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

Case No. : I.A.(Civil)/929/2026

SMTI GEETA KAKATT PATHAK
W/O SRI MRINAL KR. PATHAK, RESIDENT OF BARPETA AMBARIHATI,
WARD NO. 5, NEAR T.R.P. HALL, P.O- BARPETA, P.S- BARPETA, DISTRICT-
BARPETA, ASSAM

VERSUS

1: THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 3 ORS. REPRESENTED BY THE
COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM, GENERAL
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT, DISPUR, GUWAHATI-6

2: THE SELECTION BOARD FOR SELECTION OF CANDIDATES FOR THE
POST OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER IN THE OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT
COMMISSIONER BAJALI REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRMAN
COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM GENERAL
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT DISPUR GUWAHATI-6

3: THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
BAJALI P.O- PATHSALA DISTRICT- BAJALI

4: RUPAM THAKURIA
SR. ASSISTANT OFFICE OF DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
NALBARI P.O AND DISTRICT- NALBARI ASSAM

For the Applicant/Appellant(s)

: Mr. P.K. Roychoudhury, Advocate.

For the Respondent(s)

**: Mr. A. Phukan, Standing Counsel, General
Administration Department for respondent Nos.1 & 2.**

**: Mrs. S. Sarma, Junior Government Advocate, Assam for
respondent No.3.**

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HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. ASHUTOSH KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN DEV CHOUDHURY

31.03.2026

(Ashutosh Kumar, CJ)

This Interlocutory Application has been filed by the applicant/appellant seeking condonation of the delay of 44 days in preferring the connected writ appeal against the common judgment dated 02.12.2025 passed by a learned Single Judge of this Court in WP(C) No.6583 of 2024 and WP(C) No.1338 of 2024.

We have heard Mr. P.K. Roychoudhury, learned Advocate for the applicant/appellant.

Issue notice to the respondents.

Mr. A. Phukan, learned Standing Counsel, General Administration Department, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent Nos.1 & 2 and Mrs. S. Sarma, learned Junior Government Advocate, Assam, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent No.3.

Let notice be issued to the respondent No.4 on steps being taken by the applicant/appellant within a period of 2(two) weeks by both modes, i.e. by Speed Post as well as by usual process, returnable on

10.06.2026.

JUDGE

CHIEF JUSTICE

Comparing Assistant