

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF MANIPUR
AT IMPHAL**

WP(C) No. 275 of 2021

Manipur Home Guards Employee Welfare Association & 18 Ors.

.... *Petitioner/s*

- Versus -

The State of Manipur & 3 Ors.

.... *Respondent/s*

**BEFORE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AHANTHEM BIMOL SINGH**

19.03.2021

Heard Mr. M. Hemchandra, learned senior counsel appearing for the petitioners.

Issue notice, returnable within 2(two) weeks.

Mr. Shyam Sharma, learned Government Advocate accepts notice on behalf of the respondents No. 1, 2 & 3.

It is submitted by the learned Senior counsel appearing for the petitioner that by judgment and order dated 22.01.2020 passed in WP(C) No. 191 of 2018 duty allowances of the Home Guards had been increased and in compliance with the aforesaid judgment and order passed by this Court, the Government has issued necessary order dated 29.02.2020 enhancing the duty allowances of all the Home Guards. In the present writ petition, the petitioners are claiming for the arrear pay due to the enhancement of the duty allowances w.e.f. 01.01.2020.

In view of the limited nature of issue involved in the present writ petition, the learned Government Advocate is directed to get necessary instructions.

List this case again on 20.04.2021. It is made clear that pendency of this writ petition will not bar the authorities from releasing the arrear allowances of the present writ petitioners.

Copy of this order be furnished to the learned counsel appearing for the parties through their respective Whatsapp/E-mail.

JUDGE

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