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

Case No. : I.A.(Civil)/2/2024 in WA/1/2024

Lalrinpari and 3 Ors.

LDC, Chief Engineer Office, Irrigation and Water Resources Department, Govt. of
Mizoram MINECO, Aizawl

VERSUS

State of Mizoram and 5 Ors.

R/b the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram, Aizawl

Linked Case : I.A.(Civil)/21/2024 in WA/5/2024

1.State of Mizoram and 3 Ors.

r/b the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram
Aizawl

2: The Secretary

Irrigation and Water Resources Department

3: The Chief Engineer

Irrigation and Water Resources Department

4: The Executive Engineer

Lunglei Division

Irrigation and Water Resources Department

VERSUS

1.Smt P.Lalrotluangi @ Lalrotluangi and 4 Ors.

LDC (MR), Lunglei Division

Irrigation and Water Resources Department

Govt. of Mizoram

2:Smt Lalrinpari

LDC, Chief Engineer Office

Irrigation and Water Resources Department

Govt. of Mizoram
MINECO, Aizawl

3:Smt Lalrinsangi
LDC, Aizawl Sub-Division
Irrigation and Water Resources Department
Govt. of Mizoram

4:Smt Lalbiakremi
LDC, Champhai Sub-Division
Irrigation and Water Resources Department
Govt. of Mizoram

5:Smt Roseparmawii
LDC, Champhai Division
Irrigation and Water Resources Department
Govt. of Mizoram

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– B E F O R E –

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. VIJAY BISHNOI

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MICHAEL ZOTHANKHUMA

17.05.2024

(Vijay Bishnoi, CJ)

The matters come upon for consideration of I.A.(Civil) No.2/2024 and I.A. (Civil) No.21/2024, preferred by the applicants with a prayer to condone the

delay of 213 days and 240 days, respectively, in filing the connected writ appeals.

Learned counsel appearing for the respective respondents have not seriously opposed the applications.

Having heard the learned counsels appearing for the parties and after going through the contents of the applications, we deem it appropriate to allow the applications. Hence, I.A.(Civil) No.2/2024 and I.A.(Civil) No.21/2024 are allowed. Resultantly, the delay of 213 days and 240 days, respectively, in filing the connected writ appeals, are condoned.

Registry is directed to list the connected writ appeals before the next available Division Bench after 2(two) weeks.

In the meantime, the copies of the writ appeals be furnished to the learned counsels for the respondents by the applicants/appellants within a period of 2(two) days.

JUDGE

CHIEF JUSTICE

Comparing Assistant