ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ

ನಂ:ಕಂ.ಲೋಕ್.ಬಿಸಿಡಿ 2555/2018

ಬಹುಮಹಡಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು,ದಿನಾಂಕ: 120/03/2019

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ವಿಷಯ: ಹೆಚ್.ಎಸ್.ದೊರೈಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಎಂಬುವವರು ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೀಡಿರುವ ದೂರಿನ ಕುರಿತು.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂದಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ತಮಗೆ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರ ಆದೇಶದಂತೆ ತಮಗೆ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಯ ಪಡಿಸುವುದೆನೆಂದರೆ, ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರು **ಗುಬ್ಬಲಾಳ ಕೆರೆಗೆ** ಸಂಬಂದಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 12-03-2019 ರಂದು ಹೊರಡಿಸಿರುವ ಆದೇಶವನ್ನು ಇದರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಆದೇಶದ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನದಂತೆ ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು.

ಮುಂದುವರೆದು ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣವನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ:28-05-2019 ರಂದು 3-00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಮುಂದಿನ ವಿಚಾರಣೆಗೆ ನಿಗಧಿಪಡಿಸಿದೆ.

ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರ ಆದೇಶದನ್ವಯ

ಅಪರ ನಿಭಂದಕರು ವಿಚಾರಣೆಗಳು–1 ೭೭ (3 ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ,ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು

The C.E.O., Namma Bangalore foundation, 2nd floor, No54, Rockline centre, Richmond Road, Bangalore.

- 2) Sri. R.V.Bhat, Law Officer, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Church street Bangalore.
- 3) Sri.Devaraju.M., Additional Chief Engineer, B W S S B, Cauvery Bhavan, Bangalore
- 4) Smt.K.L.Gangalakshmamma, Assistant executive Engineer, BWSSB, Bangalore
- 5) Sri. Sathish, Chief Engineer, (Lakes) BBMP, Bangalore

KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA: BENGALURU

No: Compt/Lok/BCD-2555/2018

Date: 12-03-2019

ORDER

On behalf of Sri H.S.Doreswamy, who is the Complainant in this case, Sri. Lakshmikanth is present.

- 2. Sri. M. Devaraju, Additional Chief Engineer, Bengaluru Water Supply and Sewerage Board, Bengaluru (herein after referred to as 'BWSSB' for short) is present. K.L. Gangalakshmamma, Assistant Smt. Executive Engineer and Sri. K.V.Chetan, Assistant Executive Engineer, BWSSB are present.
- 3. Sri. R.V.Bhat, Law Officer of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Bengaluru (herein after referred to as 'KSPCB' for short) is present along with Sri. Sadiq Ahmed, Senior Environmental Officer, KSPCB, Bengaluru South.
- 4. Sri. R.V.Bhat, Law Officer has filed a status report dated 12-03-2019. It is useful to extract the same, which reads as follows:

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"No: KSPCB/ZSEO-South/2018-19/

Date: 12-03-2019

To

Additional Registrar Enquiry-1 Karnataka Lokayukta, M S Building, Bengaluru – 560 001.

Sir,

Sub: Complaint filed by Sri. H.S. Doreswamy before the Hon'ble Lokayuktha and the Compliant No Compt. Lok - BCD 2555/18 – Reg.

Ref: Regional Officer - RR Nagar letter vide no. 1649, Dt: 12.03.2019.

With reference to the above subject, as per the direction of Hon'ble Lokayuktha, the Environmental officer Regional office RR Nagar has inspected the Gubbalala Tank area on 21.09.2018 and submitted the detailed inspection report. As per the inspection report, this tank is located in Gubbalala village limits and comes under BBMP Hemgepura ward, Rajarajeswari Nagar Zone. The GPS reading of the tank is N-12° 55' 56.50" & E-77° 32' 26.90" respectively. This tank is developed by the Karnataka Forest Department (KFD). But, at present this tank is not being used for any purpose. Fencing and earthen bund is provided all along the boundary of the tank. But, not maintained the tank. Hence, the tank bed is completely covered by weeds and water hyacinth was covered inside the tank water body. Also, at some portion the fencing was found to be damaged. Lot of solid waste is being disposed in the tank bed area. As per the physical observation the catchment area the tank is part of Raghuvanahalli, Gubbalala, part of Subramanyapura village limit, Balaji layout & Raghavendra Layout. The untreated sewage from these Residential areas is being entering into the tank through storm water drain. The water in the tank was not clear. Water sample of the same was collected during inspection & submitted to Board Central Laboratory for analysis. Results are awaited. Further, the water samples of the tank collected on 17.01.2017, 05.04.2017, 18.12.2017 and 20.09.2018 shows that, the analysis results are conforms to Class D, E, D & D Standards respectively. Copy of analysis reports enclosed for your kind reference.

Yours faithfully

Sd/-

Senior Environmental Officer, Bangalore South Zone".

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- 5. The report indicates that Gubbalala lake was inspected by the officer of KSPCB. The report also indicates the status of the lake. The copy of the status report is made available to the Additional Chief Engineer, BWSSB and also to the Complainant.
- Sri. M.Devaraju, Additional Chief Engineer submitted 6. that Gubbala lake is one of the lake which falls within 110 villages in respect of UGD net work has been taken by BWSSB. He pointed out that completion period of UGD net work for the entire 110 villages is till the end of March 2021. He pointed out that since a comprehensive design is required to the prepared, it is not desirable and practical to install STP for each individual lakes as it would cost huge money and labour. He submits that every effort will be made to complete UGD project within the time specified if not earlier. Sri. R.V. Bhat, Law Officer pointed out that whatever the direction KSPCB is required to give for the purpose of development of lake and maintain quality of water in the lake, the KSPCB has given.

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- 7. It is needless to point out that BBMP and BWSSB are required to carry out the observation made by KSPCB as a part of the remedial measures that the authorities concerned are required to take and to submit a status report by the next date of hearing with regard to the steps taken.
- 8. In the light of what is stated above, Sri. Lakshmikanth pointed out that since there has been dumping of debris and inflow of untreated sewage, which flows under the BWSSB water supply line and is diverted into Rajakaluve before entering the lake, the lake is inaccessible to public The BBMP to take effective steps to prevent the dumping of debris.
 - 9. In the mean while, the Complainant is reserved liberty to file an additional statement setting out the details of the steps to be carried out by the authorities, within two weeks from today. If such a statement is filed, all the authorities concerned are directed to examine the same and take appropriate steps.

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10. Communicate this order to the parties.

List this case on 28-05-2019 at 03-00 p.m.

Vishwanatha Shetty), 12 3 2018
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Lokayukta, Karnataka State.

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