

Item No.13:-

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

(Through Video Conference)

Original Application No.152 of 2023 (SZ)

IN THE MATTER OF:

Kumaresan Sooluran
Thiruvallur

...Applicant(s)

With

Tamil Nadu Coastal Zone Management Authority
Rep. by its Member Secretary
Chennai and Ors.

... Respondent(s)



Date of hearing: 21.10.2024.

CORAM:

HON'BLE Smt. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE Dr. SATYAGOPAL KORLAPATI, EXPERT MEMBER

For Applicant(s): Mr. A. Yogeshwaran.

For Respondent(s): Dr. D. Shanmuganathan for R1 to R5.

ORDER

1. The Water Resources Department has not made much progress, except by producing certain photographs showing, at three points referred to in the earlier order, handpicking the Charru Mussel and removing them mechanically.

2. The photographs reveal that steps have been taken only yesterday i.e. 20.10.2024 though the order was passed on 03.10.2024. The photographs also go to show that only one man was employed and one machine was employed for removing the Charru Mussel.

3. Let the Water Resources Department place on record the reason for being hesitant to remove the Charru Mussel swiftly, despite several directions given.

4. As a final chance, let the matter be listed on **24.10.2024** for filing the report as directed by this Tribunal.

Sd/-

Smt. Justice Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

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Dr. Satyagopal Korlapati, EM

O.A. No.152/2023(SZ)
21st October, 2024. Mn.