

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

(By Video Conferencing)

Original Application No. 215/2021

Shivalik Emerald Hills Residents  
Welfare Society

Applicant

Versus

Department of Forest, Uttarakhand

Respondent

Date of hearing: 01.09.2021

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADARSH KUMAR GOEL, CHAIRPERSON  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR AGARWAL, JUDICIAL MEMBER  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BRIJESH SETHI, JUDICIAL MEMBER  
HON'BLE DR. NAGIN NANDA, EXPERT MEMBER**

**ORDER**

1. Grievance in this application is against encroachment of the forest land in Malsi Forest in Bindal Rao in Rajpur Area, Dehradun. Reference has been made to an order of the Uttarakhand High Court dated 18.09.2019 in WPPIL No. 58 of 2019, *Urmila Thapa v. State of Uttarakhand & Ors.* though copy of the order has not been furnished. The applicant has stated that he approached the Nagar Nigam, Forest Department, SHO, Rajpur and District Magistrate, Dehradun but no response has been received.

2. In view of above averments, we consider it appropriate to require a factual and action taken report from a joint Committee of PCCF (HoFF), Uttarakhand, SEIAA, Uttarakhand and the District Magistrate, Dehradun. The PCCF (HoFF), Uttarakhand will be nodal agency for coordination and compliance. The report may be furnished within one

month from today by e-mail at [judicial-ngt@gov.in](mailto:judicial-ngt@gov.in) preferably in the form of searchable PDF/OCR Support PDF and not in the form of Image PDF.

A copy of this order be forwarded to the PCCF (HoFF), Uttarakhand, SEIAA, Uttarakhand and District Magistrate, Dehradun by e-mail for compliance.

List for further consideration on 12.11.2021.

Adarsh Kumar Goel, CP

Sudhir Agarwal, JM

Brijesh Sethi, JM

Dr. Nagin Nanda, EM

September 01, 2021  
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