BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL SOUTHERN ZONE, CHENNAI

Application No. 81 of 2015 (SZ)

AND

IN THE MATTER OF:

M. Velusamy, S/o. Maruthakutti, No.96- Athipalayam Road, Chinnavedapatti, Coimbatore-641 049.

Applicant

 The Secretary to the Government, Department of Environment and Forests, Government of Tamil Nadu, Secretarit, Fort St.George, Chennai.

- 2) The Secretary to the Government, Public Works Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Secretariat, Fort St.George, Chennai.
- The Chairman, The State Planning Commission, Ezhiligam, Cheupak, Chennai.
- The Chairman, The Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, No. 76-Mount Road, Anna Salai, Guindy, Chennai.
- The Joint Chief Environment and Social Welfare Engineer, Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, No.216-Thapakkam Road, G.C.T. Post, Coimbatore.
- The District Environmental Engineer, Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, Coimbatore.
- The District Collector, Coimbatore, Coimbatore District.
- 8) The Commissioner, Coimbatore Corporation, Coimbatore.

9) The Mayor, Coimbatore Corporation, Coimbatore.

Respondent(s)

Counsel appearing for the Applicant:

M/s. K. Myilsamy

Counsel appearing for the Respondents:

M/s. M.K. Subramanian and P. Velmani for R-1 and R-7 M/s. Abdul Saleem, S. Saravanan and Mrs. Vidyalakshmi Vipin for R-2 and R-3 Mrs. H. Yasmeen Ali for R-4 to R-6 M/s. R. Sivakumar and S. Suresh for R-8

ORDER

PRESENT:

HON'BLE SHRI JUSTICE DR. P. JYOTHIMANI, JUDICIAL MEMBER HON'BLE SHRI P.S. RAO, EXPERT MEMBER

Dated 11th August, 2016

Whether the Judgement is allowed to be published on the Internet – Yes/No Whether the Judgement is to be published in the All India NGT Reporter – Yes/No

There is no appearance on behalf of the applicant. The record shows that the applicant has been continuously absent. The learned counsel for the respondents are present. Even though, there is no representation on behalf of the applicant, since the pleadings are completed, the application has been taken up on merit.

The relief claimed in the application by the applicant is to forbearing the 3rd respondent authorities namely, the State Planning Commission, Chennai from granting any subsidy under solid waste management scheme of Tamil Nadu to

the 8th respondent the Commissioner, Coimbatore Corporation from construction of modern waste transfer station and compost plant for recycling garbage waste at Ward No.42, Chinnavedampatti, Coimbatore and also forbearing the 8th respondent authorities form construction of modern waste transfer station and compost plant for recycling garbage waste.

In the reply filed by the 3rd respondent dated 11.03.2016 it is clearly stated that the State Planning Commission has not granted and will not grant any subsidy for the said project.

In Para No. 4 of the reply, it is stated as follows:

"I respectfully submit that the State Planning Commission has not granted and will not grant any subsidy for the above mentioned project as such"

In view of the categorical stand taken by the 3rd respondent in the reply, the relief claimed by the applicant is actually achieved. Accordingly the application stands disposed of as nothing survives. There is no order as to costs.

Justice Dr.P. Jyothimani Judicial Member

> P.S. Rao Expert Member