
FOREST DIVISION
DHUBRI
ASSAM

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR P SHARMAH, B BASUMATARY,MR R CHETRY

Advocate for the Respondent : SC, FOREST,

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MANISH CHOUDHURY**

ORDER

Date : 25.03.2026

Heard Mr. T. Sharma, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. R.R. Gogoi, learned Standing Counsel, Forest Department.

Today Mr. Gogoi, learned Standing Counsel, Forest Department has furnished the break-up of the outstanding dues of the petitioner to Mr. Sharma.

Mr. Gogoi has submitted that the petitioner submitted the application to surrender the Mining Contract Area on 01.08.2025. By that time, the periods for total 12 nos. of installments were over. The petitioner duly paid the dues till 10th installment. But the dues towards 11th installment and 12th installment were not deposited by the petitioner. The total amount for the 11th installment and 12th installment would come to Rs. 1,56,34,288/-.

On receipt of the break-up, Mr. Sharma, learned counsel for the petitioner has sought for a week's time to complete his instructions.

The prayer made by Mr. Sharma is allowed.

List the case on 02.04.2026.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant