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IN THE HIGH COURT OF MANIPUR
AT IMPHAL

MC(WA) No. 37 of 2026
Ref: W.A. No. 6 of 2018

1. The State of Manipur.

2. The Commissioner (Hr. Education), Government of Manipur

3. The Director of Education (University and Hr. Education), Government of Manipur.

.... ***Applicants***

- Versus –

1. Shri Laishram Amusana Singh, aged about 68 years, S/o (L) L. Khoidum Singh, a resident of Bamon Leikai Thangjam Leirak, Imphal East District, Manipur.

2. Shri Rajkumar Sanahal Singh, aged about 68 years, S/o (L) RK Angousana Singh a resident of Khurai Chingangbam Leikai, Imphal East District, Manipur.

3. Kumari Dr. Thongam Phajabi Devi, aged about 67 years, D/o (L) Th. Tejmani Singh, a resident of Singjamei Thongam Leikai, Imphal West District, Manipur.

4. Shri Senjam Deben Singh, aged bout 71 years, S/o (L) Ibotombi Singh, a resident of Kabowakching Maning Leikai, Imphal West District, Manipur.

5. Shri Thokchom Tombi Singh, aged about 67 years, S/o (L) Th. Khoudom Singh, a resident of Heigrujam Maning Leikai, Imphal West District, Manipur.

6. Shri Ningthoujam Dhaneshwar Singh, aged about 64 years, S/o (L) N. Modhu Singh, a resident of Konkham Mayai Leikai, P.O. Nambol, Bishnupur District, Manipur.

7. Shri Wairokpam Devbrata Meitei, aged about 63 years, S/o (L) W. Pishak Meitei, a resident of Wangkhei Thangapat Mapal, Imphal East District, Manipur.

