

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

**W.A. No. 42 of 2025**

Union of India & 3 Ors.

*... Appellants*

*- Versus -*

Khangjrakpam Netrajit Singh & 31 Ors.

*... Respondents*

With

MC(WA) No. 82 of 2025

**B E F O R E**

**HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. M. SUNDAR  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. BIMOL SINGH**

**O R D E R**

*[M. Sundar, CJ]*

02.02.2026

Mr. Nongdamba, learned counsel for 4 appellants (to be noted, it is a State appeal) is before this physical Court.

Captioned intra Court appeal is directed against an 'order dated 20.01.2025 made by the Hon'ble Single Bench in W.P.(C) No. 167 of 2023' ('impugned order' for the sake of convenience and clarity).

State (official respondents before the Hon'ble Single Bench) (R-1 to 4) is on appeal. The 29 writ petitioners are R-1 to 29 in captioned WA. Private respondent Nos. 5 to 7 before the Hon'ble Single Bench are proforma respondents i.e. R-30 to 32 respectively in captioned writ appeal.

R-1 to 25 have lodged caveat being Caveat Petition No. 26 of 2025 and Mr. Ng. Jotindra, learned counsel for caveators is before this Court on the video conferencing platform.

As regards the earlier proceedings made by the predecessor Bench on 01.09.2025, it is clarified that noting of presence of counsel for R-1 will arise only in the event of writ appeal passing the admission Board threshold. As regards the caveators, Mr. Ng. Jotindra, learned counsel confirms that he would represent caveators, therefore, appropriate Bench may have to be considered depending on who appears for the respondents.

Learned counsel for appellants requests for accommodation citing difficulty for arguing counsel who is to argue in the admission Board.

List under the caption for 'Adjourned Admission' on 19.02.2026.

**JUDGE**

**CHIEF JUSTICE**

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