

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

Original Application No. 859/2022
(I.A. No. 632/2023 & I.A. No. 769/2023)

Abhisht Kusum Gupta

Applicant

Versus

State of Uttar Pradesh & Ors.

Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 10.10.2023

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

Applicant: Mr. Abhisht Kusum Gupta, Applicant in Person

Respondent: Mr. Bhanwar Pal Singh Jadon with Mr. Chetan Jadon, Advs. for the State
of UP
Mr. Daleep Dhyani, Adv. for UPPCB (Through VC)

ORDER

1. The issue involved in this OA is in respect of pollution of Hindon river and a prayer is to ensure concrete steps for upgradation, conservation and rejuvenation of the river. The Tribunal in the proceedings dated 17.03.2023 had taken note of prevalent rampant unregulated industrial and sewage waste pollution and inaction by the concerned authorities in this regard. Therefore, before passing any coercive order, the Tribunal thought it proper to direct a joint Committee headed by the Chief Secretary, Uttar Pradesh to take remedial action and file action taken report before the Tribunal.

2. In terms of the said direction, the action taken report has not been filed till now. Learned Counsel appearing for the State of UP submits that the action taken report will be positively filed within two week by e-mail at judicial-ngt@gov.in preferably in the form of searchable PDF/ OCR Support PDF and not in the form of Image PDF.

3. List this matter on 15.12.2023.

Prakash Shrivastava, CP

Sudhir Agarwal, JM

Dr. A. Senthil Vel, EM

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