

**BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL, CENTRAL ZONAL BENCH,
BHOPAL**

**Original Application No. 117/2014 (CZ)
Dr. Subhash C. Pandey Vs. Union of India & Ors.**

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DALIP SINGH, JUDICIAL MEMBER
HON'BLE Dr. SATYAWAN SINGH GARBYAL, EXPERT MEMBER**

PRESENT : Applicant : None
**Respondent/ MoEF: Shri Om Shankar Shrivastav, Adv.
Shri Lalit K. Gupta
Dr. A.C. Mishra, FSSAI**
**Respondent/ MPPCB: Ms. Parul Bhadoria , Adv. for
Shri Purushaindra Kaurav, Adv.**
**CPCB: Shri Yadvendra Yadav, Adv.
Shri Mukesh Choudhary, OIC & SDM
Dr. Anoop Chaturvedi,
Dr. R.P. Mishra,
Dr. P. Jagan, Regional Director CPCB**

Date and Remarks	Orders of the Tribunal
Item No. 01 23rd May, 2017	<p>Matter was discussed in detail. The report of the CPCB Regional Directorate Central Bhopal with regard to the water quality of the drains and from the STPs at the following locations was considered the names of which are mentioned below:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. STP at Bawadiya Kala2. Dugwell of Manoj Kushwah3. Drain near Amulaya Garden4. Sewage from Patra nallah near Bhanpur Khanti5. Sewage from patra nallah at Vidisha Road6. Tubewell at Maa Savitri Clinic Vidisha Road. <p>On a general consensus after going through the contents of table 1 regarding the analysis of heavy metals in the water samples of the all the above locations it was felt that so far as the STP outlet at</p>

Babadiya Kala, Dugwell of Manoj Kushwah and Tubewell at Maa Savitri cleaning Vidisha Road are concerned there appears to be no difficulty in allowing the said water to be used for irrigation purposes.

So far as the water from the drain near Amulaya Garden, the drain of Patra nallah near Bhanpur Khanti and Patra Nallah at vidisha road is concerned there was reservation among the persons present regarding its utilisation for irrigation of vegetables farms.

It has further been submitted that so far as task which has been assigned to the FSSAI for determining the permissible limits for heavy metals in vegetables which have so far not been prescribed is concerned the same is under consideration and it may take approximately 18 months before any preliminary report on the same can be given.

Looking to the above we would direct that so far as the sewage water from the three locations of the drain near Amulaya Garden, Patra Nallah at both the locations of Bhanpur Khanti and the bridge at Vidisha Road should not be utilised for vegetable cultivations. The Agriculture Department of the State and the local body would take immediate action in this behalf. As has been already stated by us the area can be brought under cultivation of floriculture and other items which may not form part of the food chain. This arrangement should continue till such time as this sewage is not subjected to sewage treatment through STPs.

At the same time so far as the other locations where at present the water quality has been found to be satisfactory the same should

also be continuously monitored and in case of any variation or changes with regard to any parameters exceeding the permissible limits steps be taken with immediate effect for checking the same.

Having said so for awaiting the findings of the FSSAI we would direct that the matter would be listed after the report is made available for which the learned Counsel for the MoEF Union of India is directed to place the report before this tribunal and get matter listed to that effect at that time.

The matter is ordered to be **consigned to record** and deleted from the pendency.

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(Dr. S.S.GARBYAL)

