

No	Date	Office Notes, reports, orders or proceedings or directions and Registrar's order with Signatures	COURT'S OR JUDGES'S ORDERS
			WPIL No.121 of 2025 <u>Hon'ble Manoj Kumar Tiwari, J.</u> <u>Hon'ble Subhash Upadhyay, J.</u> Mr. Pankaj Miglani, learned counsel for the petitioner through V.C. 2. Mr. B.S. Parihar, learned Addl. C.S.C. for the State/ respondent no.1 and 2. 3. Mr. D.S. Patni, learned Senior Counsel assisted by Mr. Bhupendra Singh Bisht, learned counsel for respondent no.3 and 4. 4. Mr. Aditya Pratap Singh, learned counsel for respondent no.6. 5. Petitioner has raised issue of vital public interest in this PIL. It is alleged that on Nainital-Kaladhungi road, there are two lakes, namely, Sariatal and Khurpatal and water from these lakes is used for irrigation as well as drinking purposes. 6. It is alleged that untreated animal waste as well as human waste is being discharged directly into these lakes. It is further alleged that a number of hotels and home-stays have come up near the lakes which are also responsible for polluting the lakes as the wastewater/sewage discharged from the hotels/home-stays ultimately leads to these lakes. 7. Since water from the aforesaid lakes is used for drinking and other purposes,

			allegation made in the writ petition cannot be casually brushed aside. The Competent Authority in Uttarakhand Pollution Control Board is directed to have a survey of the locality done by a team of responsible officials within three weeks from today. Survey report shall be placed on record on or before the next date of listing. 8. Respondent Nos. 2, 3 & 4 are directed to ensure that untreated waste is not discharged into the water bodies referred to above by any hotel or home-stay. 9. Respondent No. 3 shall also suggest ways and means to prevent discharge of animal waste from the horse stand into the water bodies, on the next date of listing. 10. Issue notice to respondent no.5, returnable within four weeks. Steps be taken within a week. 11. List this case on 29.08.2025. (Subhash Upadhyay,J.) (Manoj Kumar Tiwari, J.) 04.07.2025 SS
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