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

**Case No. : I.A.(Civil)/1814/2026**

1: THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 3 ORS. REPRESENTED BY THE  
COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM,  
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, SACHIVALAYA, DISPUR,  
GUWAHATI-781006, ASSAM

2: THE DIRECTOR OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION  
KAHILIPARA GUWAHATI-19 ASSAM

3: THE DISTRICT ELEMENTARY EDUCATION OFFICER  
DHEMAJI PIN- 787057 ASSAM

4: THE DY. INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS  
DHEMAJI DIST- DHEMAJI ASSAM

VERSUS

1: SMT. RINKUMANI CHUTIA AND 2 ORS.  
W/O LT. ANIL DUTTA, R/O GOBINDAPUR, PANIGAON,  
P.S.- MACHKHOWA, DIST- DHEMAJI, ASSAM

2:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM  
FINANCE DEPTT. SACHIVALAYA DISPUR GHY- 781006 ASSAM

3:THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A AND E)  
MOIDAMGAON BELTOLA GUWAHATI-19 ASSAM

**For the Applicant(s)** : Mr. N.J. Khataniar, Standing Counsel, Department of School  
Education.

**For the Respondent(s)** : Mr. R. Borpujari, Standing Counsel, Finance Department for  
proforma respondent No.2.  
: Mr. R. Boro, Standing Counsel, Accountant General for proforma  
respondent No.3.

**- B E F O R E -**  
**HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. ASHUTOSH KUMAR**  
**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN DEV CHOUDHURY**

**03.06.2026**

*(Ashutosh Kumar, CJ)*

This Interlocutory Application has been filed by the applicants/ appellants seeking condonation of the delay of 788 days in preferring the connected writ appeal against the judgment dated 08.01.2024 passed by a learned Single Judge of this Court in WP(C) No.1726/2017.

We have heard Mr. N.J. Khataniar, learned Standing Counsel, Department of School Education for the applicants/appellants.

Let notice be issued to the respondent No.1, on steps being taken by the applicants/appellants within a period of 2(two) weeks by both modes, i.e. by Speed Post as well as by usual process, returnable on **14.08.2026**.

**JUDGE**

**CHIEF JUSTICE**

**Comparing Assistant**