

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

Original Application No. 60/2013 (THC)

Sonya Ghosh Vs. Govt. of NCT of Delhi & Ors.

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.D. SALVI, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE DR. G. K. PANDEY, EXPERT MEMBER
HON'BLE SHRI BIKRAM SINGH SAJWAN, EXPERT MEMBER**

**Present: Applicant / Appellant :Mr. Raj Panjwani, Sr. Adv. with Ms. Preeta Dhar, Adv.
Respondents No. 1&2 :Mr. D. Rajeshwar Rao, Adv. and Mr. Charanjeet Singh, Adv.
Respondent No. 3 :Mr. Mr. Sanjay Deawn, Govt. Counsel
:Mr. Abhijit and Mr. Harsh, Adv.**

Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
Item No. 6 July 7, 2014	<p style="text-align: center;">Heard. Perused.</p> <p>This application with the result of the Public Works Department going ahead with the widening of the road from Mehrauli to Mahipalpur without obtaining necessary permission from the Forest Department. Now, it is submitted that the application has been moved to the Forest Department for obtaining necessary permission for phase-I and a direction to the Forest Department to dispose of such application in accordance with law within two weeks to facilitate the mitigation of the problems phased by the local residents due to the project of widening of road getting stopped.</p> <p>We believe that such direction to bring some relief to the local residents, we therefore direct the Forest Department to dispose of the application moved by the PWD for obtaining permission for phase-I to cut the trees on the stretch of the road earmarked for widening within two weeks in accordance with law.</p> <p>The Forest Department, if it, proposes to grant permission for tree cutting shall suggest mitigative measures in order to avoid adverse impact on the environment.</p> <p>The PWD shall submit to such necessary information as required by the Forest Department for disposal of such</p>

application.

List this matter on 23rd July, 2014.

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(Dr. G. K. Pandey)

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