

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

WP(C) No. 692 of 2020

Lamkang Khunou Village & 2 Ors.

...Petitioners

- Versus -

Union of India & 6 Ors.

...Respondents

With WP(C) No. 782 of 2022

With WP(C) No. 157 of 2022

With WP(C) No. 157 of 2021

With WP(C) No. 558 of 2020

HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE MR. MV MURALIDARAN

23.02.2023

[1] Heard Mr. M. Rendy, learned counsel for the petitioners; Mr. S. Niranjana, learned GA for the State respondents and Mr. Ng. Jotindra, learned counsel for the private respondents in WP(C) No. 692 of 2020, WP(C) No. 782 of 2022, WP(C) No. 157 of 2021 and WP(C) No. 558 of 2020.

[2] Since pleadings are completed both the counsels fixed the date for final hearing of this case on 31.03.2023.

[3] Mr. Ng. Jotindra represented that he has filed counter affidavits on behalf of respondents No. 2 and 6 in WP(C) No. 782 of 2022.

[4] Mr. M. Rendy, learned counsel for the petitioners seeks time to file rejoinder to the counter affidavit filed by the respondents.

[5] Therefore, post the matters for final hearing on 31.03.2023.

[6] Mr. Th. Monish, learned counsel appearing for the petitioner in WP(C) No. 157 of 2022 i.e., Item No. 124 of the cause list dated 23.02.2023, represented that WP(C) No. 157 of 2022 is not connected with the rest of the petitions. Therefore, he prayed that the matter may be separated from the batch of writ petitions and list separately.

[7] Therefore, on the request made by Mr. Th. Monish, learned counsel for the petitioner in WP(C) No. 157 of 2022, Registry is directed to post WP(C) No. 157 of 2022 separately on 01.03.2023.

ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE

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