NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (LAW DIVISION)

FARIDKOT HOUSE COPERNICUS MARG, NEW DELHI - 110 001

Dated 24/01/2012

Case No. 16/16/0/2010

To

2 7 JAN 2012

TAJANG CHAKMA, COMPLAINTS COORDINATOR NATIONAL CAMPAIGN FOR PREVENTION OF TORTURE, C-3/441-C, JANAKPURI, WEST DELHI, DELHI.

Sir/Madam,

With reference to your complaint dated 13/09/2010, I am directed to say that the matter was considered by the Commission on 20/01/2012. The Commission has made the following directions.

"These proceedings are in continuation of earlier proceedings of the Commission dated 13.10.2011.

In response Under Secretary to the Government of Mizoram, Home Department vide communication dated 9.11.2011 has sent a receipt of payment of Rs. 50,000/- as monetary compensation to victim MS Dawngliana son of Venlaia.

Since the proof of payment has been received, the case is closed.

Inform 1.O. and recipient accordingly."

This is for your information.

Yours faithfully,

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR(LAW)

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> Dated JUN 2011

To THE CHIEF SECRETARY GOVT. OF MIZORAM, AIZWAL

Sub: Complaint from

TAJANG CHAKMA, COMPLAINTS COORDINATOR NATIONAL CAMPAIGN FOR PREVENTION OF TORTURE, C-3/441-C, JANAKPURI, WEST DELHI DELHI 110058

Sir/Madam.

I am directed to say that the matter was considered by the Commission on 17/06/2011 and the Commission has directed as follows.

"These proceedings are in continuation of the earlier proceedings of the Commission dated 28.1.2011, when it directed to issue a notice under Section 18(a)(i) of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993, to the Government of Mizoram, through its Chief Secretary, to show cause, within six weeks, why monetary compensation should not be recommended to be paid to the victim MS Dawngliana, son of Vanlaia.

Pursuant to the directions of the Commission, a response has been received from the Joint Secretary to the Government of Mizoram, Home Department, admitting the occurrence of violation of human rights of MS Dawngliana and informing that the errant police officer, SI Zodinsanga, has been punished with major penalty. In his communication, the Joint Secretary concluded that "inspite of instructions issued from time to time, this untoward incident occurred which is very much unwelcome for the State Government also. I, therefore, request you not to pass monetary compensation to the victim."

It is clear that the State Government has failed to make out a case to exonerate it from the compensation to be paid to the victim MS Dawngliana, whose human rights were violated. Thus, it is recommended to the Government of Mizoram to pay a sum of Rs. 50,000/- as monetary compensation to the victim MS Dawngliana. The Chief Secretary, Government of Mizoram, is directed to send the proof of payment within six weeks."

It is therefore, requested that the compliance report in the matter be sent to the Commission latest by 08/08/2011, so that the same could be placed before the Commission.

ours faithfully,

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR (LAW)



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