

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

[THROUGH PHYSICAL HEARING (WITH HYBRID OPTION)]

**Original Application No.01/2024(WZ)
I.A. No.02/2024(WZ)**

Vishal Shantaram Darwatkar

.....Applicant

Versus

Union of India, through Secretary, MoEF&CC & Ors.

....Respondents

Date of hearing: 31.01.2025

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

Applicant	:	Mr. Tanaji Gambhire, Advocate along-with Mr. Vijay Mhaske Advocate
Respondents	:	Mr. Pushkal Mishra, Advocate for R-1/MoEF&CC Mr. A. J. Pathak, Advocate for R-2/CGWA Mr. Aniruddha Kulkarni, Advocate for R-3/SEIAA & R-5/UDD Ms. Manasi Joshi, Advocate for R-4/MPCB Mr. Rahul Garg, Advocate for R-6 & 7/PMC Ms. Supriya Dangare, Advocate for R-9/PP & R-11/PP Mr. Adwait Gokhale, Advocate h/f Mr. Saurabh Kulkarni, Advocate for R-10/PP

ORDER

1. Respondent No.3- SEIAA, respondent No.5- The Secretary, Urban Development Department, respondent No.9- Ganga Ishanya Co-Operative Housing Society Ltd. and respondent No.11- Ganga Ishanya 'C' Co-Operative Housing Society Ltd. has filed their reply affidavits, which are taken on record. Copies of the said reply affidavits are said to have been served upon the applicant. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that he has not received a copy of the reply affidavit filed by respondent Nos.9 & 11- PPs. Therefore, we direct learned counsel for respondent

Nos.9 & 11 to serve the same upon the said learned counsel through e-mail within two days and thereafter, learned counsel for the applicant may file rejoinder affidavit against the reply affidavits of other respondents within three weeks as prayed.

2. Learned counsel for the applicant prays that a direction may be issued to respondent No.4- MPCB to calculate the amount of EDC to be levied from the Project Proponent for the gaps in obtaining the Consent to Establish and Consent to Operate. We allow his request and direct the respondent No.4 to file an additional affidavit in this regard within two weeks.

3. Put up this matter for final hearing on 25.06.2025

Dinesh Kumar Singh, JM

Dr. Vijay Kulkarni, EM

January 31, 2025

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