

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL,
PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI**

**Original Application No. 73 of 2014
(M.A. No. 655 of 2016, M.A. No. 963 of 2016, M.A. No. 1051 of 2016,
M.A. No. 285/2017, M.A. No. 961/2017 & M.A. No. 1010 of 2017)**

And

Original Application No. 13 of 2014

And

Original Application No.186 of 2014

IN THE MATTER OF :

All Dimasa Students Union Dima Hasao Dist. Committee

Vs.

State of Meghalaya & Ors.

And

Impulse NGO Network Vs. State of Meghalaya & Ors.

And

Thomas Nongtdu & Anr. Vs. State of Meghalaya & Ors.

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U.D.SALVI, JUDICIAL MEMBER, ACTING CHAIRPERSON

Original Application No. 73 of 2014

Present: Amicus Curie:

**Mr. Rahul Pratap, Adv. for MoEF
Mr. Shaurya Sahay and Mr. Avijit Manu
Tripathi, Advs.**

**Mr. Rajiv Bansal, Sr. Adv, Ms. Aprajita
Mukarjee, adv, Ms. Prashant Sharma, adv,
Ms. Malvika Bhanot, adv**

**Mr. A. Rohen Singh, Mr. Ahanthem Henry
and Mr. Vivek Kumar, Advs.**

**Mr. Shuvodeep Roy and Mr. Vinayak Gupta,
Advs.**

**Mr. Ardhendumauli Kr. Prasad and Mr.
Shashank Saxena, Advs.**

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Present:

**Mr. Raj Panjwani, Sr. Adv. and Mr. Aagney
Sail, Adv. for applicant**

Respondents

**:
Mr. Ranjan Mukherjee, Adv., Mr. Daniel
Stone Lyngdoh,**

Original Application No.186 of 2014

**Present: Applicant :
Respondents**

**Mr. Ranjan Mukherjee, Adv., and Mr. Daniel
Stone Lyngdoh, Adv.**

	Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
	Item Nos. 02 to 04 January 02, 2018 ss	The Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change was required to submit the Environment and Ecology

	<p>Item Nos. 02 to 04</p> <p>January 02, 2018</p>	<p>Restoration Plan.</p> <p>The Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change points out that in pursuance to the order dated 31st March, 2016 the Committee under the Chairmanship of Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change was constituted and a plan for restoration of the Environment and Ecology, particularly the protection of water body from the menace of unscientific and unregulated coal mining, has been prepared and filed with the affidavit dated 03rd October, 2017 (Page 875) and the said plan finds place in Committee's deliberations recorded in the minutes of the meeting on 03rd August, 2016 at annexure-2 to the said affidavit. Copies of this affidavit along with annexures shall be furnished to all the contending parties within a week.</p> <p>The Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of State of Meghalaya submits that the State has placed on record a complete data in relation to the quantity of mined coal lying at the time of passing of the first exemption order by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India through the affidavit dated 05th October, 2017 (Page 903). Copies of this affidavit, if not furnished earlier to the contending parties shall be supplied to them within a week.</p> <p>He further submits that the M.A. No. 1010 of 2017 was moved by the Applicant in Original Application No. 73 of 2014 seeking directions to State of Meghalaya to frame policy to protect river and carve out regulated zone along the banks of major rivers in the State of Meghalaya, Wildlife Sanctuary, reserve forest and natural cave, is not</p>
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	<p>Item Nos. 02 to 04</p> <p>January 02, 2018</p>	<p>maintainable. The application can only be made for consequential relief flowing from the principal relief sought in the application.</p> <p>The Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of applicant in M.A. No. 1010 of 2017 submits that he has been impleaded to the main petition and he is seeking relief as solicited in the miscellaneous application only in relation to Rat Hole Mining.</p> <p>In view of the statement made the application can be disposed of with the decision on the issue of the Action Plan for controlling the Rat Hole Mining before us.</p> <p>Liberty is granted to file replies to the application before us within two weeks from today. Advance copies of the replies be furnished to the applicant who may file Rejoinder(s) thereto, if any, within one week from thereafter.</p> <p>List these cases on 09th February, 2018.</p> <p>.....,ACP (U.D. Salvi)</p>
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