

Item Nos. 1 to 3

(Pune Bench)

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
WESTERN ZONE BENCH, PUNE**
[Through Physical Hearing (with Hybrid Option)]

Original Application No.106/2022(WZ)

Vanashakti & Ors. Applicants
Versus

Union of India & Ors. Respondents
WITH

Original Application No.09/2023(WZ)

The Goa Foundation & Anr. Applicants
Versus

MoEF & CC & Anr. Respondents
WITH

Original Application No.10/2023(WZ)

Federation of Rainbow Warriors & Anr. Applicants
Versus

Union of India & Ors. Respondents

Date of hearing: 19.12.2024

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRAKASH SHRIVASTAVA, CHAIRPERSON
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE B. AMIT STHALEKAR, JUDICIAL MEMBER (VIRTUALLY)
HON'BLE SMT. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER (VIRTUALLY)
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH KUMAR SINGH, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. VIJAY KULKARNI, EXPERT MEMBER**

Applicant: Mr. Yogesh H. Pandey, Advocate h/f Mr. Zaman Ali, Advocate in O.A. No. 106/2022, Ms. Norma Alvares, Sr. Advocate instructed by and with Mr. Om Anthony D' Costa, Advocate in O.A. No.09/2023 and Mrs. Gayatri Singh, Senior Advocate instructed by and with Ms. Ronita Bhattacharya, Advocate in O.A. No. 10/2023

Respondents: Dr. Swati Jindal Garg, Advocate along-with Mr. Shubham Rathod, Advocate h/f Mr. Rahul Garg, Advocate for R-1
Mr. R. B. Mahabal, Advocate & Ms. Manasi Joshi, Advocate and Ms. Pooja Natu, Advocate for R-2 & 3(in O.A. No.106/2022)
Mr. Ramaswamy Meyyappan, Govt. Advocate for Puducherry Coastal Zone Management Authority

ORDER

1. Learned counsel for the applicants in Original Application No.106/2022(WZ) has sought an adjournment. Learned counsel for the applicants in Original Application No.09/2023(WZ) has submitted that against the order dated 11.11.2024 of the Tribunal, the applicants in the said Original Application have filed an appeal before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, which is likely to be listed for hearing in the month of January 2025 and in this background, a prayer for adjournment has been made.

2. We also find that in terms of the order dated 11.11.2024 of the Tribunal, the requisite steps have not been taken by the applicants for amending the cause titles in Original Application No.106/2022(WZ) and Original Application No.09/2023(WZ). Hence, time for amending the cause titles is extended by further three weeks.

3. The cause title of Original Application No.10/2023(WZ) has been amended and newly added respondents, in terms of the order dated 11.11.2024 of the Tribunal, have been impleaded. Learned counsel for the applicants in Original Application No.10/2023(WZ) has submitted that she has served all the newly added respondents and an affidavit of service has also been filed.

4. Learned counsel appearing for the newly added respondents have expressed that they have received all other pleadings, but since Original Applications have not been uploaded on the website, they could not obtain copies of the same. Learned counsel for the applicants in all the three Original Applications have no objection, if the Original Applications with annexures thereto are uploaded on the website. Hence, in the circumstances, office is directed to upload all the three Original Applications along-with the annexures thereto on the website and it will be

open to all the respondents to download the same. It will also be open to them to approach learned counsel for the applicants for obtaining necessary pleadings, if they so desire. Learned counsel for the respondents are granted four weeks' time to file their respective replies. Thereafter, it will be open for the applicants to file rejoinder to the replies that would be filed by the respondents, within two weeks.

5. List on 13.02.2025.

Prakash Shrivastava, CP

B. Amit Sthalekar, JM

Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

Dinesh Kumar Singh, JM

Dr. Vijay Kulkarni, EM

December 19, 2024
Original Application No. 106/2022(WZ),
Original Application No. 09/2023(WZ) &
Original Application No. 10/2023(WZ)
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