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THE GAUHATI HIGH COURT
(HIGH COURT OF ASSAM, NAGALAND, MIZORAM AND ARUNACHAL PRADESH)
(ITANAGAR BENCH)

Case No. : IA(C)/143/2024

The District Election Officer
represented by Shri Sotailum Bellai, Son of Late Sohing Bellai, presently serving as
EAC, DC Office, Tezu, Lohit District, PO and PS Tezu, Lohit District, Arunachal
Pradesh

VERSUS

Karikho Kri and 3 Ors
Son of Late Sotri Kri, resident of Kri Niwas, Telluliang Village, PO and PS Tezu,
Lohit District, Arunachal Pradesh 792001 2:Dr. Mohesh Chai
Age: 51
Occupation :

3:Badang Tayang
Age: 43
Occupation :

4:Jeremai Krong
Age: 38
Occupation

Advocate for the Petitioner : Nani Anju

Advocate for the Respondent : Adam Tatak

**BEFORE
HONBLE MR. JUSTICE KARDAK ETE**

ORDER

Date : 04.09.2024

Heard Ms. N. Anju, learned counsel for the applicant.

Also heard Mr. T. Gyatso, learned counsel for the opposite party No.1; Mr. N. Doji, learned counsel for the opposite party No.2 and Mr. K. Mena, learned counsel for the opposite party No.3.

By filing this application, the applicant has sought for a permission to shift all the Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs/VVPATs) of entire 44-Tezu (ST) Assembly Constituency from current Strong Room at Amik Ringya Hall, Tezu to District Election Officer's Strong Room/Ware House, Tezu, Lohit District, Arunachal Pradesh as per the instruction of the Election Commission of India.

The learned counsels for the opposite parties have raised no objection to the prayer of the applicant so far as it relates to shifting of the Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs/VVPATs) from the current Strong Room at Amik Ringya Hall, Tezu to District Election Officer's Strong Room/Ware House at Tezu, Lohit District.

Having considered the submissions and the ground taken in the present application, I deem it appropriate to allow this application. Accordingly, the applicant is permitted to shift all the Electronic Voting Machines (EVMs/VVPATs) of entire 44-Tezu (ST) Assembly Constituency from current Strong Room at Amik Ringya Hall, Tezu to District Election Officer's Strong Room/Ware House at Tezu, Lohit District, Arunachal Pradesh.

The I.A. stands allowed and disposed of.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant