

Item No.03:-

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

(Through Video Conference)

Original Application No. 116 of 2023 (SZ)

IN THE MATTER OF:

Dr. Devesh Nigam.

...Applicant(s)

Versus

Telangana State Pollution Control Board and Ors.

...Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 22.08.2023.

CORAM:

HON'BLE Smt. JUSTICE PUSHPA SATHYANARAYANA, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE Dr. SATYAGOPAL KORLAPATI, EXPERT MEMBER

For Applicant(s): None.

For Respondent(s): Ms. Dayana represented
 Mr. T. Sai Krishnan for R1.

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.740 of 2022 (PB) based on the complaint received from one Dr. Devesh Nigam, Registrar, University of Hyderabad which has been transferred to this Bench and renumbered as Original Application No.116 of 2023 (SZ).
2. Today, there is no representation for the applicant. Let notice be issued to the applicant as well as respondents through the Tribunal.
3. The learned counsel Ms. J. Dayana representing Mr. T. Sai Krishnan accepts notice on behalf of Respondent No.1.
4. As the Hyderabad Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board (HMWSSB) is a necessary party to this proceeding, we Suo Motu implead them as additional Respondent No.4.
5. As the Joint Committee has recommended that the Telangana State Pollution Control Board (TSPCB) shall ensure the sewage generated from the gated communities and all high-rise buildings operate the STPs regularly and reuse the same without discharging the untreated sewage water into the University premises, the Telangana SPCB is directed to furnish the details regarding the consent (if any) obtained by these commercial and residential apartments if they had already installed STPs. If not, the Telangana SPCB is to find out how the sewage is being treated.

6. In this regard, we call for a report from the HMWSSB (Respondent No.4) as to the status of the STPs provided not only in and around the application mentioned area viz., Gachibowli, but also the other places with reference to the report of the Joint Committee.

7. Post the matter on **29.09.2023**.

Sd/-

Smt. Justice Pushpa Sathyanarayana, JM

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Dr. Satyagopal Korlapati, EM

O.A. No.116/2023 (SZ)
22nd August, 2023. AD.

