

Item Nos.06&07

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
CENTRAL ZONE BENCH, BHOPAL
(THROUGH PHYSICAL HEARING (WITH HYBRID OPTION))**

**Appeal No.10/2022(CZ)
(I.A. No.91/2025)**

Sant Kumar Netam Appellant(s)

Vs.

Union of India & Ors. Respondent(s)

With

Appeal No.16/2022(CZ)

Hasdeo Arand Bachao Sangarsh Samiti Appellant(s)

Vs.

Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change & Ors. Respondent(s)

Date of Hearing: 15.05.2026

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

For Appellant (s): Ms. Shibani Ghosh, Adv.
Mr. Abhimanue Shrestha Adv.

For Respondent(s): Mr. Atmaram NS Nadkarni Senior Adv. with
Ms. Deepti Arya, Ms. Manisha Gupta,
Mr. Kunal Verma, Mr. Himanshu Nagpal,
Mr. Rohit Sharma, Mr. Bhanu Thakur,
Ms. Swati Mishra & Mr. Yugandhar Pawar Jha,
Advs. for R-3 & R-8
Dr. Sapna Aggarwal, Adv. for MoEF&CC
Mr. Shaurya PS Parihar, Adv. with
Mr. Siddharth S. Chauhan, Adv.
Mr. Om Shankar Shrivastava, Adv. for R-2 & R-7

ORDER

1. Learned Counsel for the Respondent No.3 (in item No.06) & Respondent No.6 (in item No.07) Mr. Atmaram N.S. Nandkarni has filed the copy of order pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. It is further reported that the matter is still pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

2. Learned Counsel for the Applicant has submitted that some of the Respondents have not filed the reply. Respondents who have not filed the reply are directed to submit the reply within three weeks, failing which the matter may be proceeded ex parte.
3. Learned Counsel for the Applicant is directed to inform the parties concerned on available e-mail.
4. Learned Counsel for the MoEF&CC has submitted that the reply has been filed in Appeal No.10/2022(CZ) and further submitted that the same may be read in Appeal No.16/2022(CZ).

List it on **05th August, 2026** for final hearing.

Sheo Kumar Singh, JM

Dr. Afroz Ahmad, EM

15th May, 2026,
Appeal No.10/2022(CZ)
(I.A. No.91/2025)
with
Appeal 16/2022(CZ)
I.D.