

MISC. CASE NO. 1 OF 2023

Ref.: Complaint Case No. 4 of 2021

24.11.2023

1. Perused the office note dated 21.11.2023 wherein it is reported that Director (Inquiry), Manipur Lokayukta under his letter being No.4/ML/DIR(INQ)/2021 dated 20.11.2023 to the Chairperson, Manipur Lokayukta had requested for extension of the period of investigation of FIR No. 10(12)2022 CB PS U/S 403/409/120-B IPC and 13(1)(a) & 13(2) PC Act. The said letter of the Director (Inquiry), Manipur Lokayukta dated 20.11.2023 is accompanied with a letter being No. 10(12)2022/Cb/PS/2 dated 18.11.2023 of Investigating Officer, Shri T. Bimolchand Singh, MPS.
2. Register this as separate Misc. Case.
3. The grounds for extension, inter alia mentioned in para no. 2 of the letter dated 18.11.2023 of the Investigating Officer, are that the Investigating Officer have been detailed for law and order duty at Imphal West District w.e.f. 27.06.2023 vide DGP, Manipur orders. Further, he have been detailed to function as Local Coordinator with the office of Shri DD Padsalgikar, former Deputy National Security Advisor vide DGP, Manipur orders. Furthermore, he have been transferred and posted as SDPO Mayang Imphal vide DGP, Manipur orders. Such being the situation, he stated that the investigation of the present FIR could not be completed as directed and prays for granting another 3 (three) months to enable him to complete the investigation.
4. After careful consideration of the reasons for extension of the time of investigation for another 3 (three) months, we are of the considered view that the time of investigation of the present FIR No. 10(12)2022 CB PS U/S 403/409/120-B IPC and 13(1)(a) & 13(2) PC Act shall be extended for another 3 (three) months w.e.f. 30.11.2023. Accordingly, the time of investigation is hereby extended for another 3 (three) months w.e.f. 31.11.2023.
5. Registry is directed to furnish a copy of this order to (i) the Director (Inquiry), Manipur Lokayukta, and (ii) the Investigating Officer of the present Complaint Case.
6. Misc. Case is disposed of accordingly.

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MEMBER

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CHAIRPERSON