

Item No. 13

Court No. 1

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

Original Application No. 353/2023

Varun Gulati

Applicant

Versus

Govt. of NCT of Delhi & Ors.

Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 23.07.2024

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRAKASH SHRIVASTAVA, CHAIRPERSON  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR TYAGI, JUDICIAL MEMBER  
HON'BLE DR. A. SENTHIL VEL, EXPERT MEMBER**

Applicant: Ms. Mansi Chahal, Mr. S.A. Zaidi, Mr. Kapil Sagar & Mr. Maksad, Advs.

Respondent: Ms. Sakshi Popli, Adv. for DPCC (Through VC)  
Ms. Puja Kalra & Mr. Virendra Singh, Advs. for MCD

**ORDER**

1. In this original application, the issue of illegally operating dyeing units at Bindapur, Matiala, Ranhola, Khyala, Meethapur, Badarpur, Mukundpur and Kirar, Delhi is involved.

2. In terms of the order of the Tribunal dated 23.05.2023, action taken report on behalf of the Joint Committee has been filed. Thereafter, the action taken reports dated 28.11.2023 and 30.01.2024 on behalf of the Delhi Pollution Control Board (DPCC) were filed.

3. The applicant has filed objections to the said reports on 08.04.2024 and the document dated 22.07.2024 in support thereof. In the objection/document, the applicant has taken the stand that the dyeing units are still operating in the area concerned. Learned Counsel for the applicant referring to the chart filed alongwith documents dated 22.07.2024 (page 196) has submitted that four units are operating at the

Khyala residential area and there are as many as 18 dyeing units which are still illegally operating at Meethapur. The geo-coordinates of these illegally operating units have been disclosed in the chart starting from page 196 onwards. Learned Counsel for applicant submits that video footage of these illegally operating units is also available.

4. In view of the above, a prayer has been made by learned Counsel for DPCC to the effect that the Joint Committee will carry out the fresh inspection of the locations disclosed by the applicant in the chart and will take action. In case, if any such premises has been sealed by the MCD then the Joint Committee will be at liberty to take appropriate assistance from the Officers of the MCD to carry out the inspection of the said premises to ascertain the correctness of the allegation that the dyeing unit is illegally functioning in the sealed premises.

5. Learned Counsel for the applicant is directed to supply a copy of the video footage to the Counsel for the DPCC within three days.

6. Let the fresh action taken report be filed by the DPCC within four weeks by e-mail at [judicial-ngt@gov.in](mailto:judicial-ngt@gov.in) preferably in the form of searchable PDF/OCR Support PDF and not in the form of Image PDF.

7. List on 25.10.2024.

Prakash Shrivastava, CP

Arun Kumar Tyagi, JM

Dr. A. Senthil Vel, EM

July 23, 2024  
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