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

Case No. : PIL/1/2025

MTOA (Mizoram Truck Owners Association) r/b B. Lalzarzova, President, MTOA Societies Registration Act, 1860 (Act No. XXI of 1860) bearing Regd No. SR-11 of 1983

VERSUS

The State of Mizoram r/b the Chief Secretary and 6 Ors.
Mizoram Secretariat, MINECO, Mizoram, Aizawl.

2:The Secretary
Public Works. Dept.
Mizoram Secretariat
MINECO New Building
Basement 1
Room No. A-034
Mizoram
Aizawl.

3:The Engineer-in-Chief
Public Works Dept.
Tuikhuahtlang
Aizawl
Mizoram.

4:The Chief Engineer (Roads)
Public Works Dept.
Tuikhuahtlang
Aizawl
Mizoram.

5:The Chief Engineer (Highways)
Public Works Dept.
Tuikhuahtlang
Aizawl

Mizoram.

6:The Secretary
Ministry of Road Transport and Highways
Transport Bhawan 1
Parliament Street
New Delhi-110001

7:The Executive Director
National Highways and Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd (NHIDCL)
R/b Virendra Kumar Jakhar
3rd Floor
T-86
Tuikhuahtlang
Aizawl
Mizoram-796001

Advocate for the Petitioner : Ms. Rosalynn L Hmar

Advocate for the Respondent : Addl. AG/GA, Mizoram for R1-5

BEFORE

HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MARLI VANKUNG
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH MAZUMDAR
ORDER

19.11.2025

(Marli Vankung, J)

Heard Ms. Rosalynn L. Hmar, learned counsel for the petitioner who submits that though she had mentioned earlier, as reflected in this Court's Order dated 24.09.2025, that she would be filing another additional affidavit in addition to the additional affidavit already filed on 31.07.2025, however, during the recent spot verification it is found that the stretch of road between Kawlkulh – Hliappui has been recently repaired and properly

maintained and therefore, there is no requirement to file the second additional affidavit.

Ms. Lalnunhlui, learned Govt. Advocate for the State respondents has prayed for further 2 weeks' time to get concrete instructions with respect to paras 5 – 8 of the additional affidavit filed by the petitioner on 31.07.2025. She further submits that a meeting is also going to be convened by the Engineering-in-Chief in this regard.

We have considered the submissions made by both the parties and find it fit to grant another 2 weeks' time to the learned Govt. Advocate for the State respondents to file their affidavit.

List the matter **after 2 (two) weeks.**

JUDGE

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Comparing Assistant