

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
WESTERN ZONE BENCH, PUNE**

(By Video Conferencing)

**APPEAL NO.07 OF 2023 (WZ)
WITH
I.A.NO.56/2023 (WZ) IN APPEAL NO.07/2023 (WZ)**

The Colva Civic & Consumer Forum Appellant

Versus

GCZMA & Ors. Respondents

Date of Hearing : 25.04.2023

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SINGH, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. VIJAY KULKARNI, EXPERT MEMBER**

Appellant : Ms. Judith Almeda, Applicant-in-person

Respondents : Ms. Manasi Joshi, Advocate for R-1 and R-2
Mr. Abhijit Gosavi, Advocate for R-3

ORDER

1. From the side of the appellant/applicant, the applicant-in-person has appeared and raised strong objection to the Joint Committee report which has been filed stating that she was not allowed to show the other illegal structures which were existing there because each time when she was trying to point out the illegal structures, it was told by the Committee members that they would go by the orders of the Tribunal, but we find that we have not given any specific direction in that regard. In the light of that, the report was required to be submitted. Since the applicant is praying for time for filing rejoinder/objection, we allow two weeks' time with a direction that copy of the same shall be served upon the Project Proponent and other parties in advance and thereafter the reply-affidavit thereto, if any shall be filed within seven days.

2. From the side of the Project Proponent, learned counsel Mr. Abhijit Gosavi has appeared and states that he has not received the copy of the Joint Committee as the same is not found uploaded on the website of the GCZMA. We direct learned counsel appearing for the GCZMA to serve a copy of the report to the learned counsel for the Project Proponent today itself. We provide two weeks' time to file reply-affidavit as well as objection and copies of the same shall be exchanged amongst the parties.

3. From the side of respondent Nos.1 and 2 – GCZMA and the State of Goa, learned counsel Ms. Manasi Joshi submits that she would not like to file reply-affidavit, rather she would like to file the reply-affidavit against the stand taken by the other parties.

4. Put up this matter on 19.07.2023.

Dinesh Kumar Singh, JM

Dr. Vijay Kulkarni, EM

April 25, 2023
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