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

Case No.: WP(C)/7211/2021

GHOSHITO YEPTHO AND 34 ORS SON OF IHONIVI YEPTHOMI, RESIDENT OF BALIJAN, POLICE STATION-KHATKHATI, SUB-DIVN- DIPHU, DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG, PIN- 782480.

2: SHIKUTO YEPTHO S/O- LATE HEZUKHU YEPTHO RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

3: DR. N. THUNGBEN YANTHAN S/O- NCHAMO YANTHAN RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

4: NCHUMBEMO KIKON S/O- RENJEMO KIKON RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

5: DANIEL SANGMA S/O- DENISON SANGMA RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG

6: V. KHEVISHE YEPTHO S/O- VITOYI YEPTHONI RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

7: WOTHUNGBEMO EZUNG S/O- PIPAN EZUNG RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

8: THEMPENO YANTHAN S/O- Y. YANTHAN RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

9: AKAVI SWU S/O- T.K. SWU RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

10: KUGHALU AYE S/O- LATE VINIHO AYE RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

11: S. HEKUTO ACHUMI S/O- SHIKHULO ACHUMI RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG

12: ORENYIMO KIKON S/O- JUM BEM RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

13: VINOKA SWU S/O- T.K. SWU RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

14: HOKATO ROTOKHA S/O- LATE TONILO ROTOKHA RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

15: NYIMTSEMO MUZHUI S/O- ELAMO LOTHA RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

16: E. CHENITHUNG NGULLIE S/O- LATE M. EZAMO NGULLIE RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

17: YANBEMO KIKON @ EAJAM BEM KIKAN S/O- NYIMTSEMO KIKON RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG

18: TIMOTHY TARO @ ENIBEMO EZUNG S/O- LONGBI TARO RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

19: RATAN DAS S/O- MORAN DAS RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

20: TSENTHUNGO OVUNG S/O- ROMOSHTHAM OVUNG RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

21: YIHAMO KIKON @ JAM KIKON S/O- CHABEN KIKON RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

22: SHAH NAKIB KHAN S/O- LATE ABDUL ROUF KHAN RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

23: MONJUL HAQUE S/O- MD. TAMIJUDDIN RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG

24: KHRIEKETOU S/O- ZIETHIEO RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

25: HUTOSHE KIBA S/O- LUHESHE KIBA RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

26: SULANTHUNG LOTHA S/O- YANAO YANTHAN RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

27: L. MHASHIO EZUNG S/O- LIPHAMO EZUNG RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

28: KATOLI MURRY D/O- HONITO RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

29: K. LICHUMO JAMI S/O- LATE KHOYAMO JAMI RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG

30: CHOPATHUNG LOTHA S/O- KHOLA RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

31: VITOLI @ BITAULI CHOPY W/O- AOTEMSU RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

32: ORENYIMO OVUNG S/O- YIHAMO OVUNG RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

33: MHONCHUMO KIKON S/O- Y. KIKON RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

34: NITOVI CHOPHY S/O- YEGHULHO CHOPHY RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN- 782480.

35: SHIKHIO V. YEPTHO S/O- VISUTO K. YEPTHO RESIDENT OF BALIJAN POLICE STATION- KHATKHATI SUB-DIVN- DIPHU DIST.- KARBI ANGLONG PIN-782480

VERSUS

THE STATE OF ASSAM AND 5 ORS REP. BY THE COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF ASSAM, HOME DEPARTMENT, DISPUR, GHY-06.

2:THE KARBI ANGLONG AUTONOMOUS COUNCIL REP. BY THE CHAIRMAN DIPHU KARBI ANGLONG ASSAM PIN- 782460.

3:THE DEPUTY SECRETARY
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
KARBIANGLONG AUTONOMOUS COUNCIL
DIPHU
ASSAM
PIN-782460.

4:THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

KARBIANGLONG AUTONOMOUS COUNCIL ASSAM.

5:THE REVENUE OFFICER

KARBIANGLONG AUTONOMOUS COUNCIL KARBIANGLONG ASSAM

6:THE ASSISTANT SETTLEMENT OFFICER

KARBIANGLONG AUTONOMOUS COUNCIL DIPHU KARBI ANGLONG ASSAM

Advocate for the Petitioner : MR S BORGOHAIN

Advocate for the Respondent : GA, ASSAM

BEFORE

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANASH RANJAN PATHAK

ORDER

31-01-2022

Heard Mr. S. Borgohain, learned counsel for the petitioners and Mr. J. Chutia, learned Standing counsel, KAAC for the respondent Nos. 2, 3, 5 and 6. Also heard Ms. S. Sarma, learned Government Advocate, Assam for the respondent Nos. 1 and 4.

Though this matter is fixed on 02.02.2022, on the prayer of the learned counsel for the petitioners, it is listed today as first item, as it is submitted that the respondents in the KAAC violating the Court's orders dated 23.12.2021, 18.01.2022 as well as the order dated 29.01.2022 passed earlier in this proceeding, demolished the houses of the petitioner Nos. 1, 2, 6, 11, 22, 23, 25 standing over their Patta land at Lahorijan, Block No.3, Mouza-Borjan during the eviction drive carried out by the authorities of the KAAC yesterday.

It is also placed before the Court by Mr. Borgohain, learned counsel for the petitioners that the petitioner Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 22 and 23 submitted their land documents before the Joint Secretary, Revenue as directed earlier on 23.12.2021, whereas the petitioner No. 7 submitted his application before the Deputy Commissioner, Karbi Anglong.

Though the petitioners submitted a list consisting of 12 persons, whose houses were demolished by the respondent KAAC situated over their Patta land, but Srl. Nos. 8 to 12 of the said list are not before this Court in the present writ petition.

Mr. Borgohain, learned counsel for the petitioners shall furnish a detail list of the present petitioners as submitted before the Court today to Mr. J. Chutia, learned Standing counsel, KAAC during the first half of the day, on whose land the alleged eviction was carried out yesterday by the KAAC authorities as well as the name of the petitioners whose permanent structures standing over their Patta land have been demolished during the said eviction drive, so that Mr. Chutia can obtain necessary instruction in the matter and place the same before the Court on 02.02.2022.

If aggrieved by any such eviction drive carried out by the respondents in the KAAC yesterday over their Patta land violating the Court's orders dated 23.12.2021, 18.01.2022 and

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29.01.2022, noted above, the petitioners may file a contempt petition by tomorrow furnishing

all the details wherein such eviction drive was carried out by the authorities of KAAC.

In the event of filing any such contempt petition by the petitioners, the same shall be

registered and be tagged along with this writ petition, if the same is found to be in order as

per the appropriate procedure and rules.

List this matter on **02.02.2022** as first item.

JUDGE

Comparing Assistant