

Item No.19 to 21:-

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL
SOUTHERN ZONE, CHENNAI**

[Through Physical Hearing (Hybrid Option)]

Original Application No. 150 of 2023(SZ) &

[Earlier O.A. No. 572 of 2022 (PB)(LP)]

With

Original Application No. 151 of 2023(SZ) &

I.A. No. 02 of 2026 (SZ)

[Earlier O.A. No. 307 of 2022 (PB)(LP)]

With

Original Application No. 210 of 2024(SZ)

[Earlier O.A. No. 517 of 2024 (PB)]

IN THE MATTER OF:

Anil Kumar Sastry,
Karnataka

Union of India,
Rep. by its Secretary,
MOEF & CC
New Delhi and ors.



...Applicant(s)

...Respondent(s)

WITH

Suo Moto matter in respect of news item published in the The Hindu dated 26.04.2022 was registered and numbered as OA 307 of 2022 in (PB). **"Hundreds of fishes were found dead and floating in Phalguni (Gurupura) river, downstream the Malavoor vented dam, following the flow of industrial and domestic effluent into the river"**.

And

Union of India,
Rep. by its Secretary, MOEF & CC
New Delhi and ors.

...Respondent

WITH

Suo Moto matter in respect of news item appearing in New Indian Express dated 04.03.2024 titled “**Act against industrial units polluting Phalguni river : DYFI**”.

And

Karnataka State Pollution Control Board,
Through its Member Secretary,
Bangalore and ors.

...Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 01.04.2026.

CORAM:

HON'BLE Smt. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE Dr. PRASHANT GARGAVA, EXPERT MEMBER



O.A. No. 150 of 2023(SZ)

For Applicant(s): None.

For Respondent(s): Mr. S. Rajasekar for R1.
Mr. Rajat Jonathan Shaw represented
Mr. K. M. Darpan for R3, R7 & R8.
Mr. Mukesh Kumar for R6.

O.A. No. 151 of 2023(SZ)

For Applicant(s): Suo Motu.

For Respondent(s): M/s. R.Thirunavukarasu for R2.
Mr. Rajat Jonathan Shaw represented
Mr. K. M. Darpan for R3, R7 & R8.
Mr. Mukesh Kumar for R6.
M/s. A. Yogeswaran, poongkhulali. B,
Jahnavi. V, Raghunandan Sriram,
Sajaikumar. L & Swetha. S/Counsel for I.A.

O.A. No. 210 of 2024(SZ)

For Applicant(s): Suo Motu.

For Respondent(s): Mr. Mahesh Chowdhary for R1.
Mr. R. Thirunavukarasu for R2.
Mr. Rajat Jonathan Shaw represented
Mr. K. M. Darpan for R3.

ORDER

1. The report dated 31.03.2026 of the Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board is filed in O.A. No.150 of 2023(SZ).

2. It is stated that I.A. No. 02 of 2026 (SZ) has been filed in O.A. No. 151 of 2023 (SZ) seeking to implead a private party in the Suo Motu application.

3. The learned counsel appearing for the State of Karnataka has raised objections and seeks time to file a counter. Accordingly, time is granted for filing a counter to I.A. No. 02 of 2026 (SZ).

4. Post the matter on 02.07.2026.

Sd/-

Smt. Justice Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

Sd/-

Dr. Prashant Gargava, EM

O.A. No. 150/2023(SZ) &
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I.A. No. 02/2026 (SZ) &
O.A. No. 210/2024(SZ)
1st April, 2026. RJ.