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

Case No. : WP(C)/97/2024

Tao Dele and 45 Ors

S/o Late Kati Dele, permanent resident of New Elope Village, PO and PS Hunli,
Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh 2: Gochi Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Mita Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

3: Gosi Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Mita Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

4: Ege Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Late Gutti Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

5: Simbro Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Late Eyali Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

6: Lai Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Late Gutu Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

7: Haziti Dele

Age:

Occupation :

permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

8: Rao Dele

Age:

Occupation :

S/o Late Eyali Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

9: Rosai Dele

Age:

Occupation :

permanent resident of New Elope Village
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Arunachal Pradesh

10: Raj Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Late Rawuni Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

11: Yupi Dele

Age:

Occupation :

permanent resident of New Elope Village

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Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

12: Ayupa Dele

Age:

Occupation :

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

13: Ambroko Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Late Deto Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

14: Tipange Dele

Age:

Occupation :

D/o Late Deto Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

15: Mengo Dele

Age:

Occupation :

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

16: Rusi Dele

Age:

Occupation :

D/o Late Eyali Ele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

17: Mika Dele

Age:

Occupation :

S/o Late Eyali Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

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Arunachal Pradesh

18: Athuko Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Rao Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

19: Ashati Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Late Eyali Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

20: Andezo Dele

Age:

Occupation :

S/o Ashati Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

21: Gasome Dele

Age:

Occupation :

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

22: Hoja Dele

Age:
Occupation :
Son of Shri Gasome Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

23: Hangope Dele
Age:
Occupation :
D/o Shri Mkita Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

24: Akungu Mimi
Age:
Occupation :
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
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Arunachal Pradesh

25: Amuge Misu
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Dalu Misu
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

26: Gone Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Shri Mita Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
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27: Atapo Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Singre Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village

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Arunachal Pradesh

28: Ayelu Meto
Age:
Occupation :
H/o Late Padru Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
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29: Amita Umpo
Age:
Occupation :
permanent resident of Asali Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

30: Ruha Dele
Age:
Occupation :
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

31: Aman Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Guti Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

32: Dota Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Kati Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

33: Meta Dele

Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Natu Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

34: Wiko Dele
Age:
Occupation :
S/o Late Jaru Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

35: Takime Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Gopa Dele
permanent resident of Birnli Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

36: Jira Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Mengra dele
permanent resident of Birnli Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

37: Sahani Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Shri Atapo Dele
permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

38: Atho Dele
Age:
Occupation :
Son of Late Tenge Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village
PO and PS Hunli
Lower Dibang Valley District
Arunachal Pradesh

39: Akiju Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Ashati Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

40: Aprolo Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Atapo Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

41: Litu Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Rusal Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

42: Gaji Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Mengo Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

43: Lako Dele

Age:

Occupation :

Son of Shri Simbro Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

44: Mima Dele

Age:

Occupation :

D/o Late Guti Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

45: Mine Dele

Age:

Occupation :

D/o Tenge Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

46: Enda Dele

Age:

Occupation :

D/o Late Tenge Dele

permanent resident of New Elope Village

PO and PS Hunli

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh

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The Union of India and 8 Ors

represented by the Secretary, Ministry of Power, GOI, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi

Marg, New Delhi-1 2:The Secretary

Age: 0

Occupation :

Ministry of Environment

Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC)

GOI

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan

Jorbagh Road

New Delhi

3:The State of Arunachal Pradesh

Age: 0

Occupation :

represented by the Secretary (Power)

Govt of Arunachal Pradesh

Itanagar 791111

4:The Managing Director

Age: 0

Occupation :

National Hydroelectric Power Corporation Ltd

NHPC Office Complex

Sector 33

Faridabad

Haryana 121003

5:The Secretary

Age: 0

Occupation :

Department of Land Management

Govt of Arunachal Pradesh

Civil Secretariat

Itanagar 791111

6:The Director of Land Management

Age: 0

Occupation :

Govt of Arunachal Pradesh

Civil Secretariat

Itanagar

7:The Executive Director

Age: 0

Occupation :

NHPC Ltd

Roing

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh 792110

8:The General Manager DMP

Age: 0

Occupation :

NHPC Ltd

Roing

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh 792110

9:The Deputy Commisisoner

Age: 0

Occupation :

Roing

Lower Dibang Valley District

Arunachal Pradesh 79211

Advocate for the Petitioner : Sunil Mow, Tali Umbey, Aruna Rai, D Tatum, T Siga, Sonam Tsomo, Chanya Bangsia, k N Maling, S Mili, Madan Mili

Advocate for the Respondent : Marto Kato, Eddie Payeng, Kamal Saxena, I P K Tiwari, Sr. Advocate, Kamal Saxena, SC(Power), DSGI, Lissing Perme, GA (AP)

**BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BUDI HABUNG**

ORDER

Date : 08.05.2026

Heard Mr. Sunil Mow, learned counsel for the petitioners.

Mr. Kamal Saxena, learned counsel, appearing on behalf of respondent Nos. 4, 7 & 8, prays for further 4(four) weeks time to file the affidavit-in-opposition.

Prayer is accepted.

In view of the above and as sought for by Mr. Saxena, learned counsel for respondent Nos. 4, 7 & 8; as a last chance, further 4(four) weeks time is granted to him to file the affidavit-in-opposition in the matter.

List this matter after 4(four) weeks on a date to be fixed by the Registry.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant