

High Court of Sikkim

Record of proceedings

WP(PIL) No.08 of 2020

Mani Kumar Subba

Petitioner

VERSUS

The State of Sikkim and Others

Respondents

Date : **10-05-2021**

CORAM : **THE HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI MADAN RAI, JUDGE**
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BHASKAR RAJ PRADHAN, JUDGE

For Petitioner Mr. Yam Kumar Subba, Advocate.

For Respondents

R-1 to R-3 Mr. Sudesh Joshi, Additional Advocate General.
 Ms. Yeshi W. Rinchhen, Government Advocate.
 Mr. Hissey Gyaltsen, Assistant Government Advocate.

R-4 to R-6 Ms. Sangita Pradhan, Assistant Solicitor General of India.

R-7 None.

ORDER

Rai, J.

Learned Counsel for the Petitioner submits that situation at the ground level is not in consonance with the Affidavit filed by the State Government as regards the availability of the Oxygen. Learned Additional Advocate General submits that as he has been handed over the matter only today, he will obtain necessary instructions and update this Court on this count on the next date fixed.

Learned Additional Advocate General also submits that a query had been raised by this Court on 01-04-2021 with regard to the dedicated TB Ward which had been converted into Covid Hospital. It is informed by him that Level 4 of the STNM Hospital has now been converted into a dedicated TB Ward with 48 beds of which 24 are for contagious TB and the remaining 24 are for non-contagious. That, this is a substantial increase from the number of beds previously available in the TB Ward.

Learned Additional Advocate General undertakes to update this Court with regard to all the discussions that have emanated in the Court today with regard to Covid management.

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Records reveal that Notice has not been issued to Respondent No.7.

Issue Notice to Respondent No.7.

Requisites be filed within three days.

List this matter on 15-05-2021 along with WP(PIL) No.06 of 2020.

Judge
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