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It does one thing: it replaces paragraph 3 of S.O. 2424(E), the paragraph that sets the report deadline. The notification itself doesn't describe the Commission. Manipur is named only in the e-Gazette's own title for this record, which describes the Commission as "set up to inquire into the causes and associated factors of the crisis and the unfortunate incidents of violence that took place in the State of Manipur".

The note to the notification lists six earlier amendments to S.O. 2424(E): S.O. 3928(E) of September 13, 2024, S.O. 5212(E) of December 3, 2024, S.O. 2239(E) of May 20, 2025, S.O. 5804(E) of December 16, 2025, S.O. 1032(E) of February 26, 2026 and S.O. 2506(E) of May 14, 2026. The notification doesn't give the earlier deadline it replaces or a reason for the extension.

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