

WP(PIL) No. 09/2016
PIPON & GAMBOS OF LACHEN DZOMSA vs. SECRETARY,
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

BEFORE
MR. JUSTICE SATISH K. AGNIHOTRI, CJ &
MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI MADAN RAI, J.

01.11.17 Present: Ms. Aruna Chhetri, Advocate as Amicus Curiae and
(Agnihotri, CJ) Mr. Jushan Lepcha, Advocate on behalf of Mr.
Zangpo Sherpa, Amicus Curiae.

Mr. J.B. Pradhan, Addl. Advocate General with Mr.
S.K. Chettri and Ms. Pollin Rai, Asstt. Govt.
Advocates and Ms. Roshni Chhetri, Advocate (LR &
DM Dept.) for Respondent No. 1.

Mr. Thinlay Dorjee Bhutia, Advocate for Respondents
No. 2, 3 and 4.

Lt. Col. Jojo Jacob, 27 Mtn. Div. in-person.

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In pursuance of the observations made by the Court on 13th September 2017, the State of Sikkim has filed an affidavit dated 30th October 2017, stating that the land survey consisting of three axis, i.e. (i) Lachen, (ii) Lachung and (iii) Chungthang area, is under progress. The survey of land of Lachen area has been completed and that of Lachung and Chungthang area is at a final stage, as about 75% of the work has been done. In view of the ensuing Panchayat Election, the State Government seeks for six weeks' time to complete the survey and submit a report.

Acceding the request, we are inclined to grant further four weeks' time to complete the survey and submit the report.

In response to other directives, it is informed that the hiring charges have already been disbursed to all the beneficiaries.

Learned Amici Curiae are required to examine and submit their response.

Call on 05.12.2017.

	Judge	Chief Justice
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