

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

(By Video Conferencing)

ORIGINAL APPLICATION NO.41 OF 2023 (WZ)

Arun Nathuram Gaikwad

.... Applicant

Versus

Secretary, Environment Department,
Government of Maharashtra & Ors.

....Respondents

Date of Hearing : 27.04.2023

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

Applicant : Mr. Yogesh Pratap Singh, Advocate

Respondents : Mr. Aniruddha Kulkarni, Advocate for R-1 and R-6
Mr. Rahul Garg, Advocate for R-5

ORDER

1. From the side of respondent No.5 – MoEF&CC, learned counsel Mr. Rahul Garg has appeared and states that he has not received any instructions and seeks time to obtain the instructions.

2. From the side of respondent No.1 – Environment Department and respondent No.6 – SEIAA, Maharashtra, learned standing counsel Mr. Aniruddha Kulkarni has appeared.

3. The notice was directed to be issued only to respondent Nos.5 and 6 and service affidavit has been filed by the applicant as per which both these respondents have already been served. We direct these respondents to file the reply-affidavit within two weeks.

4. The other respondents are yet to be issued notice, which would be issued to them after hearing the learned counsel for respondent Nos.1, 5 and 6. The learned counsel for these respondents state that they have not received copies of the Original Application and the documents. We

therefore direct the learned counsel for the applicant to provide copy of the Original Application along with documents annexed thereto to the learned counsel for respondent Nos.1, 5 and 6 forthwith by e-mail.

5. Put up this matter on 25.07.2023.

Dinesh Kumar Singh, JM

Dr. Vijay Kulkarni, EM

April 27, 2023
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