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

**Case No. : WP(C)/1551/2024**

NAZMUL HOQUE  
SON OF LATE AHED ALI @ AHAD ALI (F)  
AND LATE PADU BEGUM @ PADO BEGUM (M),  
RESIDENT OF VILLAGE- GHILAKURI,  
P.O.- BARAMPUR,  
DIST.- DARRANG, (ASSAM),  
PIN- 784144.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 6 ORS  
REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT.  
OF ASSAM,  
PANCHAYAT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, ASSAM, DISPUR,  
GUWAHATI-6.

2:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM  
PENSION AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES DEPARTMENT  
DISPUR  
GUWAHATI-6.

3:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT  
ASSAM  
DISPUR  
GUWAHATI-6.

4:THE COMMISSIONER  
PANCHAYAT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT  
ASSAM  
PANJABARI  
JURIPAR

GUWAHATI-37.

5:THE DIRECTOR OF PENSION  
ASSAM  
HOUSEFED COMPLEX  
DISPUR

GUWAHATI-6.

6:THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
DARRANG ZILLA PARISHAD  
MANGALDAI

DIST.- DARRANG  
ASSAM

PIN- 78412

7:THE TREASURY OFFICER  
MANGALDAI TREASURY  
MANGALDAI

DIST.- DARRANG  
ASSAM

PIN- 784125

**Advocate for the Petitioner** : MR. K R PATGIRI, MS. D. DEVI,MS K BARMAN,MS  
CHITRALEKHA DAS

**Advocate for the Respondent** : SC, P AND R.D., SC, FINANCE,GA, ASSAM

**BEFORE**

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN DEV CHOUDHURY**

ORDER

**20-03-2026**

1. Heard Mr. K. R. Patgiri, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. T. C. Chutia learned State counsel and Mr. A. K. Ghose, learned counsel

appearing on behalf of Mr. K. Konwar, learned Additional Advocate General, Assam for the respondents.

- 2.** The petitioner, son of the retired deceased government employee, namely, Ahed Ali @ Ahad Ali, has approached this Court claiming arrear of family pension due to the family of the deceased government employee.
- 3.** According to the petitioner, after the death of his father, no family pension was paid to the wife of the deceased government employee, i.e., the mother of the present petitioner. In the meantime, without having benefits of the family pension, the mother of the petitioner also expired.
- 4.** Referring to Annexure-11, a communication issued by the Finance & Accounts Officer, Directorate of Pension, Assam addressed to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Zilla Parishad, Darrang, Mr. Patgiri, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the family pension proposal was returned highlighting certain deficiencies with a request to submit a new pension proposal.
- 5.** Referring to paragraph No. 10 of the present writ petition, Mr. Patgiri, learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that based on such request, fresh pension proposal was forwarded to the Director of Pension, Assam by its communication dated 19.04.2018. However, till date, no arrear of family pension has been paid.
- 6.** The Director of Pension, Assam has not filed any affidavit till date, though this matter is pending since the year 2024.
- 7.** Mr. Chutia, learned State counsel representing the Director of Pension

seeks an adjournment to complete his instruction as to the status of such proposal stated to have been forwarded by the CEO, Zilla Parishad, Darrang on 19.04.2018.

- 8.** Prayer stands allowed.
- 9.** List this matter on **05.05.2026**, on which date, the Direct of Pension may file required affidavit and in absence thereof, provide proper instruction as to the status of payment of arrear family pension due to the family of the deceased government employee.

**JUDGE**

**Comparing Assistant**