

Item No. 8

(Pune Bench)

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

THROUGH PHYSICAL HEARING (WITH HYBRID OPTION)

Appeal No. 32/2022 (WZ)
I.A. No. 89/2023(WZ)

Mr. Suvarn Rajaram Bandekar

.....Appellant

Versus

State of Goa &Ors.

....Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 09.05.2023

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

Appellant : Mr. Shailesh S. Henriques, Advocate along-with Ms. Manasi Joshi, Advocate
Respondent(s) : Mr. Dhruv Tank, Advocate for R-1/GCZMA
Ms. Shreya Phadte, Advocates for R-2 & 3/Pvt. Party
Mr. Dattaprasad Lawande, Advocate for R-5/Pvt. Party

ORDER

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1. By this application, prayer is made to delete existing Respondent Nos. 1a & 1b and re-numbering of GCZMA as Respondent No. 1 instead of Respondent No. 2. The Respondent No. 3 is prayed to be deleted and Respondent Nos. 3a to 3h have been re-numbered as Respondent Nos. 2 to 9 respectively.
2. This application has been moved in compliance with our previous orders dated 25.01.2023 and 24.03.2023. A copy of this I.A. has already been served by all modes upon the other parties.

3. Today, from the side of Respondent No. 5/Private Respondent, learned Counsel Mr. Dattaprasad Lawande has appeared, who says that he has no objection to this amendment being allowed.

4. From the side of Respondent Nos. 2 & 3/Private Respondents, learned Counsel Ms. Shreya Phadte has appeared, who has also no objection to this amendment being allowed.

5. None-else has appeared to oppose the said amendment, therefore, we allow this I.A. and direct the Appellant to file amended memo of appeal forthwith.

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6. We also find that service affidavit has been filed by the learned Counsel for the Appellants, which shows that all the Respondents have been served by all modes, therefore, we hold the service of notice upon all the Respondents to be sufficient.

7. From the side of Respondent No. 1/GCZMA, learned Counsel Mr. Dhruv Tank has appeared and apprised that reply affidavit has already been filed.

8. From the side of Respondent Nos. 2 & 3/Private Respondents, learned Counsel Ms. Shreya Phadte has appeared and apprised that reply affidavit has already been filed.

9. From the side of Respondent No. 5, learned Counsel Mr. Dattaprasad Lawande has appeared, who prays that two weeks' time may be allowed to file reply affidavit, the same is allowed.

10. We direct the Registry to put up main matter for final hearing on 04.08.2023.

11. In the meantime, the parties shall have exchanged the pleadings among themselves so that no adjournment would be required on the next date.

Dinesh Kumar Singh, JM

Dr. Vijay Kulkarni, EM

May 09, 2023
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