

Item No.07:-

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

[Through Physical Hearing (Hybrid Option)]

**Original Application No. 17 of 2023 (SZ) &
I.A. No. 24 of 2023(SZ)**

IN THE MATTER OF:

Link Valley Residents Association,
Rep by its General Secretary, Kochi.

...Applicant(s)

Versus

Union of India, MOEF & CC,
Represented by its Deputy Director,
General of Forests (C), Bangalore and Ors.

...Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 13.01.2026.



CORAM:

HON'BLE Smt. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE Dr. PRASHANT GARGAVA, EXPERT MEMBER

For Applicant(s): Mr. P. B. Saharananam & Mr. S. Sai Sathya Jith.

For Respondent(s): Mr. G. M. Syed Nurullah Sheriff for R1.
Mr. Satheesh represented
Mr. G. Prabhu for R2.
Mrs. Rema Smrithi V.K. for R3.
Mr. G. Vignesh represented
Mr. E.K. Kumaresan for R4.
Mr. Abraham Joseph Markos for R6.

ORDER

1. The applicant has filed an objection to the report of the District Collector. However, our earlier order dated 12.11.2025 has not been considered yet by the parties. We will give a last opportunity for the SEIAA - Kerala to ensure that the violations pointed out by the applicant are complied with. If not, mediate the same between the parties.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the 6th Respondent submits that the reply filed by them was returned due to certain defects. Let the defects be rectified and the document re-uploaded before the date of next hearing, without fail.

3. Post the matter on **17.03.2026** for final hearing.



Sd/-

Smt. Justice Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

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Dr. Prashant Gargava, EM

O.A. No.17/2023(SZ) &
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13th January, 2026. AD.