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

**Case No. : WP(C)/7566/2022**

LAL BHADUR CHOUHAN  
S/O SHRI SEW KARAN CHOUHAN, R/O DIPHU TOWN, MOUZA-  
JAMUNAPAR, P.O. AND P.S.-DIPHU, DIST- KARBI ANGLONG, ASSAM

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 5 ORS  
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM, REVENUE  
DEPARTMENT, DISPUR, GUWAHATI-6

2:THE NORTH EAST FRONTIER RAILWAY  
REPRESENTED BY ESTATE OFFICER  
N.F. RAILWAY  
LUMDING  
DIST- NAGAON  
ASSAM

3:THE GENERAL MANAGER  
N.F. RAILWAY  
MALIGAON  
P.O. AND P.S.-MALIGAON  
DIST- KAMRUP  
ASSAM

4:THE ESTATE OFFICER  
NF RAILWAY  
LUMDING  
P.O.-LUMDING  
DIST- KARBI ANGLONG

5:THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER  
KARBI ANGLONG  
P.O.-DIPHU  
DIST- KARBI ANGLONG  
ASSAM

6:THE UNION OF INDIA  
REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY TO THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAY  
DEPARTMENT  
NEW DELH

**Advocate for the Petitioner** : MR. A R SIKDAR, M M ZAMAN,MD A ALI,D. HUSSAIN

**Advocate for the Respondent** : SC, REVENUE, GA, ASSAM,DY.S.G.I.

**BEFORE**  
**HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MANISH CHOUDHURY**

**ORDER**

**Date : 21.03.2025**

Heard Mr. A.R. Sikdar, learned counsel for the petitioner; Ms. P.R. Mahanta, learned Standing Counsel, Revenue Department for the respondent no. 1; and Mr. H. Sarma, learned Additional Senior Government Advocate, Assam for the respondent no. 5.

None has appeared for the respondent NF Railway authorities, that is, for the respondent nos. 2, 3, 4 & 6 today on call.

No affidavit-in-opposition has been filed on behalf of the respondent NF Railway authorities despite prayer made for time for filing of affidavit-in-opposition on 14.12.2022 and 29.04.2024, whereas, an interim order is operating in this case since 25.11.2022.

In the above view of the matter, the Court deems it proper to request for appearance of Mr. R.K. Deb Choudhury, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India.

List the case on 28.03.2025 reflecting the name of Mr. R.K. Deb Choudhury, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India in the respondents' side in the Cause-List.

The interim order passed earlier shall continue till the next date of listing.

**JUDGE**

**Comparing Assistant**