

Acknowledgement**Karnataka Lokayukta****(Under Section 7 of the Karnataka Lokayukta Act, 1984)**CASE NUMBER : **COMPT/LOK/BCD/2412/2018**District : **Bangalore (U)****BY :****1. H.S. DORAISWAMY,**

FREEDOM FIGHTER, NO 868, 38TH CROSS,

JAYANAGAR 4TH T BLOCK, BANGALORE

560041. Order of Honble Lokayukta Dated:

17/01/2018

COMPLAINANT/S**AGAINST :****1. CHIEF ENGINEER,**

Minor Irrigation Department, BENGALURU.

2. The SecretaryKarnataka Pollution Control Board, Chiruch
Street, Bangalore**3. Chief Officer**

T.M.CBidadi

4. Panchayath Development Officer

Byramangala Grama Panchayath Byramangala

5. Chairman

BWSSBCauvery Bhavan Bangalore

RESPONDENT/S**Allegation/Grievance** Dereliction of Duty.**Brief :**

Received From : By Lok/Bcd/2253/2017/Are-1

Received On : 25-08-2018

Complaint stands
allotted to : **SECRETARY**

Phone Number :

No. Compt/LOK/BCD-2412/2018

Date:30.8.2018

ARE-1

This complaint is registered on the basis of the order passed by Hon'ble Lokayukta in No.compt/Lok/BCD- 2253/2017 dtd: 17.1.2018 in which the office was directed to continue the proceedings in the said case only in respect of 18 lakes falling under BBMP jurisdiction and register three separate complaints in respect of the lakes falling under BDA jurisdiction, Minor irrigation department jurisdiction and forest department jurisdiction mentioned in the order.

Accordingly this complaint is registered in complaint No.compt/Lok/BCD-2413/2018/ARE-1 in respect of the lakes coming under Minor irrigation department jurisdiction.

This complaint will be called on 11.9.2018 along with the other related complaints.

Hence for kind orders.

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2) Hon'ble Lokayukta)
For Kind orders

M. Prasad
11/9/2018

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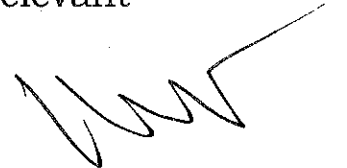
No:Compt/LOK/BCD-2412/2018 Date : 11-09-2018

ORDER

The complaint filed by Sri.H.S.Doreswamy for rejuvenation of lakes was originally registered in No.Compt/LOK/BCD-2253/2017. Subsequently, I passed an order for splitting of that complaint into several complaints confining to each one of the lakes in respect of which grievance has been made by Sri.H.S.Doreswamy. Accordingly, the grievance in respect of **Byramangala Lake** has been registered in this complaint.

2. Notice has not been issued to the 1st respondent, as such no one is present on its behalf. However, Sri Kumaraswamy and Sri Bhat are present on behalf of the 2nd respondent.

3. While dealing with the grievance in respect of all the lakes, in my order dated 17-01-2018, so far as **Byramangala Lake** is concerned, I had made some observation. It is useful to extract the relevant



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portion of the observation made by me in my order dated 31-01-2018 which reads as follows:-

"BYRAMANGALA LAKE"

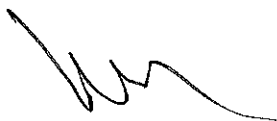
Shri. G. Ramaiah, Chairman of Byramangala Grama Panchayath and other local residents are present along with the officers and officials referred to above.

The residents of the area pointed out that they are every day suffering from mosquitoes bite. Some effective measures will have to be taken by the concerned authorities to minimize the mosquito nuisance.

It is needless to point out that the mosquito is a carrier of disease and therefore prima-facie it appears to me that the concerned authorities will have to examine this and take effective remedial measures. The Pollution Control Board should submit its report on this **within two weeks from today**. It is pointed out that M/s Toyota Company was taking steps for fumigation earlier and now it is stopped.

Shri. Kumaraswamy, Chief Engineer, Pollution Control Board is directed to explore the possibility of some corporate sectors taking up the fumigation programme under the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) of industries situated at Bidadi Industrial Area.

Shri. G. Ramaiah, Chairman, Byramangala Grama Panchayath submitted that he will convene a meeting of the Panchayath and take further effective steps to prevent the breeding of mosquitoes and keep the panchayath area in a clean and tidy manner. He submitted that he will submit his report in this regard **within a period of five weeks**. It is pointed out that the lake area falls within the jurisdiction of Town Municipal Council, Bidadi. Hence, the Chief Officer, TMC,



Bidadi is also directed to comply this direction and submit his report **within a period of five weeks.**

Further, it is pointed out that though there is an obligation by the TMC to install STP, the same has not yet been installed. It is suggested by the residents that a direction may be given to the TMC to install required capacity STP without further loss of time. This requires to be considered by the Chief Officer, TMC and the PDO, Byramangala Grama Panchayath. Notice may be issued to them only for the limited purpose of this issue."

