

HIGH COURT OF MEGHALAYA
AT SHILLONG

PIL No. 4 of 2021 with
MC (PIL) No. 2 of 2021

Date of order: 05.09.2024

Registrar General, High Court of Meghalaya vs. State of Meghalaya & ors.

Managing Director, Indigo vs. Registrar General, High Court of Meghalaya & ors.

Coram:

Hon'ble Mr. Justice H. S. Thangkhiew, Chief Justice (Acting)
Hon'ble Mr. Justice W. Diengdoh, Judge

Appearance:

For the Petitioner : Mr. P. Yobin, Amicus Curiae

For the Respondents : Mr. A. Kumar. AG with
Mr. K. Khan, AAG
Mr. A.H. Kharwanlang, Addl.Sr.GA
Dr. N. Mozika, DSGI with
Ms. K. Gurung, Adv.

A communication dated 03.09.2024 has been produced before this Court wherein, a brief gist of the feasibility on the expansion of the airport for accommodating larger planes has been set out.

2. It is pertinent to note that the Airports Authority of India as per the LiDAR survey report after examining different scenarios has found that with a few alterations and additional land acquisition of 22 acres, the airport will be viable for accommodating the said larger aircraft and it has been indicated in the said communication that consent has also been given by M/s Spice Jet for the operation of B737 aircraft.

3. Dr. N. Mozika, learned DSGI however, prays that he may be allowed to bring on record the detailed LiDAR survey report which is voluminous.

4. Learned AG appearing on behalf of the State respondents submits that they are also in receipt of the said communication and once the report is placed, modalities for implementation of the same will be worked out and presented before the Court.

5. Let the report be placed within a period of 10 days.

6. List the matter on 16.09.2024, for further orders.

(W. Diengdoh)
Judge

(H. S. Thangkhiew)
Chief Justice (Acting)

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