

COMPLAINT CASE NO. 1 OF 2022

27.12.2023

[1] Mr. Ibomcha, learned counsel appearing for the Respondent No. 1 submitted at bar that Respondent No. 1 had already filed the supplementary/additional written statement before Manipur Lokayukta in compliance of the order dated 14.12.2023 passed by Hon'ble High Court of Manipur in WP(C) No. 846 of 2023 and a copy of it is already furnished to all the counsels appearing for the parties. The supplementary/additional written statement filed by Respondent No. 1 is taken on record.

[2] Mr. N. Suresh, learned counsel appearing for Respondent Nos. 4 and 5 submits that an application for grating leave for filing supplementary/additional written statement on behalf of Respondent Nos. 4 and 5 has been filed. A copy of the said application had already been furnished to the all the learned counsel appearing for the parties.

[2.1] Heard the learned counsel. After hearing the learned counsel, leave for filing supplementary/additional written statement on behalf of Respondent Nos. 4 and 5 is granted. Supplementary/additional written statement on behalf of Respondent Nos. 4 and 5 is taken on record.

[3] Mr. Th. Ibohal, learned Senior Counsel assisted by Mr. L.N. Ngamba, Advocate appeared on behalf of the Complainant prays for passing over the proceeding of this case for at least some days as he has just returned from his Health Review from Mumbai. We have no alternative except to adjourn this case for some days. Taking in view of the limitation prescribed in the Manipur Lokayukta Act, 2014 to complete the proceeding of a case, only 5 days is granted to the leaned counsel appearing for the Complainant.

[4] Mr. N. Suresh, learned counsel appearing for Respondent No. 5 by filing an application dated 27.12.2023 prays for adjournment of hearing of the present case on the ground that the disputes between the parties is likely to be settlement amicably. With regard to this point, we are not making any comment and we will consider the terms and conditions after it is placed before us within the four corner of law i.e. whether it is permissible under relevant law.

[5] List this case for further hearing on 02.01.2024.

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MEMBER

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CHAIRPERSON