…..***Principal Respondent***

8. The Thambal Marik College through the Secretary of Thambal Marik College Society, Oinam, Bishnupur District, Manipur.

9. The Standard College, through the Secretary of the Standard College Society, Kongba, Imphal East District, Manipur.

……***Proforma Respondents***

10. The Principal, Thambal Marik College, Oinam, Bishnupur District, Manipur - 795134.

11. The Principal, Standard College, Kongba, Imphal East District, Manipur - 795008.

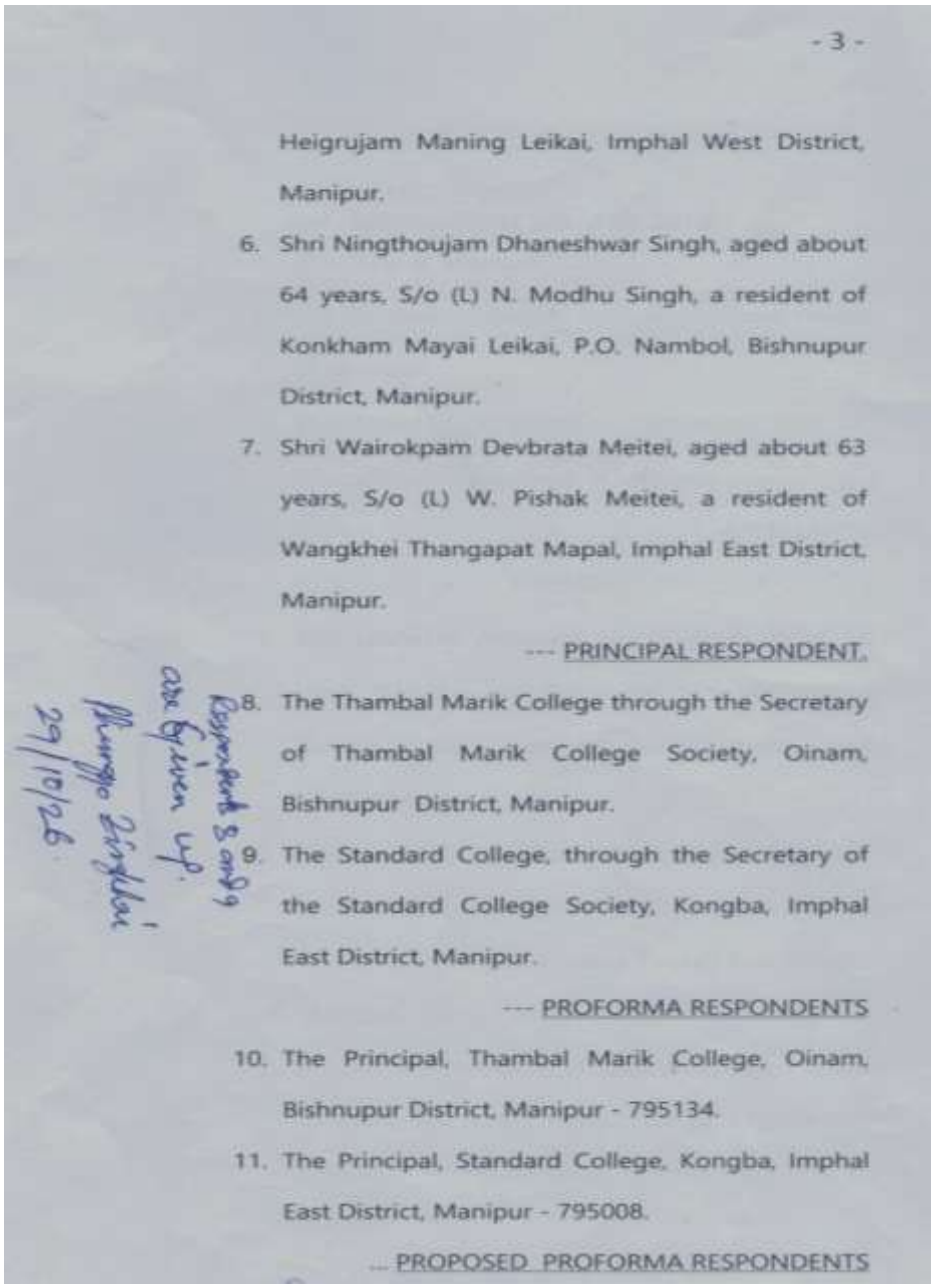
…….***Proposed Proforma Respondents***

BEFORE
HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. M. SUNDAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AHANTHEM BIMOL SINGH
(ORDER)
(Order of the Court was made by Mr. M. Sundar, CJ)

29.10.2026

[1] Captioned MC (Miscellaneous Case) has been filed with a prayer to implead R10 (Respondent No. 10) and R11 (Respondent No. 11) as R10 and R11 in WA No. 6 of 2018. As regards R8 and R9 (Respondent Nos. 8 and 9), they have been given and endorsement

made by learned State Counsel Mr. Phungyo Zingkhai in the case file in this regard is as follows :



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Heigrujam Maning Leikai, Imphal West District, Manipur.

6. Shri Ningthoujam Dhaneshwar Singh, aged about 64 years, S/o (L) N. Modhu Singh, a resident of Konkham Mayai Leikai, P.O. Nambol, Bishnupur District, Manipur.
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... PROPOSED PROFORMA RESPONDENTS

Respondents 8 and 9 are given up.
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[2] Though the prayer is for impleading R10 and R11 in captioned MC as R10 and R11 in WA No. 6 of 2018, learned State Counsel Mr. Phungyo Zingkhai makes a request to add them as appellant Nos. 4 and 5 respectively in WA No. 6 of 2018. To be noted, R8 and R9 have

been given up as the Managing Societies of the Colleges have since been dissolved. As the Societies have been taken over by the State Government, the legal character has changed, Principals have become necessary parties. To put it differently, they are now part of the State. It is owing to this reason that learned State Counsel requests for adding R10 and R11 as appellant Nos. 4 and 5 in WA No. 6 of 2018.

[3] Issue notice.

[4] Mr. R.K. Milan, learned counsel, accepts notice for R1 to R7 (Respondent Nos. 1 to 7) and learned counsel very fairly submits that he is not opposing the prayer in the captioned MC and he reserves his rights to contest and articulate his case on merits in the main writ appeal.

[5] Be that as it may, considering the obtaining position that R8 and R9 have been dissolved and they have now become part of State as Colleges have been taken over by State, we find that the innocuous prayer has become unexceptionable and imperative too. Therefore, we accede to the afore referred request of learned State Counsel.

[6] In the result, captioned MC is ordered by making an order that R10 and R11 in the captioned MC(WA) No. 37 of 2026 shall now be added as appellant Nos. 4 and 5 respectively in WA No. 6 of 2018.

[7] Registry to carry out necessary and consequential amendments in the case file as expeditiously as the official business of the Registry would permit but in any event on or before 16.11.2026.

[8] Captioned MC ordered as above. There shall be no order as to costs.

JUDGE **CHIEF JUSTICE**

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