

HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA
AT SHILLONG

Crl.Petrn. No. 2 of 2026

Date of order: 10.04.2026

Pynbaitlangki Pale vs The State of Meghalaya & ors

Coram:

Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Revati Mohite Dere, Chief Justice

Appearance:

For the Petitioner : Mr R. Lyngdoh, Adv. with
Mr Y. Diengdoh, Adv.
Mr H. Malang, Adv.

For the Respondents: Mr S. Sengupta, Addl PP with
Mr A.M. Pala, GA
Mr E. Laloo, Adv. [for R4]

Pursuant to the order dated 18th March, 2026, the respondent No. 4 appeared through VC.

Learned counsel for the respondent No. 4 seeks time to file respondent No. 4's affidavit, since this is a petition seeking the quashing of the FIR/POCSO proceeding with the consent of the respondent No. 4. Time granted.

In the meantime, the police of the Khliehriat Police Station to record the statement of the respondent No. 4 whether the contents in the petition are correct as stated i.e., whether the petitioner and the respondent No. 4 are living together as husband and wife and whether the respondent No. 4 has given

her 'no objection' to the quashing of the case. The said report to be submitted to this Court on the next date. The Officer to also verify whether the consent is an informed consent and is made voluntarily. The statement to also contain whether the respondent No. 4 and the children born from the said relationship have received any benefits from any scheme, either from the State Government or Central Government. The said report/statement of the respondent No. 4 to be placed before this Court on the next date.

Stand over to **5th May, 2026.**

(Revati Mohite Dere)
Chief Justice

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