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

Case No. : WP(C)/2313/2025

CHANDAN KUMAR BORA
SON OF MOHIRAM BORA, JNV DOLOCHUBA, MORIGAON, DIST-
MORIGAON, ASSAM, PIN-782105

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 4 ORS.
REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM, SECONDARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
DISPUR, GUWAHATI- 781006

2:SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
SECONDARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI- 781006

3:JOINT SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
SECONDARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI- 781006

4:ASSAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY JAYANAGAR
KHANAPARA
GUWAHATI- 781002

5:DEPUTY SECRETARY
ASSAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JAYANAGAR
KHANAPARA
GUWAHATI- 78100

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR G BAISHYA, K BANIK,MS. P DAS

Advocate for the Respondent : SC, SEC. EDU., SC, APSC

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE NELSON SAILO**

ORDER

25.06.2025

Heard Mr. G. Baishya, learned counsel for the petitioner. Also heard Ms. P. Das, learned Standing Counsel, Secondary Education Department and Mr. P.P. Dutta, learned Standing Counsel, Assam Public Service Commission (APSC).

Primary grievance projected by the petitioner is that in the post intended to be filled up i.e., seven (7) posts of Inspector of Schools/District Elementary Education Officer/Deputy Director under the Assam Education Service, no reservation has been made for the PWD category as can be seen from the Advertisement dated 13.02.2025 floated by the APSC. According to the petitioner, such reservation has not been made since the year 2017.

On the last Court date, the learned Standing Counsel for the Secondary Education Department had sought for some time since some process for making the reservation was being carried out. Today, Ms. P. Das, learned Standing Counsel, Secondary Education Department submits that some more time may be required since the file concerned has been endorsed to the Social Justice & Empowerment

Department on 11.06.2025. On receipt of approval from the said Department, communication will be made to the APSC regarding the reservation position. She therefore prays for atleast two (2) weeks time to get back to the Court with up-to-date instructions.

Mr. P.P. Dutta, learned Standing Counsel, APSC submits that as per the instructions received by him, the APSC will not be conducting the process of selection for the next one (1) month awaiting the communication from the State Government on the issue.

Considering the submissions made, let the matter be listed again on 21.07.2025. The Communication dated 24.06.2025 produced by Ms. P. Das, learned Standing Counsel shall be retained in the record and marked as 'X' for identification.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant