



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR

PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 15/2021

Swacch Association Through its Secretary Sharad Biharilal Paliwar

Vs.

Ministry of Environment and Forest through its Secretary Indira Paryavaran Bhavan,
New Delhi and Ors.

Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,
appearances, Court's orders of directions
and Registrar's orders

Court's or Judge's orders

Mr. P. W. Mirza, Advocate for Petitioner.
Mr. N. S. Deshpande, DSGI for Respondent Nos.1 and 3.
Mr. N. R. Patil, A.G.P. for Respondent Nos.4 and 5.
Mr. S. S. Sanyal, Advocate for Respondent No.6.
Mr. J. B. Kasat, Advocate for Respondent No.7.
Mr. N. G. Moharir, Advocate for Respondent No.9.

CORAM : NITIN W. SAMBRE AND
MRS.VRUSHALI V. JOSHI, JJ.

DATED : 25/11/2024.

1. Mr. Nandesh Deshpande, learned Deputy Solicitor General of India appearing for respondent Nos.1 and 3 submits that the affidavit in compliance with the order dated 24.10.2024 is served on the learned Counsel for the petitioner, who acknowledges the same.

2. As far as the issue about investigation of Crime No.149/2023 registered with Police Station, Imamwada, we are informed that the investigation papers are before the Commissioner of Police and every endeavour shall be made to place before this Court the response of the Commissioner of Police within a week.

3. In paragraph 7 of the aforesaid order dated 24.10.2024, this Court has observed that the investigation in all these crimes viz. Crime No.118/2022 and 121/2022 is carried out in a casual manner and the Deputy

Commissioner of Police, Zone 4, Nagpur City has assured to look into the same.

4. Mr. N. R. Patil, learned Additional Public Prosecutor is handicapped for want of charge-sheet and incomplete papers to assist the Court so as to report the compliance of the said order to the extent of Crime Nos.118/2022 and 121/2022 registered with Ajani Police Station.

5. The Officers, who are present in the Court, are unable to satisfy the queries of the Court for want of production of charge-sheet in both these matters.

6. As such, when this Court was about to pass an adverse order, it is assured that the Deputy Commissioner of Police, Zone 4, Nagpur City shall attend the Court proceedings with charge-sheet in both the Crime Nos.118/2022 and 121/2022 registered with Ajani Police Station so as to explain and justify the investigation carried out.

7. Stand over to 26.11.2024 at 2.30. p.m.

(MRS. VRUSHALI V. JOSHI, J.)

(NITIN W. SAMBRE, J.)