BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL EASTERN ZONE BENCH, KOLKATA

Original Application No. 60/2017/EZ

TAPAN DAS Vs

DIRECTOR, DIRECTORATE OF MINES MINERALS & Ors.

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Ranjan Chatterjee, Expert Member

PRESENT: Applicant : Mr. Kalyan Sengupta,, Advocate

Ms. Sayanti Sengupta, Advocate

Other Respondents : None

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Date & Remarks	
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8 th May, 2017.	Heard.
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	Mr. Kalyan Sengupta, Ld. Advocate appearing with
200	Mrs. Poushali Banerjee, Ld. advocate, has brought to
W	our notice the issue of e-auction taking place in the
	district of Paschim Medinipur and newly created
	Jhargram district in West Bengal. It is alleged by the ld.
	counsel that proper procedures are not being followed
	in accordance with West Bengal Minor Minerals
	(Concession) Rules, 2016 in respect of e-auction of and
	mining at Kanshabati and Subarnarekha rivers.
	Admit.
	Issue notice returnable in three weeks.
	Let requisites be filed by the applicant within one

week.

Ld. counsel for the applicant is directed to specify as to which are the sand mines falling within Paschim Medinipur district and the ones falling within newly created Jhargram district so that the respective District Magistrates can respond appropriately.

Leave is granted to the applicant to amend the cause title indicating the district-wise mines accordingly.

Let affidavits-in-opposition be filed before the next date with advance copies on the other side.

In the meanwhile the District Magistrates of the concerned district shall verify on the correctness of the allegations made in the OA.

Let compliance reports be filed before the next date with advance copies on the other side.

List on 10.7.2017.

Mr. Ranjan Chatterjee, EM

