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

Case No. : WA/138/2023

SUNITA KHARIKAP
D/O. LATE SUNIL KHARIKAP, R/O. BARDALONG, P.O. KHARIKHANA, P.S.
LANKA, DIST. HOJAI,

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND ORS.
REP. BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM,
EDUCATION (HIGHER) DEPTT., DISPUR, GUWAHATI- 6.

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TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM
EDUCATION (HIGHER) DEPTT.
DISPUR
GHY.

3:THE UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
REP. BY DIRECTOR
BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR NARG
NEW DELHI

4:THE DIRECTOR OF HIGHER EDUCATION ASSAM
KAHILIPARA
GUWAHATI

5:THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR
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KAHILIPARA
GUWAHATI

6:THE GOVERNING BODY
REP. BY THE PRESIDENT OF GOVERNING BODY

JHANJI HEMNATH SARMA COLLEGE
JHANJI
DIST. SIVASAGAR
ASSAM

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REP. BY ITS CHAIRMAN/PRESIDENT/MEMBERS OF THE SELECTION
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9:PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
REP. BY DIRECTORATE OF DISTANCE EDUCATION
R. VENKATARAMAN NAGAR
KALPET
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HAZARIKA,A J KASHYAP

Advocate for the Respondent : SC, HIGHER EDU, R L CHUTIA (R-9),SC, U G C

Linked Case : I.A.(Civil)/1102/2023

BIND KR. CHOUHAN
S/O SRI RAM BADAN CHOUHAN
R/O VILL- 4 NO. NAWAIBIL
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PONDICHERRY - 605014.

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Linked Case : I.A.(Civil)/1110/2021

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EAST SIKKIM

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MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT
SHASTRI BHAVAN
NEW DELHI
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Linked Case : I.A.(Civil)/1104/2023

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HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE LANUSUNGKUM JAMIR
HONOURABLE MRS. JUSTICE YARENJUNGLA LONGKUMER

ORDER

Date : 19.02.2025
(LANUSUNGKUM JAMIR, J)

On request made on behalf of Mr. R. B. Phookan, learned counsel for the appellant in WA/138/2023 & WA/136/2023, list this matter on 03.03.2025.

Mr. A. Sarma, learned Standing Counsel appears for the UGC, Mr. R. L. Chutia, learned counsel appears for the respondent No. 8 in WA/138/2023 and Mr. M. Das, learned counsel appears for the appellant in WA/154/2021.

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Comparing Assistant