4. However, subsequently in my order dated 02-08-2018 at paragraph 4, I ^{have} observed as follows:

"4. Today neither the Chief Officer nor the concerned PDO of Bidadi is present and they have not yet filed their report. Issue notices to the Chief Officer, TMC and the PDO directing them to file the Status Report with regard to the steps taken in the light of my observation extracted above."

5. Till today the directions given above have not been complied with. In the light of what is stated above, it would be in the interest of justice to implead the Chief Officer, TMC and Panchayath Development Officer, Byramangala Gram Panchayath as respondents 3 & 4 and issue notice to them. Respondents 3 & 4 are directed to comply with ^{the} ~~my~~ directions given by me in my earlier orders

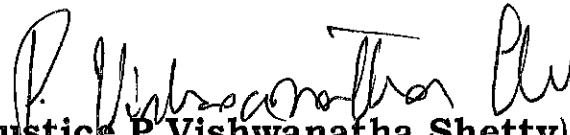


as well as the order dated 02-08-2018. However, it is made clear that, by the next date of hearing they are directed to file status report with regard to the steps taken. It is also made clear that any dereliction of duty on the concerned may have to be treated as mal-administration within the meaning of Section 2(10) of the Karnataka Lokayukta Act. However, if the report is not filed by respondents 3 & 4 as directed by me, then they are directed to be present in person on the next date of hearing.

6. Office to implead the Chairman, BWSSB as respondent in this complaint and issue notice of this complaint to him.

7. Communicate this order to the complainant and to the respondents forthwith both by E-mail as well as by means of postal service.

List this matter on 02-11-2018 at 3.00 p.m.


(Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty)
Lokayukta, State of Karnataka

11/9/2018

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ಶ್ರೀ. ಯೋಗಯ್ಯಕ್ಕರವರ
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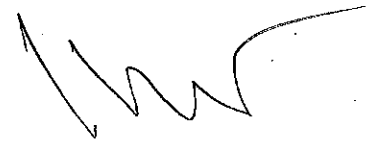
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ORDER

On behalf of Complainant Sri. H.S.Dorai Swamy,
Sri. N.R.Suresh is present.

2. On behalf of Bengaluru Water Supply and Sewerage Board (hereinafter referred to as '**BWSSB**' for short) Sri. Devaraj, Additional Chief Engineer is present. He has filed a report dated 31-10-2018. It is useful to extract the relevant portion of th said report, which reads as hereunder:

“ಮಾನ್ಯ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರು ದಿನಾಂಕ 11-09-2019ರ ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸಿಸುವ ಜನತೆಗೆ ಸೊಳ್ಳೆಗಳ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆ ಎದುರಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರವು ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸಲು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡದಿ ಪುರಸಭೆಗೆ ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ ಸಮೀಪ ಒಂದು ಸೂಕ್ತ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿ ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸಲು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶವು ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲವಾದ್ದರಿಂದ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಜಲಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಕೆಲಸ ಕಾರ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಅವಗಾಹನೆಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತಾ ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿಯುವ ವೃಷಭಾವತಿ ನದಿ ಕಣಿವೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 150 ದಶಲಕ್ಷ ಲೀಟರ್ ದಿನಂಪ್ರತಿ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯು ನಾಯಂಡಹಳ್ಳಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು ಘಟಕವನ್ನು ಜುಲೈ 2020ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾರಂಭ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು ಮತ್ತು ದೊಡ್ಡಬೆಲೆ ಸಮೀಪದಲ್ಲಿ 40 ದಶಲಕ್ಷ ಲೀಟರ್ ದಿನಂಪ್ರತಿ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಚಾಲನೆಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು ಜುಲೈ 2019ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾರಂಭ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು.



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ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ವ್ಯವಹಾರವತಿ ನದಿಗೆ ಹರಿಯುತ್ತಿರುವ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರನ್ನು ಹಂತಹಂತವಾಗಿ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಣ ಘಟಕಗಳಿಗೆ ಹರಿಸಲು ಕೊಳವೆಮಾರ್ಗ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು ಜುಲೈ-2021ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಪೂರ್ಣಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು, ಅನಂತರವೇ ಸಂಸ್ಕರಿಸಿದ ನೀರನ್ನು ವ್ಯವಹಾರವತಿ ಕಣಿವೆಗೆ ಹರಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು ಎಂಬ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಅವಗಾಹನೆಗಾಗಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ”.

