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

Case No. : Cont.Cas(C)/609/2022

NRIPEN DAS
S/O- LATE BIREN DAS ,
R/O- CHARI,
P.S- MUKALMUA,
PIN-781348,
DIST- NALBARI, ASSAM

VERSUS

PABAN KUMAR BORTHAKUR AND 3 ORS
CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM,
DISPUR, GUWAHATI-6.

2:GYANENDRA DEV TRIPATHI
IAS
COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
REVENUE (RELIEF AND REHABILITATION) AND DISASTER
MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT
ASSAM SECRETARIAT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI-6.

3:MANISH THAKUR
IAS
COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
ASSAM SECRETARIAT
DISPUR
GUWAHATI-6. ASSAM

4:GITIMONI PHUKAN
IAS

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER
NALBARI
PIN-781335
ASSA

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR MINTU SAIKIA

Advocate for the Respondent : MR. A DAS (R-1)

BEFORE
HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE MICHAEL ZOTHANKHUMA

ORDER

08.05.2024

1. No one appears for the petitioner on call.
2. Ms. K. Phukan, learned counsel appears for the respondent no.4; Ms. M. Devi, learned counsel appears for the respondent no.1 and Mr. R. Borpujari, learned counsel appears for the respondent no.2.
3. On the death of Late Biren Das, the petitioner who is the son of Late Biren Das filed WP(C) No.3107/2022, praying for a direction to the State respondents to disburse the ex-gratia amount of Rs.2,00,000/-, in terms of the Notification dated 15.11.2014 issued by the Revenue & Disaster Management Department, Government of Assam, claiming he was the Next of Kin of Late Biren Das.
4. This Court disposed of WP(C) No.3107/2022 vide order dated 20.05.2022, by directing the State Government to verify the facts and thereafter to release

the said ex-gratia amount to the Next of Kin.

5. Ms. M. Devi has submitted letter no.E-263618/34 dated 03.02.2023 issued by the Joint Secretary to the Government of Assam, Revenue & D.M., (Relief & Rehabilitation) Department which states that Rs.2.00 lakhs has been released to the concerned DDO and TO in respect of Late Biren Das.

6. A perusal of the accompanying orders and the payment of ex-gratia amount to the beneficiary, shows that the same has been given to Ms. Debajani Das, W/o Late Biren Das.

7. The letter dated 03.02.2023 issued by the Joint Secretary to the Government of Assam, Revenue & D.M., (Relief & Rehabilitation) Department and the other connected documents are made a part of the record and marked as Annexure-X collectively.

8. As the order dated 20.05.2022 passed in WP(C) No.3107/2022 has been complied with, the contempt petition stands closed.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant