

Item No. 01

Court No. 1

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

Original Application No. 645/2023

Lalit Kumar Jain

Applicant

Versus

State of Uttar Pradesh

Respondent

Date of hearing: 08.01.2024

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

ORDER

1. This original application is registered on the basis of the letter petition sent by one Mr. Lalit Kumar Jain resident of Nehru Road, Baraut, Baghpat. In the letter petition the complaint is in respect of discharge of sewage in the irrigation canal known by the name of Rajwahe. It is stated that the said irrigation canal flows from Baraut and goes to different villages and the water of this canal is used for the irrigation purposes but the Municipal Corporation, Baraut is discharging the effluents from several drains in this canal as a result of which the water of the canal has become poisonous and health hazard has been created to the residents and cattle. It is also stated that there is a proposal for discharge of the drain water from the drains to be constructed on both side of Binauli Road in the canal.

2. Letter petition raises substantial issue relating to compliance of the environmental norms. Hence, we deem it proper to implead the following respondents and issue notice to them :-

- (1). Member Secretary, Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board (UPPCB),
- (2). District Magistrate, Baghpat and

(3). Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Baraut, Baghpat.

3. Let the notice be served upon the above respondents. Respondents are directed to file their response atleast one week before the next date of hearing 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.

4. List on 06.03.2024

5. A copy of this order, along with a copy of the petition, be forwarded to the Member Secretary, UPPCB, District Magistrate, Baghpat and Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Baraut, Baghpat by e-mail for compliance.

Prakash Shrivastava, CP

Dr. A. Senthil Vel, EM

January 08, 2024
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