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

Case No. : WP(C)/173/2026

AGRI FIELD CARE AND ANR

A PROPRIETORSHIP FIRM, REPRESENTED BY ITS PROPRIETOR, ATIQUEL KHAN, AGED ABOUT- 51 YEARS, HAVING ITS REGISTERED OFFICE AT SANTIPUR, POST OFFICE- BHARALUMUKH, POLICE STATION- BHARALUMUKH, GUWAHATI -781009, DISTRICT- KAMRUP (M), ASSAM.

2: ATIQUEL KHAN
S/O LATE NAZRUL ISLAM
R/O HOUSE NO. 45
D.C. TALUKDAR LANE
SANTIPUR
P.O. AND P.S.- BHARALUMUKH
GUWAHATI-781009
DIST- KAMRUP (M)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 8 ORS.
REPRESENTED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM, AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT, DISPUR, GUWAHATI - 781006.

2:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI-781006

3:THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
ASSAM
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTORATE OF AGRICULTURE
KHANAPARA
GUWAHATI-781022

4:THE ASSAM SEEDS CORPORATION LTD.

REPRESENTED BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR
KHANAPARA
GUWAHATI-781022

5:THE MARKETING MAANAGER
ASSAM SEEDS CORPORATION
KHANAPARA
GUWAHATI-781022

6:THE DISTRICT AGRICULTURE OFFICER
UDALGURI
DISTRICT AGRICULTURE OFFICE
UDALGURI
ASSAM

7:THE DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL OFFICER
NALBARI
DISTRICT AGRICULTURE OFFICE
NALBARI
ASSAM

8:THE BRANCH MANAGER
ASSAM SEEDS CORPORATION LTD.
NALBARI
DIST- NALBARI
ASSAM

9:THE BRANCH MANAGER
ASSAM SEEDS CORPORATION LTD.
UDLAGURI
DIST- UDALGURI
ASSA

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR. N N B CHOUDHURY, MR. K KASHYAP

Advocate for the Respondent : SC, AGRI. DEPARTMENT, SC, A S C, SC, FINANCE

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR MEDHI

ORDER

28.01.2026

Shri N.N.B. Choudhury, learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that to support his claim for release of contractual dues, the petitioner has applied for some

documents under the RTI on 21.01.2026.

The aforesaid recourse should have been taken prior to institution of the writ petition as there is a requirement to have an acknowledgment of the liability by the Head of the Department / Chief Engineer as laid down by the Hon'ble Full Bench of this Court in the case of ***Tamsher Ali & Ors. Vs. State of Assam & Ors.***, reported in **2008 (4) GLT 1**.

Be that as it may, in the interest of justice, 4 weeks' further time is given to the petitioners to obtain such documents, if any, and place the same before this Court.

Shri S. Chamaria, learned Standing Counsel, Seeds Corporation of India and Ms. G. Bora, learned Standing Counsel, Agriculture Department are present.

List it on 13.03.2026.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant