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

Case No. : WP(C)/4036/2025

COSSIPORE TEA COMPANY PVT LTD
A COMPANY INCORPORATED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE
COMPANIES ACT, 1956 HAVING ITS REGISTERED OFFICE AT FMC
FORTUNA UNIT-A-4, THIRD FLOOR, 234/3A, AJC BOSE ROAD, KOLKATA,
700020, REPRESENTED BY MR. RAMESH KUMAR PODDAR, SON OF DR.
MOTILAL PODDAR, PRESENTLY RESIDING AT ANIL PLAZA, AND 2ND
FLOOR, G.S. ROAD, GUWAHATI-05, ASSAM

VERSUS

THE UNION OF INDIA AND 4 ORS.
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
MINISTRY OF ROAD, TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS, NEW DELHI.

2:THE NATIONAL HIGHWAYS AND INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION LTD
HAVING ITS REGIONAL OFFICE AT GUWAHATI
2ND FLOOR AGNISHANTI BUSINESS PARK
OPPOSITE AGP OFFICE
GNB ROAD
AMBARI
GUWAHATI
ASSAM
781001

3:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECREATRY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM
REVENUE DEPARTMENT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI-781006

4:THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
CACHAR DISTRICT
SILCHAR

5:THE CO DISTRICT COMMISSIONER COMPETEMNT AUTHORITY OF
LAND ACQUISITION (CALA) CACHAR
DIST. CACHAR
ASSAM

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. K N CHOUDHURY, MR SOHAING,MR. J KALITA

Advocate for the Respondent : SC, NHAI, SC, REVENUE,GA, ASSAM

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MANISH CHOUDHURY

ORDER

Date : 07.05.2026

Heard Mr. J. Kalita, learned counsel for the petitioner; Ms. Tinslung, learned counsel on behalf of Mr. R.K. Talukdar, learned Standing Counsel, NHIDCL for the respondent nos. 1 & 2; Ms. N. Bordoloi, learned Standing Counsel, Revenue Department for the respondent no. 3; and Mr. D. Goswami, learned Additional Advocate General, Assam assisted by Mr. P. Kakati, learned counsel for the respondent nos. 4 & 5.

Mr. Goswami, learned Additional Advocate General, Assam has submitted that the affidavit-in-opposition of the respondent nos. 4 & 5 has already been filed and the same is not on record. Similarly, Mr. Kalita, learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that an affidavit-in-reply to the said affidavit-in-opposition has also been filed and the same is not on record.

Registry to trace out the affidavit-in-opposition of the respondent nos. 4 & 5 and the affidavit-in-reply of the petitioner and thereafter, to tag the same with the case record.

List the case on 29.05.2026.

The learned counsel for the respondents shall make endeavour to place a copy of the original Award, which is stated to be rectified later on.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant