

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL,
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI**

Original Application No. 101/2014

Sobha Singh & Ors. vs. State of Punjab & Ors.

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.D. SALVI, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. D.K. AGRAWAL, EXPERT MEMBER**

Present:Applicant/Appellant(s) :Mr. Anish Kumar, Mr. Ansar Ahmad ChaudharyAdvs.
Respondent No. : Ms. Panchajanya Batra Singh, Adv. for MoEF
Respondent No.5 : Mr. Shubham Bhalla Adv. for PPCB
Respondent No.6 :Mr. Saurabh Shyam with Ms. Preeti Bhardwaj, Adv
Respondent No. 9 & 10 : Mr. A. R. Takkar and Mr. Ankur Sharma, Advs.

	Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
	Item No. 10 July 6, 2015	<p>Heard. Perused.</p> <p>For rendering complete and effective justice, Punjab Water Supply & Sewage Board was made party to the present case seeking remedial measures for polluted River Satluj. Time was granted for placing action plan on behalf of the State of Punjab and State of Rajasthan on record. However, their pleadings before us and the submissions made by the Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the State of Rajasthan makes a sense that River Satluj is the donor river of the water which is made available to the State of Rajasthan through Indira Gandhi Nahar Pariyojana and there is no question of pollution being contributed by the State of Rajasthan to River Satluj. More particularly, para 15 of the Application makes one to believe that industries in Ludhiana are the major source of pollution being caused in the waters of River Satluj part of which ultimately flows through Indira Gandhi Nahar Pariyojana to State of Rajasthan.</p>

We, therefore, expect from the State of Rajasthan to file a water quality report showing the type of water they receive from the River Satluj.

The Learned Counsel appearing for the State of Punjab Water Supply and Sewage Board seeks time to file its response. Two weeks time is granted. In the meanwhile, the Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the State of Punjab submits that he would be tendering the Action Plan before the Tribunal in course of the day. Copy of the action plan be furnished to the Applicant who may file Rejoinder thereto, if any, within a week thereafter.

List the matter on 3rd August, 2015.

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(Dr. D.K. Agrawal)

