

Item No.08:-

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

[Through Physical Hearing (Hybrid Option)]

Original Application No.109 of 2023 (SZ)

IN THE MATTER OF:

Raja Mani. K,
Tiruvallur.

...Applicant(s)

Versus

Avadi Corporation
Rep. by its Commissioner
Tiruvallur District and Ors.

...Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 15.04.2025.



CORAM:

HON'BLE Smt. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE Dr. SATYAGOPAL KORLAPATI, EXPERT MEMBER

For Applicant(s):

Mr. K. Raja Mani (*Party-in-Person*).

For Respondent(s):

Mr. R. Gopinath for R1.

Mr. S. Sai Sathya Jith for R2.

Dr. D. Shanmuganathan for R3.

ORDER

1. Today, the report of the Avadi City Municipal Corporation is filed, which speaks about the Micro Composting Centres (MCCs) in Chozhambedu, Telugu Colony of Muthapudupet and also covering the area of Sekkadu Village.

2. The above said MCCs were constructed under the Clean India Scheme. In Chozhambedu and Sekkadu Village, one Material Recovery Facility (MRF) was erected and the project work has been completed by installing the machinery. Whether it is commissioned or not is not available from the report.

3. The applicant has given a reply to the earlier report of the Avadi City Municipal Corporation stating that the legacy wastes have not yet been removed.

4. The report of the Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board (TNPCB) dated 07.03.2024 had directed the Avadi City Municipal Corporation to complete the compound wall on the western side and the other two sides also not having a compound wall, due to which, there is a possibility of the seepage water reaching the river Coovum from the dumping yard.

5. Already, the TNPCB has levied an Environmental Compensation of Rs.1,20,00,000/- for not providing a common STP for the treatment of sewage generated from the residential colonies.

6. Let the TNPCB inspect the area once again to see whether they have complied with the earlier directions as per the norms and also state whether they have recovered the Environmental Compensation levied for not providing the Common Sewage Treatment Plant.

7. Post the matter on **02.07.2025** for final hearing.

Sd/-

Smt. Justice Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

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Dr. Satyagopal Korlapati, EM

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15th April, 2025. AD.

