

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

Original Application No.78/2023/EZ

In the matter of:

Manoj Kumar Jena,
S/o Benudhar Jena,
Aged about 35 years,
At-Raghunathpur,
PO & PS- Baripada,
Dist.-Mayurbhanj-757001

.....Applicant(s)

Versus

- 1. State of Odisha,**
Represented by Additional Chief Secretary,
Forest, Environment and Climate Department,
Government of Odisha, Kharabela Bhawan,
Bhubaneswar;
- 2. The Collector and District Magistrate, Mayurbhanj,**
At/PO-Baripada, Dist.-Mayurbhanj,
Odisha, Pin-770001;
- 3. Divisional Forests Officer,**
Baripada Forest Division,
Dist.-Mayurbhanj, Pin-757001;
- 4. Member Secretary,**
Odisha State Pollution Control Board,
A/118, Unit-VII, Nilakahtha Nagar,
Bhubaneswar, Pin-751012;
- 5. Deputy Director General of Forests (C),**
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change,
Regional Office (EZ), A/3,
Chandersekharapur, Bhubaneswar-751023;
- 6. Jalaram Saw Mill,**
Represented by Maganlal Patel,
At/PO/PS-Station Bazar, Baripada,
Dist.-Mayurbhanj-757107;
- 7. Behera Saw Mill,**
Represented by Bijay Kumar Behera,
At/PO/PS-Baripada,
Dist.-Mayurbhanj, Odisha-757107;

8. Girish Chandra Dash,
S/o Late Trinath Das,
At-Prafulla Nagar, Baripada,
PS-Baripada, Dist.-Mayurbhanj-757107

.....Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 25.07.2023

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

For Applicant(s) : Mr. Sankar Prasad Pani, Advocate (in Virtual Mode)

ORDER

1. Mr. Sankar Prasad Pani, learned Counsel appearing (in Virtual Mode) for the Applicant, prays that he may be permitted to withdraw this Original Application with liberty to file a fresh Original Application since one of the controversies in the present case is already engaging the attention of the Hon'ble High Court of Orissa at Cuttack in *W.P. (C) No.20221 of 2023, Sanjib Kumar Mohanty & Ors. vs. State of Odisha and Ors.*
2. We, accordingly dismiss this Original Application with the aforesaid liberty.
3. There shall be no order as to costs.

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B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

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Dr. Arun Kumar Verma, EM

July 25, 2023,
Original Application No.78/2023/EZ
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