

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

**Original Application No. 58/2013
(M.A. NO. 898/2013)**

Sonya Ghosh Vs. Govt. of NCT of Delhi & Ors.

CORAM:

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE U .D. SALVI, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE MR. RANJAN CHATTERJEE, EXPERT MEMBER**

Present: Applicant :Mr. Raj Panjwani, Sr. Adv. with Mr. Aagney sail, Adv. for Ms. Sonya ghosh.
Respondent No. 1 : Mr. D. Rajeshwar Rao, for Mr. Sanjay Adv.
Respondent No.3 :Mr. B. V. Niren, Adv.
Respondent No.6 : Mr. Vikas Malhotra, Mr. M. P. Sahay Advs.
:Mr. Rajiv Bansal and Mr. Kush Sharma and Mr. Naveen Chawla and Mr. Benashaw Soni, Advs. for DDA
: Mr. Sanjay Dewan, Adv. for forest deptt.

	Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
	Item No. 08 January 07, 2016	<p>Heard. Perused Record.</p> <p>We had directed the Forest Department to take steps for declaring the area in which no claims of whatsoever nature are arising or have been settled as a forest area vide order dated 24-07-2015. This was done with a view to contain fresh encroachment which may frustrate the entire process of issuing of final notification under Section 20 of Indian Forest Act, 1920 in respect of ridge.</p> <p>We are informed today that the process of demarcation of the boundary wall of Southern ridge necessary for issuance of final notification is not yet over and boundary wall extending to 2800 mts. has been constructed at Sanjay Colony and similar works are in progress at Ghitorni and Neb Sarai areas to contain further encroachment. The work of installation</p>

of CCTVs in encroachment prone ridge forest land in the Villages of Rajokri, Asloka and Neb Sarai is underway and such measures would effectively contain further encroachment on the forest land.

The Learned Counsel appearing on behalf of the Forest Department seeks further time. He submits that Chief Conservator of Forest would remain present before the Tribunal on the next date of hearing for apprising this Tribunal of the steps taken for issuing final notification.

List the matter on 4th February, 2016.

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(U. D. Salvi)

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(Ranjan Chatterjee)

