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

Case No. : WP(C)/3805/2025

ALIM UDDIN TAPADAR
S/O SAMSUL ALAM TAPADAR, R/O VILL. DHOLAI MOLAI PART V, P.O.
DHOLAI MOLAI, DIST. HAILAKANDI, ASSAM, PIN 788161

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 5 ORS
TO BE REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECY. TO THE GOVT.
OF ASSAM, PANCHAYAT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT, PANJABARI,
JURIPAR, GUWAHATI 781037

2:THE ASSAM STATE ELECTION COMMISSION

REPRESENTED BY ITS CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER
HOUSEFED COMPLEX
BELTOLA BASISTHA ROAD
DISPUR
GUWAHATI 781006

3:THE DIST. COMMISSIONER

HAILAKANDI
P.O. HAILAKANDI
DIST. HAILAKANDI
ASSAM
PIN 788151

4:THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

HAILAKANDI ZILLA PARISHAD
P.O. AND DIST. HAILAKANDI
PIN 788151

5:THE BLOCK DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

LALA DEVELOPMENT BLOCK
P.O. LALA
DIST. HAILAKANDI
PIN 788163

6:RAFIYA BEGUM

W/O KOYES AHMED
R/O VILL. DHOLAI MOLAI PART V
P.O. DHOLAI MOLAI
DIST. HAILAKANDI
PIN 78816

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. A R TALUKDAR,

Advocate for the Respondent : GA, ASSAM, SC, P AND R.D.,SC, A S E C

BEFORE
DEPUTY REGISTRAR (BENCH) - MR. SAPTARSHI DAS

ORDER

Date : 19.03.2026

Case taken up before the Lawazima Court.

None appears on behalf of the petitioner.

Perused the records.

A careful perusal of the instant case record reveals that the Hon'ble Court vide its order dated 14.07.2025 had directed the petitioner to take fresh steps for service of notice upon the No. 7 by way of registered post with A/D.

However, vide the office note dated 09.02.2026, the concerned section has highlighted the fact that there are in total 6 (six) number of respondents in the instant petition. The concerned section has observed that, while indexing the respondents, serial number 4 (four) has been skipped, which led to the erroneous indexing of the respondents. The details of the erroneous indexing of the respondents, as observed from the Cause Title, are enumerated below:—

- 1. The State of Assam to be represented by the Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Assam,**
- 2. The Assam State Election Commission represented by its Chief Electoral Officer,**
- 3. The District Commissioner, Hailakandi,**
- 5. The Chief Executive Officer, Hailakandi Zilla Parishad,**
- 6. The Block Development Officer, Lala Development Block,**
- 7. Rafiya Begum.**

From the above, it appears that the petitioner, while indexing the respondents, has somehow skipped the serial No. 4 (four), which led to the indexing of the last respondent as respondent No. 7.

In view of the observations made above, **this Lawazima Court is of the view that the Cause Title of the instant petition may be required to be amended in order to reflect the correct indexing of the respondents.**

Pursuant to the above, the matter is laid before the Hon'ble Court for necessary orders.

Deputy Registrar (Bench)

Comparing Assistant