BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL, PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI

ORIGINAL APPLICATION NO.21 OF 2014

(M.A NO. 87/2015, M.A NO. 90/2015, M.A NO. 155/2015,

M.A NO. 200/2015, M.A NO. 203/2015, M.A NO. 219/2015, M.A NO. 283/2015, M.A NO. 394/2015, M.A NO. 412/2015 TO M.A NO. 414/2015, M.A NO. 420/2015, M.A NO. 482/2015, M.A NO. 502/2015, M.A NO. 601/2015, M.A NO. 604/2015, M.A NO. 605/2015, M.A NO. 618/2015, M.A NO. 581/2015, M.A NO. 631/2015, M.A NO. 683/2015, M.A NO. 716/2015, M.A NO. 718/2015 & M.A NO.

719/2015) AND

Original Application No. 95 of 2014

IN THE MATTER OF:

Vardhaman Kaushik Vs. Union of India & Ors.

And

Sanjay Kulshrestha Vs. Union of India & Ors.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SWATANTER KUMAR, CHAIRPERSON

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.S. NAMBIAR, JUDICIAL MEMBER

HON'BLE DR. D.K. AGRAWAL, EXPERT MEMBER HON'BLE PROF. A.R. YOUSUF, EXPERT MEMBER

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Present: Applicant:

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Mr.Rajiv Bansal, Mr.Kush Sharma and Ms. Arpita, Advs. (DDA)

Mr. Gurinderjit, Adv. For PPCB

Ms. Puja Kalra, Adv. For SDMC and North MCD

Mr. Daulat Ram, PWD

Ms. Pinky Anand, Sr. Adv., ASG, Mr. Rajesh Ranjan and Mr. Balendu Shekhar, Advs. For Ministry of Road & Transport

Mr. Balendu Shekhar and Mr. Vivek Jaiswal, Advs.

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Mr. Mukesh Kumar, Adv. with Mr. K.C. Kaushik, Advs.

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Mr. Anil Shrivastav and Mr. Sanyam Saxena, Advs. For State of Arunachal Pradesh

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Mr. Sunil Satyarthu, Adv. For Delhi Cantonment Board

Mr. Anil Grover, AAG and Mr. Rahul Khurana, Adv. For State of Haryana

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Prerna Singh and Mr. Prashant Mathur, Advs. For State of Andhra Pradesh

Respondent No. 1: Respondent No. 2 & 4: Mr. Ravindra Kumar and Mr. Gudipati G. Kashyap, Advs. For Greater NOIDA Indl. Development Authiryt and NOIDA Authority

Mr. Apoorv Kurup, Adv. For state of Chhattisgarh Mr. Deepak Khadaria, Adv. for Ajmal Khan Vayapar Mandal Association, Karol Bagh

Mr. Sanjay K. Gulati, Adv. in MA No. 716/2015

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Mr. Gopal Singh and Mr. Rituraj Biswas, Adv. for State of Tripura

Ms. Ruchir Batra, Adv. for Lajpat Nagar Traders Association

Mr. Sanjeev Ralli, Adv. for Chandni Chowk Sarv Vyapar Mandal (Intervenor)

Mr. P. Venkat Reddy, Adv. for State of Telengana Ms. Abhisaar Bairagi, Adv. for Container Corporation (CONCOR)

Mrs. Aruna Mathur and Mr. K. Vijay Kumar, Advs. For State of Sikkim

Mr. Rudreshwar Singh and Mr. Gautam Singh for State of Bihar

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Mr. Suryanarayan Singh, Sr. Addl. Advocate General for State of H.P.

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Mr. Jayesh Gaurav, Adv. For State of Jharkhand & JSPCB

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Mr. Kabir S. Bose, Mr. Saa<mark>k</mark>aar Sardana and Ms. Surabhi Sardana, Advs. fo<mark>r</mark> WB & WBPCB

Mr. Senjul Khanna, Mr. Deepak Jain and Mr. Alok Kumar, Advs. For UT of Daman & Diu and Dadara & Nagar Haweli

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Mr. Atul Jha, Adv. for State of Chhattisgarh

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Mr. Pradeep Mishra and Mr. Daleep Kumar Dhyani, Advs.

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Present: Applicant:

Respondent No.1: Respondent No. 2 to 6:

Respondent No. 7:

Appearance not marked

Mr. Vikas Malhotra and Mr. M.P. Sahay, Advs.

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Orders of the Tribunal

| | Remarks | Orders of the Tribunal |
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| | Item No. 18-19 | M.A. No. 87 of 2015 |
| | July 20, | Nobody is present on behalf of Applicant. The |
| | 2015 | Application is dismissed for default of appearance. |
| | | The M.A. No. 87 of 2015 is disposed of accordingly. |
| | | M.A. No. 90 of 2015 |
| | | Nobody is present on behalf of Applicant. The |
| | | Application is dismissed for default of appearance. |
| | | The M.A. No. 90 of 2015 is disposed of accordingly. |
| A | 111_ | M.A. No. 115 of 2015 and M.A. No. 482 of 2015 |
| V. | A | We will deal with these applications while disposing of |
| | 7 | the main application itself. |
| V | 1 2 | These Miscellaneous Applications No. 115 of 2015 |
| | 1/1/8 | and 482 of 2015 be listed in the main application. |
| • | 1 | W A No 000 of 0015 |
| | 47 | M.A. No. 200 of 2015 |
| | | This Application is disposed of with liberty to |
| | | Applicant to address the Tribunal on regulation of traffic in |
| | | Karol Bagh area at the time of final arguments in the main |
| | | application. |
| | | The M.A. No. 200 of 2015 stands disposed of |
| | | accordingly. |
| | | M.A. No. 203 of 2015 |
| | | Nobody is present on behalf of Applicant. The |
| | | Application is dismissed for default of appearance. However, |
| | | applicant is liberty to file their own petition if so desired. |

Date and

With the direction M.A. No. 203 of 2015 is disposed of.

