

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
PRINCIPAL BENCH**

(By Video Conferencing)

Original Application No.477/2022

Rajender Gangsari

...Applicant

Versus

State of Uttarakhand

...Respondent

Date of hearing: 02.08.2022

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

Applicant: S/Sh. Chaitanya Anil Gaur, Rajender Gangasari, Arun Kumar, Rai Sing and Devance Gaud, Office Bearers of Pachwadun Sanyukt Samiti.

Application is registered based on a complaint received by Post.

ORDER

1. The Pachwadun Sanyukt Samiti has filed the present letter petition, which is treated and registered as original application, complaining about illegal establishment of waste processing unit in the year 2016 by Nagar Nigam Dehradun, at Shishambada Selakui Deranadoon against the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court. The applicant has submitted that the said facility has been established on the land of River Aasan which is contaminating ground water and River Aasan which flows through Aasan wetland and joins River Yamuna. Due to irregularities in operating the waste processing unit, fire broke out on the garbage dump causing air pollution in the area posing serious health hazards to the residents of the locality and severely damaging the environment.

2. We have gone through the application. In view of averments made we are of the view that the factual position needs to be verified and remedial

action is required to be taken on the basis thereof by the concerned Statutory Authorities. Accordingly, we constitute a Joint Committee comprising of representative of Principal Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development, Government of Uttarakhand, Principal Secretary, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of Uttarakhand, Municipal Corporation, Dehradun, State Wet Land Authority, State PCB and District Magistrate, Dehradun. The Joint Committee shall meet within four weeks, undertake site visits, look into the grievances of the applicant, verify the factual position and take requisite remedial action by following due process of law. State PCB will be the Nodal agency for coordination and compliance.

3. Factual and action taken report may be furnished within two months by e-mail at judicial-ngt@gov.in preferably in the form of searchable PDF/OCR Supported PDF and not in the form of Image PDF.

4. List the matter for further consideration on 20.10.2022.

5. A copy of this order, along with a copy of application and documents attached with the same, be forwarded to Principal Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development, Government of Uttarakhand, Principal Secretary, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of Uttarakhand, Municipal Corporation, Dehradun, State Wet Land Authority, State PCB and District Magistrate, Dehradun by e-mail for requisite compliance.

Arun Kumar Tyagi, JM

Dr.Afroz Ahmad, EM

August 02, 2022
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