3. Smt. Archana B.C, Environmental Engineer, Town Municipal Council, Bidadi is present on behalf of the Chief Officer. On behalf of the Town Municipal Council a report dated 27-10-2018 has already been submitted. In the report, it is pointed out that though the Reservoir in question does not fall within the limits of Bidadi Town Municipal Council, in the light of the direction given by me earlier, effective steps have been taken by the Town Municipal Council to reduce the menace of the mosquitoes and keep the area clean. She also fairly submitted that the Municipal authorities would take effective steps as and when required to keep the area clean in larger public interest. The said submission is placed on record. In the light of what is stated above, the presence of the Chief Officer or the representative of the Municipal Council on the next date of hearing is dispensed with. However, it is desirable to send the status report with regard to the steps taken.

4. However, no one is present on behalf of Byramangala Grama Panchayat. It is desirable to issue Show notice to the Panchayath Development Officer, Byramangala Grama

Panchayat. He is directed to file the status report with regard to the steps taken by the Panchayat to keep the panchayat limits free from any garbage and discharge of pollutant substances. The Complainant is given an opportunity to file additional statement or response to the reports filed by the authorities referred to above.

5. On behalf of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (hereinafter referred to as '**KSPCB**' for short) Sri. R.V.Bhat, Law Officer is present along with Sri. C. Siddaramaiah, Regional Officer, Ramanagara. Sri. R.V.Bhat has filed a status report dated 31-10-2018. He submits that it is a common report filed in respect of other lakes also. It is useful to extract the relevant portion of the report, so far as it relates to Byremangala Reservoir, which reads as follows:

“ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಕರಾಮಾನಿಮಂ/ಬೆಂ-ಉ/ಹಿಪಅ/ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ/2018-19 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30-10-2018

ಇವರಿಗೆ,

ಅಪರ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು, ವಿಚಾರಣೆಗಳು-1,
ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ,
ಬಹುಮಹಡಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ,
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು
ಮಾನ್ಯರೇ,

ವಿಷಯ: ಶ್ರೀ. ಹೆಚ್. ಎಸ್. ದೊರೆಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ನೀಡಿರುವ ದೂರಿನ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: 1. ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ಪತ್ರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಲೋಕ್.ಬಿಸಿಡಿ
2529/2018 ದಿನಾಂಕ. 24.09.2018

ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 11.09.2018ರಂದು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣ ಮಂಡಳಿ (ಎದುರುದಾರ-2) ರವರಿಗೆ ನೀಡಿದ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನದಂತೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ

ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ಕೆರೆ (ಕೊಳ್ಳ) ಹಾಗೂ ಇನ್ನಿತರ ಕೆರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಮಾನ್ಯರವರಲ್ಲಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ನದಿ ಪಾತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಗಳು ವಸತಿ ಸಮುಚ್ಚಯಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಇನ್ನಿತರ ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಸಂಕೀರ್ಣಗಳನ್ನು ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡಿ, ಇಲ್ಲಿಯವರೆಗೆ ವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳದ ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳ ಉದ್ದಿಮೆ/ಕಾರ್ಖಾನೆ/ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಸಂಕೀರ್ಣಗಳು/ ವಸತಿ ಸಮುಚ್ಚಯಗಳ ಒಟ್ಟು 2431 ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆಯನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಮುಂದುವರೆದಿದ್ದು, ಇರುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂಬುದಾಗಿ ಮಾನ್ಯರಲ್ಲಿ ಗೌರವಪೂರ್ವಕವಾಗಿ ನಿವೇದಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿದ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಂಪು, ಕಿತ್ತಳೆ, ಹಸಿರು ಹಾಗೂ ಬಿಳಿ ವರ್ಗದ ಕಾರ್ಖಾನೆ/ಉದ್ದಿಮೆಗಳು ಅಲ್ಲದೆ 2000 ಚದುರ ಮೀಟರುಗಳಿಗಿಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣವಿರುವ ವಸತಿ ಸಮುಚ್ಚಯವು ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಸಂಕೀರ್ಣ ಶೈಕ್ಷಣಿಕ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೂಡ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಯಾವುದೇ ಉದ್ಯಮಗಳಿಗೆ ಅಥವಾ ಇತರೆ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಮ್ಮತಿ ಪತ್ರ ನೀಡುವಾಗ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಸೇರದಂತೆ ನಿಭಂದನೆಯನ್ನು ವಿಧಿಸಿದೆ. ಕಾನೂನು ಬಾಹಿರವಾಗಿ ಸಣ್ಣ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಗಳು ಕಲುಷಿತ ನೀರನ್ನು ಕೆರೆಗೆ ವಿಸರ್ಜಿಸುವುದು ಕಂಡುಬಂದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಕಾನೂನಿನ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತದೆ.

