

Item No.10:

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

(Through Video Conference)

Original Application No.59 of 2024(SZ)

Earlier O.A. No. 789 of 2023(PB)

IN THE MATTER OF:

Tribunal on its own motion **SUO MOTU**
based on the news item in The News
Minute dt: 11.12.2023 titled **"TN Govt
forms 20-member committee to mitigate
oil spill in Kasimedu harbour"**.

And

Department of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare,
Govt. of Tamil Nadu,
Rep. by its Commissioner and ors.

...Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 25.03.2024.

CORAM:

HON'BLE Smt. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE Dr. SATYAGOPAL KORLAPATI, EXPERT MEMBER

For Applicant(s): Suo Motu.

For Respondent(s): Dr. D. Shanmuganathan for R1 to R3.
Mr. S. Sai Sathya Jith for R4.

ORDER

1. The above case has been Suo Motu registered by the Principal Bench of the National Green Tribunal, New Delhi as Original Application No.789 of 2023 (PB) based on the news item published in The News Minute dated 11.12.2023 titled **“TN Govt forms 20-member committee to mitigate oil spill in Kasimedu harbour”** which has been transferred to this Bench and renumbered as Original Application No.59 of 2024(SZ).
2. Let notice be issued to the respondents through the Tribunal.
3. The learned counsel Dr. D. Shanmuganathan accepts notice on behalf of Respondents No.1 to 3 and Mr. S. Sai Sathya Jith accepts notice on behalf of Respondent No.4.
4. It is stated that a similar issue is pending consideration before this Bench as O.A. Nos.180 and 183 of 2023 (SZ) which was posted on 02.04.2024.
5. Let the matter be tagged along with **O.A. Nos.180 and 183 of 2023 (SZ)** on **02.04.2024**.

Sd/-

Smt. Justice Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

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Dr. Satyagopal Korlapati, EM

O.A. No.59/2024(SZ)
25th March, 2024. Mn.