



HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA
AT SHILLONG

PIL No.12/2026

Date of order: 11.08.2026

Registrar General,
High Court of Meghalaya

Vs.

State of Meghalaya & ors

Coram:

Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Revati Mohite Dere, Chief Justice
Hon'ble Mr. Justice W. Diengdoh, Judge

Appearance in:

For the Petitioner : Mr. K. Ch. Gautam, Amicus Curiae

For the Respondents : Mr. A. Kumar, Advocate General with
Ms. R. Colney, GA
Ms. S. Laloo, GA
Dr. N. Mozika, DSGI with
Ms. K. Gurung, Adv

Today, Smti. Tangchiring K. Sangma, MCS, Director of Forensic Sciences, Meghalaya, has tendered an affidavit on behalf of respondent Nos.1 and 4, pursuant to the order dated 29th June, 2026. The said affidavit dated 10th August, 2026, is taken on record and a copy thereof is served on the learned Amicus.

2. Learned Amicus seeks time to go through the said affidavit.
Time granted.



3. In the meantime, the learned Advocate General to take instructions, whether the chemicals required for DNA analysis by the Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL), Shillong is made available to the said FSL or not, since we are informed that presently the testing of DNA is halted, due to nonavailability of chemicals and that a requisition for chemicals made to the State Government, is pending.

4. Stand over to **8th September, 2026.**

(W. Diengdoh)
Judge

(Revati Mohite Dere)
Chief Justice

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