Item Nos. 09 Court No. 1

BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI

Original Application No. 703/2019 (I.A. No. 493/2019)

Society for Protection of Culture, Heritage, Environment, Traditions & Promotion of National Awareness

Applicant(s)

Versus

Government of NCT of Delhi & Ors.

Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 29.08.2019

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADARSH KUMAR GOEL, CHAIRPERSON HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.P. WANGDI, JUDICIAL MEMBER CORAM:

HON'BLE DR. NAGIN NANDA, EXPERT MEMBER

For Applicant(s): Mr. Amit Dubey, Mr. Vikas Kakkar, Mr. Paras

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ORDER

Grievance in this application is that permission for felling 3000 trees and transplantation of 3500 trees has been given by the Secretary, Environment, Delhi Government in favour of National Highway Authority of India for Dwarka Expressway Package-2 without into account whether transplantation is viable and without ensuring compensatory afforestation. There is no proper assessment of the survival rate of trees to be transplanted.

Before we consider the matter, we find it necessary to require a factual report in the matter from the PCCF, Delhi which may be furnished within one month by email at judicial-ngt@gov.in.

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List for further consideration on 06.11.2019.

Adarsh Kumar Goel, CP

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