

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD
R/WRIT PETITION (PIL) (WRIT PETITION (PIL)) NO. 9 of
2024**

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RE-MANAGEMENT OF THE WATER BODIES SUCH AS
RESERVOIRS/PONDS/RIVERS/LAKES IN THE STATE OF
GUJARAT, & ANR.

Versus

STATE OF GUJARAT THROUGH THE SECRETARY HOME
DEPARTMENT & ORS.

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Appearance:

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MR KAMAL TRIVEDI, ADVOCATE GENERAL with

MR VINAY BAIRAGA, AGP for the Opponent(s) No. 1

MASUMI V NANAVALTY(9321) for the Opponent(s) No. 6

MR ASHISH M DAGLI(2203) for the Opponent(s) No. 8

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MR UTKARSH J DAVE(10620) for the Opponent(s) No. 3

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MR. RADHESH Y VYAS(7060) for the Opponent(s) No. 4

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**CORAM: HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MRS. JUSTICE
SUNITA AGARWAL**

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE D.N.RAY

Date : 03/07/2026

ORAL ORDER

**(PER : HONOURABLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MRS. JUSTICE
SUNITA AGARWAL)**

In view of pendency of the matter pending before the Apex Court, we post this Public Interest Litigation on 21.08.2026 keeping liberty reserved for the parties to seek pre-ponement of the date in the event of decision of the Apex Court.

(SUNITA AGARWAL, CJ)

(D.N.RAY,J)

SHRIJIT PILLAI