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N.SATHISH KUMAR, J.
AND
D.BHARATHA CHAKRAVARTHY, J.

Order Dated : 24.11.2022

The Report filed on behalf of the 4th Respondent Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board is bereft of any details. We are prima facie satisfied that the very report does not reflect the affairs or otherwise the same indicate that there is a clear cloud of the Pollution Control Board officials with the violators. Despite the positive direction to conduct inspection, the Pollution Control Board despite finding that there was no licence issued to them. Instead of closing down the units the report says that they have examined 23 units and there is no reference or mention with regard to the others. We are not in a position to accept the Report in view of the casual reference and filing of such details without any actual inspection. In fact, though, we are of the view that it is a fit case to initiate contempt proceedings against the officer who filed the affidavit, the learned counsel appearing the 4th Respondent submitted that he will file all the reports in detail, in the next date of hearing. Only for the sake of such submissions of the learned counsel, the contempt proceeding is not initiated. If the report is not filed in the next hearing date, contempt proceedings will be initiated against the



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concerned officials.

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2. Post the matter on 22.12.2022

ELEPHANT CORRIDORS

With respect to identifying the elephant corridors, it is submitted by the learned Amicus Curiae Mr. Santhanaraman that elephant corridor related to the segur platue, a committee has been constituted based on the directions of this Court and submitted the report. Based on that, G.O.has been passed and the same was upheld by the Courts. Same procedure can be followed.

2. Learned Special Government Pleader seeks adjournment to get instructions whether the Government itself could constitute a committee taking note of the earlier guidelines and file a report on 22.12.2022.

(N.S.K.,J.) (D.B.C.,J.)
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