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

Case No. : WP(C)/4874/2025

SANKAR DAS AND ANR
S/O- ANIL DAS, VILL.- MAHAKAL, WARD NO. 3, P.S. BADARPUR, DIST.
SRIBHUMI, ASSAM

2: SAHID AHMED
S/O- TAJAMUL ALI
VILL.- MOHAKOL
P.S. BADARPUR
DIST. SRIBHUMI
ASSA

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 4 ORS
REPRESENTED BY THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM,
PANCHAYAT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT, DISPUR,
GUWAHATI-06.

2:THE ASSAM STATE ELECTION COMMISSION
REPRESENTED BY ITS SECRETARY
DISPUR
GUWAHATI-06.

3:THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER CUM DISTRICT RETURNING OFFICER
SRIBHUMI
P.O. KARIMGANJ
DIST. SRIBHUMI
ASSAM
PIN- 788710.

4:THE PRESIDENT
MAKAHAL GAON PANCHAYAT
VILL.- AND P.O. MAHAKAL
P.S. BADARPUR

DIST. SRIBHUMI
ASSAM

5:SMTI SUKRITI SUKLABAIDYA
W/O- SUBODH SUKLABAIDHYA
VILL. AND P.O. MAKAKAL
P.S. BADARPUR
DIST. SRIBHUMI
ASSA

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR H R CHOUDHURY, MS G TALUKDAR,Z HUSSAIN

Advocate for the Respondent : GA, ASSAM, SC, ASEC,SC, P AND R.D.

BEFORE
DEPUTY REGISTRAR (BENCH) - MR. SAPTARSHI DAS

ORDER

Date : 05.05.2026

Case taken up before the Lawazima Court.

None appears on behalf of the petitioners.

Perused the records.

Perusal of the instant case record reveals that the petitioners took fresh steps for issuance of notice to the respondent Nos. 4 & 5 through registered post with A/D on 10.09.2025.

However, notices could not be issued due to a shortage of requisite postal stamps and discrepancies in the addresses provided on the submitted envelopes. In view of the above, the previous Lawazima Court, vide its order dated 01.04.2026, directed the petitioners to approach the concerned section within 7 (seven) days to furnish the deficit postal stamps and correct the addresses.

Vide the same order, the concerned section was directed to convey these discrepancies to the petitioners or their learned counsel via phone/email. Consequently, the matter is listed before the Lawazima Court today with an office note dated 02.05.2026, stating that the section communicated these details to the petitioners' counsel on 02.04.2026.

Despite this, the office note states that the learned counsel for the petitioners has not yet approached the section to rectify the postal deficit or the addresses. As such, notice could not be issued to respondent Nos. 4 & 5.

In view of the above, the petitioners are afforded further one week time to approach the concerned section and make the necessary corrections as prescribed by the order dated 01.04.2026.

Let the matter be listed before the Lawazima Court again on 29.05.2026.

Deputy Registrar (Bench)

Comparing Assistant