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

Case No. : WP(C)/2669/2022

THE SONAPUR TEA CO. PVT. LTD.
A COMPANY REGD. UNDER THE COMPANY ACT, 1956, REP. BY SRI
SOURABH SARKAR, S/O. LT. K.P. SARKAR, R/O. SONAPUR TEA ESTATE,
HAVING ITS REGD. OFFICE AT 61B, PARK STREET, FLAT NO.2B, NEELAM
APARTMENT, KOLKATA, WEST BENGAL, PIN-700016 AND ITS LOCAL
OFFICE AT SONAPUR TEA ESTATE, NATIONAL HIGHWAY-37, VILL.
BARUAHBARI, P.O. SONAPUR, DIST. KAMRUP (M), PIN-782402, ASSAM.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 8 ORS.
REP. BY THE DEPUTY SECRETARY, REVENUE AND D.M. (LR), DEPTT. OF
LAND ACQUISITION BRANCH, GUWAHATI-06.

2:ASSAM POWER DISTRIBUTION CO. LTD. (APDCL)

REP. BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR
BIJULEE BHAWAN
PALTANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-781001.

3:THE CHAIRMAN

ASSAM POWER DISTRIBUTION CO. LTD. (APDCL)
BIJULEE BHAWAN
PALTANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-781001.

4:THE MANAGING DIRECTOR

ASSAM POWER DISTRIBUTION CO. LTD. (APDCL)
BIJULEE BHAWAN

PALTANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-781001.

5:THE CHIEF GENERAL MANAGER

GUWAHATI ZONE
ASSAM POWER DISTRIBUTION CO. LTD. (APDCL)
BIJULEE BHAWAN
PALTANBAZAR
GUWAHATI-781001.

6:GENERAL MANAGER

APDCL (LAR) SIX MILE
GUWAHATI-22
DIST. KAMRUP (M)
ASSAM.

7:THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER CUM COLLECTOR

KAMRUP (M)
GUWAHATI-781001.

8:THE LAND ACQUISITION OFFICER

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
KAMRUP (M)
LAND ACQUISITION BRANCH
GUWAHATI-781001.

9:THE CIRCLE OFFICER

SONAPUR REVENUE CIRCLE
P.O. SONAPUR
PIN-782402
DIST. KAMRUP (M)
ASSAM.

10:UNION OF INDIA

REPRESENTED BY MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
NEW DELHI

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR S N SARMA SENIOR ADVOCATE, MS. K M
TALUKDAR,MR. M KHATANIAR,MR. K KALITA,MR. M HUSSAIN,MS. C BASUMATARY

Advocate for the Respondent : GA, ASSAM, MRS. A GAYAN, SC, CGC,SC, APDCL,SC,
REVENUE

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MEDHI**

ORDER

25.06.2025

Heard Shri M. Khataniar, learned counsel for the petitioner. Also heard Shri B. Choudhury, learned counsel appearing for the APDCL.

Though affidavits have been exchanged between the petitioner and the APDCL, affidavit by the Central Government is yet to be filed. From the dispute involved, the stand of the Central Government would be important.

Ms. B. Rabha, learned counsel appearing on instructions of Ms. A. Gayan, learned Standing Counsel, CGC prays for and is granted 3 (three) weeks further time to file the affidavit-in-opposition.

List this matter after 3 (three) weeks.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant