

Item No.7

(Court No. 2)

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI.**

(Through Physical Hearing with Hybrid VC Option)

Original Application No. 298/2023

Dr. Raja Singh

...Applicant

Versus

Union of India & Ors.

...Respondents

Date of hearing: 26.09.2023.

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR TYAGI, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. AFROZ AHMAD, EXPERT MEMBER**

Applicant: Applicant in person.

Respondent: None for respondent no. 1.
Mr. Gi.Gi. C George Advocate for respondents no. 2
and 3 (through VC).

Application under Sections 14 and 15 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.

ORDER

1. The prayer in the application is for issuance of directions for stopping the use of Asbestos roof sheets for schools at the pan-India level as a measure of environmental health and safety.
2. Vide order dated 02.05.2023 notices were ordered to be issued to the respondents requiring them to file their response/reply within one month.
3. Pursuant to notice replies have been filed by respondents no. 2 and 3 but no reply has been filed by respondent no. 1 so far.
4. Notice be issued again to respondent no.1 requiring it to file its reply /response to the averments made in the application within two months by email at judicial-ngt@gov.in preferably in the form of searchable PDF/OCR Support PDF and not in the form of Image PDF.

5. List for further consideration on 14.12.2023.

Arun Kumar Tyagi, JM

Dr. Afroz Ahmad, EM

September 26th, 2023
AG