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

Case No. : WP(C)/5104/2025

SANTANU RAJKUMAR
S/O LATE BHUPEN RAJKUMAR, R/O.- M.G ROAD, NA-ALI WARD NO- 9,
JORHAT, ASSAM - 785001.

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 7 ORS
REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM, GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT,
DISPUR, GUWAHATI -6.

2:THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
JORHAT
DC OFFICE
JORHAT
PIN- 785001
ASSAM.

3:THE ADDITIONAL DISTRICT MAGISTRATE
JORHAT
JORHAT
PIN - 785001
ASSAM.

4:THE CIRCLE OFFICER
JORHAT EAST REVENUE CIRCLE
JORHAT
ASSAM - 785001.

5:RENU RAJKUMARI
W/O.- LATE AJAY RAJKUMAR
R/O.- NA-ALI WARD NO. 9

P.O. AND P.S. JORHAT ASSAM
PIN -785001.

6:MRS ANIMA RAJKUMARI
R/O NA-ALI WARD NO. 9
P.O. AND P.S. JORHAT ASSAM
PIN -785001.

7:KALPANA RAJKUMARI
D/O LATE GANESH RAJKUMAR R/O NA-ALI WARD NO. 9
P.O. AND P.S. JORHAT ASSAM
PIN - 785001.

8:ANJANA RAJKUMARI
D/O LATE GANESH RAJKUMAR
R/O NA-ALI WARD NO. 9
P.O. AND P.S. JORHAT ASSAM
PIN - 785001

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR B D DAS, MR H K SARMA,MR D KALITA,MR J LOTH

Advocate for the Respondent : GA, ASSAM, MS P SARMA (R5-R8),MR. A BORUA (R5-R8),MR.
P P DUTTA (R5-R8),MR. T J MAHANTA (R5-R8)

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MEDHI

ORDER

21.04.2026

Heard Shri B.D. Das, learned Senior Counsel assisted by Shri J. Lotha, learned counsel for the petitioner.

Also heard Shri B.J. Talukdar, learned Addl. Senior Government Advocate, Assam assisted by Shri Medhi, the learned counsel. Shri T.J. Mahanta, learned Senior Counsel assisted by Shri T. Gogoi, learned counsel appears for the respondent nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Though pleadings have been completed and the matter has come up for admission hearing, considering that the dispute is one amongst the family members,

that too pertaining to a pathway, this Court is of the opinion that an attempt be made for resolution of the dispute through mediation.

This Court accordingly directs the Registry to transmit the relevant records to the Court of the learned District Judge, Jorhat who would appoint a mediator so that an attempt be made to resolve the issue.

Since the parties are already before this Court, let the first sitting of the mediation be done on 11.05.2026 whereafter the mediator could take charge of the proceedings.

Let a preliminary report be submitted to this Court through the Registry and the matter be listed for consideration on 08.06.2026 depending on which further orders would be passed by this Court.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant