

MISC. CASE NO. 1 OF 2023

Ref. : Complaint Case No. 6 of 2022

20.01.2023

1. Perused the application dated 20.01.2023 filed by the Complainant of Complaint Case No. 6 of 2022, Shri Khumanthem Dhanachandra Singh, wherein it is stated that one unknown person through his mobile no. 8415858933 send a message through WhatsApp threatening that the Complainant has to come to Moreh Town to sort out a matter with them for withdrawing the Complaint Case No. 6 of 2022 filed before Manipur Lokayukta. In the case of failure to do so, capital punishment will be given to him. Such unwarranted threatening has caused insecurity to the life of the Complainant. By using unlawful miscreants allegedly by the Government employees, they are threatening the life of the Complainant for filing the complaint for corruption against them.

2. Lokayukta is of the serious view that such type of interference in the proceeding in Complaint Case No. 6 of 2022 by using unauthorised and unlawful means will cause serious interference to the inquiry into the allegation of corruption filed against public functionaries and matter connected therewith and incidental thereto. It is the responsibility of the State Government to protect the life and security of the complainant who filed case for corruption against the public functionaries otherwise there will be no law and order in the state and citizens will not come out to fight against corruption.

3. In the premises stated above, it is felt necessary to call a report/comment from the Director General of Police, Manipur to the present application of the Complainant dated 20.01.2023 as to the threat perception to the Complainant namely, Shri Khumanthem Dhanachandra Singh, S/o (L) Kh. Manibabu Singh, Naoremthong Laishram Leirak, P.O. & P.S. Lamphel, Imphal – 795001, Manipur, as well as making security arrangement for the safety of the Complainant from the side of the Home Department, Government of Manipur. The report/comment of the Director General of Police, Manipur is highly required for passing appropriate order for the security arrangement of the Complainant by the State Government.

4. Registry is directed to send a copy of the application dated 20.01.2023 of the Complainant along with a copy of this order in sealed cover to the Director General of Police, Manipur, **by name, by Special Messenger** and Director General of Police, Manipur is requested to send his report/comment in sealed cover to the Manipur Lokayukta as soon as possible. The sealed cover will be opened by Hon'ble Chairperson in presence of Hon'ble Member for passing appropriate order.

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5. Registry is further directed to furnish a copy of this order to the complainant/applicant as well as to the Inquiry Officer of the present case.

6. Await report/comment of the Director General of Police, Manipur.

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MEMBER

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CHAIRPERSON