IN THE HIGH COURT OF MANIPUR
AT IMPHAL

WP(C) No.922 of 2023 with
MC (WP(C)) No.475 of 2023

Huidrom Mitabina Devi … Petitioner

-Versus-

State of Manipur & 2 Ors … Respondents

BEFORE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.GUNESHWAR SHARMA

24.07.2024

Heard Ms.Bidyarani Devi, learned counsel for the petitioner and Mr.S.Nepolean, learned Government Advocate for the State assisted by Ms.RK Emily, learned Dy. Government Advocate and Mr.M.Randy, learned counsel for the private respondent.

The petitioner challenged the impugned transfer order dated 15.12.2023 issued by the Joint Secretary, Social Welfare, Government of Manipur transferring and making in-charge arrangement of 27 officers of the Social Welfare Department across the State. The petitioner is aggrieved by the impugned transfer order transferring her from Bishnupur to CDPO, ICDS Project Sangaikot, on considering the present law and order situation in Manipur.

Mr.S.Nepolean, learned Government Advocate submits that the petitioner was transferred to Sangaikot as CDPO, ICDS Project Sangaikot and she has been given additional charge of ICDS Cell, Bishnupur and she was allowed to operate from Bishnupur. Private respondent No.4 has been transferred as CDPO Bishnupur in place of the petitioner and Mr.M.Randy, learned counsel for the private respondent submits that respondent No.4 has already joined at Bishnupur and discharged as CDPO, ICDS

Project and if the impugned order is set aside would unsettle the whole position in the department.

During the course of hearing, Mr.S.Nepolean, learned Government Advocate apprises this Court of the subsequent development after the filing of the writ petition. It is informed that vide order dated 4.3.2024 issued by Joint Secretary (Social Welfare), Government of Manipur, there has been another transfer and posting in the Department of Social Welfare, The petitioner herein has been made in-charge PO (ICDS), District ICDS Cell, Bishnupur and she is to draw pay and allowances for CDPO, Sangaikot ICDS Project. It is submitted that the relief prayed for in the writ petition has been satisfied by this subsequent order dated 4.3.2024. The order is taken on record.

Ms.Bidyarani, learned counsel for the petitioner also admitted this fact.

In the circumstances, the writ petition along with the application is closed as infructuous.

JUDGE

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