Minutes of the Monthly Meeting vide Notification no. 52 of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court held on 31/05/2024 at 4:30 p.m. in the conference hall of Lakhimpur District Judiciary, Lakhimpur on the following issues.

Agenda No. 1: Land for construction of residential quarters for the Judicial Officers and Staff of the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.

Resolution: The District and Sessions Judge has raised the issue regarding the allotment of land for the construction of residential quarters for the Judicial Officers and Staff of the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.

In this regard, the District and Sessions Judge has requested the representative of the District Commissioner to apprise the District Commissioner to pursue the matter regarding allotment of the plot of land available near the Convention Centre at Chukuli Bhoria, North Lakhimpur, which was earlier proposed for the construction of Circuit House, but the proposal for the construction of Circuit House has not been accepted due to the construction of a new Circuit House building adjacent to the existing Circuit House, for the construction of residential quarters for the Judicial Officers and Staff of District Judiciary, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.

Agenda No. 2: Regarding up gradation of security arrangements in the Court complex at Lakhimpur.

Resolution: The District and Sessions Judge has raised the issues in connection to resolution adopted in the meeting of the "Committee to look after the Security arrangement of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court and District Courts" held on 08.05.2024.

Further, the representative of Superintendent of Police has informed that a security review was conducted by the ASP (S&I), Lakhimpur on 03.05.2024 of the court premises, and report has been submitted on 06.05.2024 with the following suggestions for the infrastructural improvements for better security of the Court complex:-

1. To provide better CCTV coverage including the rear side of the Court premise.
2. To provide provision for rear guard sentry posts
3. To increase height of the boundary wall or to provide barbed wire, etc.

Accordingly, the members of the Committee have resolved that the PWD, Lakhimpur District Territorial Building Division, Lakhimpur will take necessary steps for providing provision for rear guard sentry posts and to increase the height of the boundary wall or to provide barbed wire in the boundary wall of the Court premises. Further, the PWD, Electrical Sub-division, North Lakhimpur will take necessary steps for providing better CCTV coverage including the rear side of the court premise.

NO FLY ZONE: The District and Sessions Judge has requested the representative of the District Commissioner to apprise the District Commissioner for issuance of order for No Fly Zone over the Court premise at Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur as per the resolution adopted in the meeting of the "Committee to look after the Security arrangement of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court and District Courts" held on 08.05.2024.

VERIFICATION OF THE SHOPS AND VENDORS IN AND AROUND THE PREMISES: The verification of the shops and vendors in and around the Court premises was obtained from the North Lakhimpur Police Station, and the report is already submitted to the Registrar (Admin), Hon'ble Gauhati High Court, Guwahati.

MOCK DRILL RELATING TO FIRE INCIDENT OR ANY OTHER SUCH INCIDENT: The District and Sessions Judge has raised the matter in connection with mock drill relating to fire incident or any such incident, whenever such evacuation is required, as per the resolution adopted by the "Committee to look after the Security arrangement of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court and District Courts" held on 08.05.2024. In this regard, the

member of the Committee resolves that the authorities of District Disaster Management Department, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur will conduct such drill in the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur. Further, the Chairman, DDMD, Lakhimpur, NL may be informed in this regard.

The other resolutions adopted by the "Committee to look after the Security arrangement of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court and District Courts" held on 08.05.2024 will be implemented in the District Judiciary, Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur as per direction of the Hon'ble Gauhati High Court, Guwahati.

Agenda No. 3: Regarding issues related to delays in investigation and trial.

Resolution: The members present in the meeting have discussed various issues related to delays in investigation and trial. The District and Sessions Judge suggested that the police personnel may attend the Video Conference in the proceeding of the Courts through the nearest Court Point or others VC facilities instead of joining via Mobile phone.

Further, the members present in the meeting have discussed on the New Criminal Laws.

With these discussions, the meeting held today on 31.05.2024 is concluded with Vote of Thanks from the Chairperson.

Smt. Sharmila Bhuyan,
District and Sessions Judge,
Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur-

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District Commissioner,
Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.
(Represented by Smt. Rhimjin Konwar, Asstt. Commissioner, Lakhimpur, NL).

Superintendent of Police,
Lakhimpur, North Lakhimpur.
(Represented by Shri Nayan Moni Barman, Addl SP (Crime), Lakhimpur, NL).