

Court on its own motion Vs. NHAI & Ors.

CWPIL No. 249/2017

25.04.2024 Present: Court on its own motion.

Mr. K.D. Shreedhar, Senior Advocate with Ms. Shreya Chauhan, Advocate, for respondent No. 1/NHAI.

Mr. Balram Sharma, Deputy Solicitor General of India, for respondent No. 2/UOI.

Mr. I.N. Mehta, Senior Additional Advocate General with Mr. Ramakant Sharma, Ms. Sharmila Patial, Additional Advocates General and Mr. Raj Negi, Deputy Advocate General, for the respondents-State.

Ms. Kiran Dhiman, Advocate, for respondent No. 6.

In compliance to the orders passed by this Court on 04.04.2024, the Project Director, NHAI has filed the status report.

We appreciate the efforts made by the respondent-NHAI in ensuring that bottlenecks are removed and at the same time even the encroachments are removed. We also appreciate the action taken by the Superintendent of Police, Solan, whereby, as many as 1367 vehicles have been challaned for various violations under Motor Vehicles Act.

We hope and expect that the NHAI, as also the Superintendent of Police, Solan, would continue taking action without there being any necessity for the

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Court to pass directions in future.

Let competent officer of the NHAI remain present before this Court on the next date of hearing to apprise this Court about the ongoing projects of NHAI regarding slope protection and retaining walls.

List on **30.04.2024**.

**(Tarlok Singh Chauhan)
Judge**

**(Sushil Kukreja)
Judge**

25th April, 2024
(raman)