M.A. No. 219 of 2015

Nobody is present on behalf of Applicant. The prayer made in this Application does not survive for consideration, in view of the direction passed by the Tribunal in its judgement. However, we grant liberty to Applicant to address the Tribunal at the time of final disposal of the main application.

With the above observation M.A. No. 219 of 2015 stands disposed of.

M.A. No. 283 of 2015

This Application is disposed of with liberty to Applicant to address the Tribunal at the time of final arguments in the main application.

With the above terms M.A. No. 283 of 2015 stands disposed of.

M.A. No. 412 of 2015

This is an Application for impleadment and for modification of the order dated 07th April, 2015. The M.A. No. 412 of 2015 be listed with the main matter for arguments.

M.A. No. 581 of 2015

The Learned Counsel appearing for the Applicant submits that the order dated 15th March, 2015 is causing lot of inconvenience to the Traders and the said order be modified to permit vehicles to go to Chandni Chowk and other markets for loading and unloading during 11:00 A.M. – 08:00 P.M.

The Learned Counsel appearing for the NCT, Delhi, North Municipal Corporation as well as counsel appearing for Chandni Chowk Sarv Vyapar Mandal submit that restriction should be maintained in the interest of environment, traffic regulations and even for the commercial activity.

We have heard the Learned Counsel appearing for the parties. We are of the considered view that the above restriction does not call for any variation as the loading and unloading can be effective by the Traders from 8:00 P.M. till morning as permissible under law. But permitting loading and unloading during the day hours will lead to complete chaos and vehicular congestion. However, we make it clear that we had not prohibited regular commercial activity being carried on in the area.

With these clarifications M.A. No. 581 of 2015 is disposed of. We grant liberty to the Applicant to address at the time of final arguments of the main application. This application is accordingly disposed of.

M.A. No. 601 of 2015

This Application is allowed subject to just exception. The company is permitted to address the bench during arguments in the main application, to contend that CNG utilisation should be increased and incentive be provided to the people.

With the above observation M.A. No. 601 of 2015 stands disposed of with no order as to cost.

M.A. No. 604 of 2015 and M.A. No. 605 of 2015

The Learned Counsel appearing for Applicant upon instruction wishes to withdraw this Application with liberty to file substantive petition, giving complete facts.

With the above terms both the M.A. No. 604 of 2015 and M.A. No. 605 of 2015 stand disposed of with liberty as prayed.

M.A. No. 618 of 2015 and M.A. No. 631 of 2015

These Applications are to be heard with the main application.

M.A. No. 716 of 2015

We have heard the Applicant. Most of the suggestions made in this application are beyond the purview and jurisdiction of this Tribunal. Therefore, it cannot be considered. As far as the suggestions in regard to collection and disposal of leaves are concerned, we grant liberty to Applicant to mention during arguments of the main application.

With the above directions the M.A. No. 716 of 2015 stands disposed of.

M.A. No. 718 of 2015 and M.A. No. 719 of 2015

We have heard the Learned Counsel appearing for Applicant. These applications are disposed of with a direction that we would consider at the time of passing appropriate directions in the main judgement in that regard, if necessary.

With the above terms M.A. No. 718 of 2015 and M.A. No. 719 of 2015 stand disposed of.

Main Matter

We direct NCT, Delhi to constitute three different teams which will include Enforcement officer from Transport Enforcement Department, representative not below the rank of Environmental Engineer from DPCC, Environmental Engineer from CPCB, representative from Delhi Police not below the rank of ACP and an officer from Weigh and Measurement Department of Delhi Administration. The teams shall be supervised by the Deputy Commissioner personally. This team will be fully equipped for the purpose of examining age of the diesel trucks entering Delhi after 05:00 P.M. and for checking of emission and weighing of the loaded vehicles. These teams would be fully equipped with mechanism for the purpose of complying above direction at entry point from Chandigarh that is Sonepat, Delhi Border, Ghaziabad - Delhi Border, Bahadurgarh - Delhi Border and Delhi - NOIDA Border.

This report would be submitted to the Tribunal by 22^{nd} July, 2015. The inspection would be conducted all over the night and it will be computed as to how many trucks enter Delhi between 05:00 P.M and 07:00 A.M.

The Learned Counsel appearing for the State of Haryana, NHAI shall produce records and officers of the rank of Member Technical of NHAI and Secretary and Chief Engineer both dealing with the Eastern and Western by-pass shall be present on 22nd July, 2015.

The Learned Counsel appearing for NCT, Delhi will seek instructions in regard to compliance of the various directions, which obviously appear from the record not to have been complied with.

| (Swatanter Kumar) | ,CP |
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| (M.S. Nambiar) | JM |
| (Dr. D.K. Agrawal) | EM |

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| (Prof. A.R. Yousuf) |

