

**Serial No. 10**  
**Regular List**

**HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA**  
**AT SHILLONG**

WP(C) No. 425 of 2022

Date of Order: 25.11.2025

Shri. Sofiqul Islam Vs. State of Meghalaya & Ors.

**Coram:**

**Hon'ble Mr. Justice W. Diengdoh, Judge**

**Appearance:**

For the Petitioner/Appellant(s) : Dr. N. Mozika, Sr. Adv. with  
Ms. R. Fancon, Adv.  
Ms. A. Ksoo, Adv.

For the Respondent(s) : Mr. N.D. Chullai, AAG with  
Ms. Z.E. Nongkynrih, GA.  
Mr. E.R. Chyne, GA. for R 1-3.  
Mr. S.A. Sheikh, Adv. for R 4.  
Mr. S. Pandey, Adv. for R 5.  
Mr. P. Yobin, Adv. for R 8.  
Mr. S.K. Hassan, Adv. for R 9 & 10.

Heard Dr. N. Mozika, learned Sr. counsel assisted by Ms. R. Fancon, learned counsel for the petitioner.

After the matter was heard substantially, it was brought to the notice of this Court that the respondent Nos. 6 & 7 are not represented. In this connection, the learned Sr. counsel for the petitioner submits that in the early stage of the proceedings, the said respondent Nos. 6 & 7 were represented by Mr. K. Paul, learned Sr. counsel.

Mr. K. Paul, learned Sr. counsel prays that he may be allowed some time to seek specific instructions in this regard.

Accordingly, as prayed for, proceedings will continue on the next date.

List this matter on 28.11.2025.

**Judge**

Meghalaya  
25.11.2025  
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