

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

Original Application No.183/2023/EZ

Vishal Kumar		Applicant(s)
	Versus	
Bihar Foundry and Casting Ltd. & Ors.		Respondent(s)
	With	

Original Application No.44/2023/EZ
(I.A. No.67/2024/EZ)

Rakesh Shrivastava		Applicant(s)
	Versus	
Bihar Foundry and Casting Limited & Ors.		Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 25.11.2024

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

For Applicant(s) : Mr. Akshar Bhatt, Adv. (in Virtual Mode)

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Shivam Bhimsaria, Adv. for RE-1,
Ms. Anamika Pandey, Adv. for R-2 (in Virtual Mode),
Mr. Surendra Kumar, Adv. for R-3,
Mr. Sibojyoti Chakravarti, Adv. for R-4,
Ms. Aishwarya Rajyashree, Adv. for R-5 (in Virtual Mode),
Mr. Gigi C. George, Adv. for R-6 (in Virtual Mode)

For Applicant(s) : Mr. Abhrajit Mitra, Sr. Adv.
(in O.A. No.44/2023/EZ)

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Shivam Bhimsaria, Adv. for R-1 & 2,
Ms. Anamika Pandey, Adv. for R-3 (in Virtual Mode),
Mr. Surendra Kumar, Adv. for R-4,
Mr. Ashok Prasad, Adv. for R-5

ORDER

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1. Mr. Akshar Bhatt, learned Counsel is present (in Virtual Mode) on behalf of the Applicant.
2. Mr. Surendra Kumar, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the Respondent No.3, Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board, prays for and is granted two weeks time for filing counter affidavit.

3. Rejoinder affidavit dated 18.11.2024 has been filed by the Applicant; the same is taken on record.

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4. Mr. Abhrajit Mitra, learned Senior Counsel is present on behalf of the Applicant.
5. Mr. Ashok Prasad, learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the Respondent No.5, Central Pollution Control Board states that Central Pollution Control Board being the member of the Inspection Committee, separate affidavit is not required at this stage.
6. We make it clear that the parties shall complete their pleadings among themselves by the next date of listing, in both the cases.
7. **List for hearing on 28.01.2025.**

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B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

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Dr. Arun Kumar Verma, EM

November 25, 2024,
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