

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

**PIL No.9 of 2015 with
W.P(C) No.622 of 2018**

The Registrar General, High Court of Manipur Petitioner
- Versus -
State of Manipur & ors. *Respondents*

BEFORE
**HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KH.NOBIN SINGH**

For the Petitioner :: Mr. A.Bimol, Sr.Advocate
Mr.H.Kenajit, Advocate
For the respondents :: Mr. N.Kumarjit, Advocate General
Mr.S.Suresh, ASG
Mr.S.Samarjit, CGC
Date of Order :: **04.04.2019**

O R D E R

CJ,

Para No.7 of the order dated 14.3.2019 reads follows:-

"7. Mr.S.Suresh, learned ASG seeks some time to take some intructions from Dr.S.Siram, Under Secretary (Extradition) for the steps taken by the Ministry of External Affairs. A report be given on the next hearing date."

[2] Today, when the matter is taken up, Mr.S.Suresh, produced a letter from Dr.B.Sriram, Under Secretary (Extradition), dated 29th March, 2019. Paragraph Nos. 3 and 4 read as follows:-

"3. As of now, we have not received any extradition request from the concerned law enforcement agency. Ministry of External Affairs will take immediate action once the extradition request is received in this Ministry through the Ministry of Home Affairs. You may recall that vide MEA letter dated 25 October, 2018, we had already provided copy of 'Suggestion for drawing up extradition request' and 'format of Affidavit' which you may like to forward to the concerned investigating agency.

4. The concerned law enforcement agency may obtain details of action taken in respect of the Red Notice from NCB, CBI Interpol, New Delhi 15-B, 6th Floor, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003, Ph: 011-24365419, email: adipol@cbi.gov.in

and in respect of the LOC from Bureau of Immigration (SIC Branch) [Ph:26107949, email:boihq@nic.in].”

[3] Learned Advocate General seeks some time to vide order dated verify with the law enforcement agency as to the steps taken in this regard.

[4] The investigating agency, the State Government and Home Secretary are directed to ensure that the formalities of extradition of the convict/fugitive are supplied to the relevant agency, namely, NCB, CBI Interpol, New Delhi, etc. whose address have been given as above.

It is informed before action for extradition is taken, he will apprise the Court on the steps taken for issuing on Red Corner notice through the agency and the result of the steps taken in respect of LOC (Look Out Circular).

[5] In so far as Para No. 8 of the order dated 14.3.2019 which reads as follows:-

“[8] In the same manner, Mr.S.Samarjeet, learned CGC seeks time to get the status report from the Regional Passport office as to whether the photograph and identity of the convict has been sent to all Ports, law enforcement agency and persons concerned so as to enable them to arrest the convict/fugitive if he travels by duplicate or false passport both in India and foreign country. They are directed to inform international law enforcement agency the details of the Convict/fugitive.”

Mr. Samarjeet, learned counsel for the Regional Passport office states that a reply dated 30.3.2019 was given to him which reads as follows:-

“Dated 30.03.2019

To

Salam Samarjeet Singh,
B.A.(Hons) LL.M
Central Government Counsel,
High Court of Manipur.

Sub:- Reply to the information (Ref: CGC/HCM/CC/2019-74 dated 18th March, 2019).

Sir,

With reference to your information being No.CGC/HCM/CC/2019-74 dated 18th March, 2019 (Ref:- PIL NO.9 of 2015 filed Registrar, High Court of Manipur –vs-State of Manipur & ors.) I am to intimate you that Passport being No.K1150556 pertaining to Mr.Timothy Lalhmunmawi

Changsan was impounded on 21 August 2018 as per the information sent by APO, PSK, Imphal from RPO, Guwahati vide email dated 26 March, 2019 and the information of the same was uploaded in the PRIDE (Passport Related Information Data Exchange) Database which can be viewed by all ports, mission, etc. both in India and abroad.

This is for your kind information.

Encl: Email dated 26-03-2019

Yours Sincerely
Sd/-
(Ph. Maheshwari Devi)
Assistant Passport Officer,
Passport Seva Kendra, Imphal"

The same is taken on record.

[6] In so far as para No.9 of the judgment and order dated 14.3.2019 is concerned, the learned Advocate General seeks some time to file a detailed affidavit.

[7] On 30.3.2019, the learned Special Judge (POCSO), Imphal West has passed an order in Cril. Misc. Case No.87 of 2018 regarding certain events and fixing the date for examination of one person on 17.4.2019. The above documents and statements are recorded.

[8] List the matter for further enquiry on 8.5.2019.

JUDGE

CHIEF JUSTICE

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