

High Court of Sikkim

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WP(PIL) No.05 of 2020

In RE : Introduction of Science Stream and
Infrastructural Development of J.N.V., Pakyong

Date : **07-10-2021**

CORAM :

THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI MADAN RAI, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BHASKAR RAJ PRADHAN, JUDGE

For Petitioner

Mr. N. Rai, Senior Advocate as Amicus Curiae.
Ms. Malati Sharma, Advocate.

For Respondents

R-1 to R-4

Dr. Doma T. Bhutia, Additional Advocate General.
Mr. S. K. Chettri, Government Advocate.
Ms. Pema Bhutia, Assistant Government Advocate.

Education Department Mr. Zigmee Bhutia, Advocate (Standing Counsel).

R-5 to R-8

Ms. Sangita Pradhan, Assistant Solicitor General.

ORDER

Rai, ACJ

The State-Respondents No.1 to 4 have filed I.A. No.01 of 2021 seeking adjournment on grounds that although steps have been taken with the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, seeking adequate funds for acquisition of land in and around the Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya (J.N.V.), Pakyong, to set up Hostels for the School, the Response is awaited.

Not opposed.

Considered. ordered accordingly.

Learned Amicus Curiae submits that the internet facilities have to be upgraded in the area which the School lacks, despite Classes having to be taken up Online. Learned Assistant Solicitor General undertakes to take steps.

Learned Amicus Curiae further submits that the Vacations of the School is not in consonance with the weather in Sikkim, inasmuch as a short Winter Vacation and a long Summer Vacation has been declared, in keeping with Vacations in the plains. Let the Learned Assistant Solicitor General take note of this and address the

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issue with the concerned authority. She shall update the Court on the next date on all issues flagged above.

List on 24.11.2021.

Judge
07-10-2021

Acting Chief Justice
07-10-2021