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

Case No. : WP(C)/6425/2025

ANIKTA TAHMINA LASKAR AND 3 ORS
W/O- SAJUL ISLAM CHOUDHURY, R/O- VILL.- NIZVERNERPUR PT-II, P.O.
VERNERPUR, P.S. LALA, DIST. HAILAKANDI, ASSAM

2: SAHIDA BEGAM TALUKDAR
W/O- SAYDUR RAHMAN LASKAR
R/O- VILL.- NIYAMATHPUR
P.O. TANTOO
P.S. LALA
DIST. HAILAKANDI
ASSAM

3: SUPIA BEGUM LASKAR
W/O- MARAJ UDDIN LASKAR
R/O- VILL.- VICHINGCHA PT-I
P.O. VICHINGCHA
P.S. LALA
DIST. HAILAKANDI
ASSAM

4: SURAIYA BEGUM BARBHUIYA
D/O- NOOR AHMED BARBHUIYA
R/O- VILL. AND P.O. UMEDNAGAR
P.S. LALA
DIST. HAILAKANDI
ASSA

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 4 ORS
REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY, GOVERNMENT
OF ASSAM, FOR WOMEN AND SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT, ASSAM,
DISPUR, GUWAHATI-06.

2:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECREATRY
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI-06.

3:THE DIRECTOR OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
ASSAM
UZAN BAZAR
GUWAHATI-01.

4:THE DISTRICT SOCIAL WELFARE OFFICER
HAILAKANDI
P.O. AND DIST. HAILAKANDI
ASSAM
PIN- 788151.

5:THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROJECT OFFICER
LALA ICDS PROJECT
HAILAKANDI-788163
ASSA

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. M KHAN, MR A K DAS,MS J AKTAR

Advocate for the Respondent : GA, ASSAM, SC, FINANCE

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. UNNI KRISHNAN NAIR

ORDER

Date : 21.01.2026

- 1.** Mr. J.K Goswami, learned Addl. Senior Government advocate has placed on record, the instructions dated 19.12.2025 received by him from the Director, Women and Child Development Department, Govt. of Assam.
- 2.** A perusal of the said instructions reveals that the select list published in pursuance to the selection for various posts of Anganwadi Helper and Anganwadi Worker in pursuance to the

advertisement dated 04.03.2024 was not approved by the Director by holding that the advertisement was so issued before completion of the rationalization of the various Anganwadi Centers under the project.

3. It has also been highlighted in the said communication that the Child Development Project Officer, Lala ICDS Project had issued a notification dated 30.11.2023 cancelling an earlier advertisement issued on 21.09.2023 with the further stipulation that the post involved, would be advertised after completion of the rationalization of the Anganwadi Centers of the project. In view of the contentions raised in the communication dated 19.12.2025, it is seen that the Director had not granted approval to the select list prepared by the jurisdictional Child Development Project Officer only on the ground that the rationalization process of the Anganwadi Centers involved was not completed.

4. The said aspect of the matter, now having come to the notice of the learned counsel for the petitioner, he shall consider the same and make his submissions, thereon, on the next date of listing.

5. Registry to list this matter again on **30.01.2026.**

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant