Item No. 33

IN THE HIGH COURT OF MANIPUR
AT IMPHAL

WP(C) No. 877 of 2022

Manipur Home Guards Employees Welfare Association
…..*Petitioner/s*

- Versus –

State of Manipur & Anr.
.... *Respondent/s*

BEFORE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. GUNESHWAR SHARMA

Order

04.12.2024

[1] Heard Mr. M. Rendy, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr. Shyam Sharma, learned G.A. for the State respondent.

[2] The petitioner approached this Court inter-alia praying for increasing the sanctioned strength of the Home Guards Personnel in Manipur.

[3] In the order dated 12.10.2022 issued by the Commandant General, Home Guards, Manipur, it is especially mentioned that the power to increase the sanctioned strength of Home Guards Personnel is beyond the power of Commandant General, Home Guards, Manipur. In the counter affidavit of the State respondent, it is stated that the power to increase the sanctioned strength of Home Guards Personnel is within the domain of the State Government.

[4] Mr. M. Rendy, learned counsel for the petitioner, submits that the writ petition may be disposed of by directing the State Government to consider and dispose of the representation dated 15.03.2022 submitted by the petitioner's association for increasing the strength of the Home Guards Personnel within a stipulated time.

[5] Considering the submissions made at the bar, writ petition is disposed of by directing the State Government to consider and dispose of the representation dated 15.03.2022 submitted by the petitioner within a period of 3 (three) months from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

[6] This Court does not express any opinion on the merit of the case.

[7] With this observation and direction, writ petition is disposed of.

JUDGE

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