

WP(C) 5845/2009

BEFORE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE H N SARMA

Heard Mr GN Sahewala, learned senior counsel for the petitioner, Ms H Phukan, learned GA, Assam and the learned counsel for the respondent Nos 12 and 13.

The petitioner runs a stone crushing unit at Changlang, Arunachal Pradesh. The respondent authorities in the State of Assam are demanding transit pass in respect of the stones crushed in the petitioner's unit. The subject of dispute has been decided by this Court in a batch of writ petitions, leading one being WP(C) No 59/ 2008 (M/s Rengfrah Stone Crusher Vs State of Assam and others) reported in 2008 (3) GLT 650.

In view of the decision rendered by this Court in the aforesaid cases also covers the present case. Accordingly, the present petitioner shall so be entitled to similar relief. The respondent authorities are directed not to insist or demand transit pass for transportation of stones.

The writ petition stands disposed of.