

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

Original Application No.133/2023/EZ

Serajul Islam & Anr.	Versus	Applicant(s)
The State of West Bengal & Ors.		Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 12.01.2024

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

For Applicant(s) : Ms. Nasreen Islam, Advocate

For Respondent(s) : Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta, Adv. for R-1-7 & 11, (in Virtual Mode)
 Mr. Sibojyoti Chakraborty, Adv. for R- 8 & 9,
 Mr. Dipanjan Ghosh, Adv. for R- 10, (in Virtual Mode)
 Mr. Mostafijur Rahaman, Adv. for R- 13,14 & 15,
 Mr. Supratick Syamal, Adv. a/w Mr. Alokesh Dalai, Adv.
 and Ms. Samosreedebi Dutta, for R- 16 &17,

ORDER

1. Ms. Nasreen Islam, learned Counsel is present for the Applicant.
2. Mr. Affidavit dated 22.11.2023 has been filed by the Respondent No.16;
 Private Respondent; the same is taken on record.
3. Affidavit also dated 22.11.2023 has been filed on behalf of the
 Respondent No.17; Private Respondent; the same is taken on record.
4. Affidavit dated 11.01.2024 has been filed on behalf of the Applicant; the
 same is taken on record.
5. Learned Counsel for the Respondents state that copies of aforesaid
 affidavits have not been served upon them.
6. The Counsel shall ensure that copies of the affidavits are exchanged
 among themselves before the next date of listing.
7. Mr. Sibojyoti Chakraborty, learned Counsel files Vakalatnama on behalf
 of the Respondent Nos.8&9, West Bengal Pollution Control Board; the

same is taken on record. Learned Counsel prays for and is granted three weeks time for filing counter-affidavit.

- 8. Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta, learned Counsel appearing (in Virtual Mode), for State Respondents, Government of West Bengal, states that he has not received the copy of the Original Application or its annexures inspite of the order of 23.11.2023.
- 9. Ms. Nasreen Isalm, learned Counsel for the Applicant states that she had some personal difficulties as a result of which copy of the Original Application along with its annexures could not be served. Let the copy of the Original Application along with all its annexures be serve upon Mr. Sudip Kumar Dutta within 48 hours, who may file his counter-affidavit within three weeks thereafter.
- 10. **List on 16.02.2024.**

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B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

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Dr. Arun Kumar Verma, EM

January 12, 2024,
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