

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
EASTERN ZONE BENCH, KOLKATA
(THROUGH PHYSICAL HEARING WITH HYBRID MODE)**

Original Application No.108/2023/EZ

Arsad Nasar

Applicant(s)

Versus

The Dept. of Environment, Forests
& Climate Change & Ors.

Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 16.10.2023

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B. AMIT STHALEKAR, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. ARUN KUMAR VERMA, EXPERT MEMBER**

For Applicant(s) : Ms. Paushali Banerjee, Advocate a/w
Mr. Dipanjan Ghosh, Advocate

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Surendra Kumar, Advocate for R-1,2,3 and 8,
Mr. Prithwish Basu, Advocate for R-4 to 7 (in Virtual Mode)

ORDER

1. Ms. Paushali Banerjee, learned Counsel along with Mr. Dipanjan Ghosh, learned Counsel are present on behalf of the Applicant.
2. Mr. Prithwish Basu, learned Counsel appearing (in Virtual Mode) for the Respondent Nos.4 to 7, Private Respondents, prays for and is granted three weeks time for filing counter affidavit.
3. Notices were issued on 13.09.2023. We are surprised that even today no affidavit has been filed even by the Divisional Forest Officer (D.F.O.) who should be most concerned in the matter, nor by the District Magistrate, Collectorate, Sheikpura, nor by the Superintendent of Police, District-Sheikpura. Mr. Surendra Kumar, learned Counsel for the State Respondents, prays for and is granted three weeks time for filing counter affidavit.

4. **List on 04.12.2023.**

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B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

October 16, 2023,
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Dr. Arun Kumar Verma, EM