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

Case No. : WP(C)/199/2025

SHRI C. TENTSHO
S/O LATE CHINGMEI PHOM, HUKPHANG VILLAGE, DIST-
LONGLENG, NAGALAND

VERSUS

STATE OF NAGALAND AND 3 ORS
REPRESENTED BY THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF
NAGALAND

2:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
NAGALAND KOHIMA

3:THE PRINCIPAL DIRECTOR
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
NAGALAND KOHIMA

4:THE MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT
DISTRICT HOSPITAL
LONGLENG NAGALAN

Advocate for the Petitioner : LAKNYEI PHOM, KETI IMCHEN,VIKEHIENUO
VIMERHA,ASENLA S LKR,AKUM JAMIR,REBECCA,KIM PIENYU

Advocate for the Respondent : GOVT ADV NL,

BEFORE:
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE YARENJUNGLA LONGKUMER
O R D E R

07.10.2025

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner, Mr. Laknyei Phom.

2. The case of the petitioner is that the petitioner's father had died in harness on 27.03.2025 while rendering service as MTS under the establishment of the Medical Superintendent, District Hospital, Longleng leaving behind the petitioner's mother along with his four siblings, among which the petitioner is the eldest. Upon the demise of his father the petitioner submitted a representation praying for appointment on compassionate ground under the Office Memorandum No. AR-8/8/78 dated 17.09.2015. The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that according to the list compiled by the Department for compassionate appointment, his name appears at serial no. 3 under the Longleng Division. However, according to the petitioner his name should have been at serial no. 2 as the person who is at serial no. 2 had submitted his application only on 12.06.2025, whereas the petitioner submitted his application on 21.04.2025. Moreover, the petitioner's father expired on 27.03.2025 whereas the father of the person at serial no. 2 expired on 09.05.2025. The petitioner has, therefore, approached this Court praying for compassionate appointment under the establishment of the Medical Superintendent, District Hospital, Longleng under the scheme of compassionate appointment. The petitioner has also prayed for placing him at serial no. 2 in the list as mentioned above.

3. Issue notice to the respondents returnable within 3 (three) weeks. On

the next date the learned Government Advocate, Mr. Ajungli Sangtam shall obtain instructions and an endeavour shall be made to dispose of the matter on the next returnable date. The learned counsel for the petitioner shall supply extra copies of the writ petition to the learned Government Advocate during the course of the day.

4. List after 3 (three) weeks.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant