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

Case No. : WA/53/2025

SMTI. KHUMDIBILA SANGTAM
D/O SHRI MUTHINGNYUBA SANGTAM, CHIMONGER VILLAGE, R/O LOWER
BAYAVU, KOHIMA, NAGALAND. P.NO. 8132878778

VERSUS

STATE OF NAGALAND AND 13 ORS
REPRESENTED BY THE CHIEF SECRETARY, GOVT. OF NAGALAND. 2:THE
COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY

PERSONNEL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS
NAGALAND
KOHIMA.

3:THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION
NAGALAND
KOHIMA.

4:THE DIRECTOR

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
NAGALAND
KOHIMA.

5:SHRI NYONTHUNG NGULLY

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)
FAZL ALI COLLEGE
KOHIMA.

6:SHRI VANTHUNGO JAMI

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)

ZISAJI PRESIDENCY COLLEGE
KIPHIRE.

7:SMTI BACHU YHOSHU

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)

SAO CHANG COLLEGE
TUENSANG.

8:SMTI TSOTALU NAKRO

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)

PHEK GOVT. COLLEGE
PHEK.

9:MHASILHOUNYU THOMAS SOLO

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)

ZUNHEBOTO GOVT. COLLEGE
ZUNHEBOTO.

10:SMTI GRACE SEB

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

WANGKHAO GOVT. COLLEGE
MON.

11:DR. KENILO KATH

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)

MOUNT TIYI COLLEGE
WOKHA.

12:SHRI KILETO I. CHISHI

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)

ZUNHEBOTO GOVT. COLLEGE
ZUNHEBOTO.

13:SMTI NEISENUO APON RENGMA

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)
DIMAPUR GOVT. COLLEGE

14:DR. J. LIMAINLA AO

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (HISTORY)
FAZL ALI COLLEGE
KOHIMA

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ZHIMOMI, LOVIKATO SWU, KUPULI SWU

Advocate for the Respondent : GOVT ADV NL,

BEFORE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ROBIN PHUKAN
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BUDI HABUNG

ORDER

Date : 21.01.2026
(R. Phukan, J)

Heard Ms. Z. Zhimomi, learned counsel for the appellants. Also Ms. V. Suokhrie, learned Government Advocate for the respondent Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4; and Ms. Toshi Jamir, learned counsel for the respondent Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 14.

This intra-court appeal is directed against the judgment and order dated 12.11.2025, passed by the learned Single Judge, in WP(C) No. 191/2023.

It is to be noted here that vide impugned judgment and order dated 12.11.2025, the learned Single Judge had dismissed the writ petition.

Perused the memo of appeal and the grounds mentioned therein, and also perused the impugned judgment and order dated

12.11.2025.

Admit.

Let notice be issued to the respondents, returnable on 28.01.2026.

As the respondent Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 14 are being represented by their respective counsel, no formal notice is required to be issued to the said respondents. However, extra requisite copies of the memo of appeal be furnished to the learned counsel during the course of the day.

Steps be taken upon the respondent Nos. 5, 6 and 13 by way of speed post as well as by usual process within three working days from today.

List the matter on 28.01.2026.

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Comparing Assistant