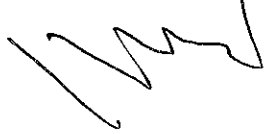
ವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳದ ಪಾತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಈ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿದ ನಂತರದಲ್ಲಿ 25 ಸ್ಥಳಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ನೀರಿನ ಮಾದರಿಯನ್ನು ಸಂಗ್ರಹಿಸಿ ಸದರಿ ಮಾದರಿಗಳನ್ನು ವೈಜ್ಞಾನಿಕ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅವುಗಳ ವರದಿಗಳು ಬರುವುದು ಬಾಕಿ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ. ವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳದ ಪಾತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿದ ಪೈಕಿ ಕೆಂಪು ವರ್ಗದ 244, ಕೇಸರಿ ವರ್ಗದ 523 ಮತ್ತು ಹಸಿರು ವರ್ಗದ 1164 ಹಾಗೂ ಬಿಳಿ ವರ್ಗದ 410 ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಸದರಿ ಉದ್ದಿಮೆಗಳು / ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳು ಜಲ ಮತ್ತು ವಾಯು ಕಾಯ್ದೆಗಳನ್ನು ಉಲ್ಲಂಘಿಸಿದೆಯೋ ಇಲ್ಲವೋ ಎಂಬ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ನಡೆಸಿ ನಂತರದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ಕಾನೂನು ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುವುದು ಎಂದು ಮಾನ್ಯರವರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿನಂತಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

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ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಕಛೇರಿ ರಾಮನಗರ:

21. ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆ: ಈ ಕೆರೆಯನ್ನು ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ಕಛೇರಿ ರಾಮನಗರದವರು ಪ್ರತಿ ತಿಂಗಳು ಪರಿವೀಕ್ಷಣೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಮೆ. ಇನ್ನೋವೇಟಿವ್ ಸ್ಟಡಿಯೋ ಪ್ರೈ ಲಿ ಇಲ್ಲಿಂದ ರೊಚ್ಚು ನೀರು ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಸೇರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಈ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗೆ ಮುಚ್ಚುವ ಆದೇಶ ನೀಡುವಂತೆ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಕಛೇರಿಗೆ ಶಿಪಾರಸ್ಸನ್ನು ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನಿಂದ ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯವರೆಗೂ ರೊಚ್ಚುನೀರು ಸೇರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಕೆರೆಯ ನೀರು ಕಲುಷಿತಗೊಂಡಿದೆ.



ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಮತ್ತು ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತಲಿನ 75 ಕೆರೆಗಳ ನೀರನ್ನು ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಿಸಿ ವಿಷ್ಲೇಶಿಸಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಇವುಗಳ ವಿಶ್ಲೇಷಣೆಯ ಪ್ರಕಾರ, ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ವರ್ಗೀಕರಣದನ್ವಯ 25 ಕೆರೆಗಳು 'ಡಿ' ವರ್ಗಕ್ಕೂ 50 ಕೆರೆಗಳು 'ಇ' ವರ್ಗಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿವೆ. ಈ ಕೆರೆಗಳ ಗುಣಮಟ್ಟ ಕೆಟ್ಟಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣ ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಒಳಚರಂಡಿಗಳಲ್ಲದ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳ ಗೃಹ ರೊಚ್ಚುನೀರು ರಾಜಕಾಲುವೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿದು ನೇರವಾಗಿ ಕೆರೆಯನ್ನು ಸೇರುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕ್ರಮ (ಯು.ಜಿ.ಡಿ ಮತ್ತು ಎಸ್.ಟಿ.ಪಿ) ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವಂತೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಇಲಾಖೆಗಳಿಗೆ (ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ, ಬಿಡಬ್ಲ್ಯೂ.ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್.ಬಿ, ಬಿಡಿಎ) ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಕೆರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಅತಿಕ್ರಮಣ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಕಲಂ: 15 BWSSB 1964 ರಂತೆ ರೊಚ್ಚು ನೀರನ್ನು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣೆ ಮಾಡಿ ಸರಿಯಾದ ನೀರನ್ನು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಗೆ ನೀಡುವ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯವು BWSSB ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದಲೂ ಸಾಕಷ್ಟು ನಿರ್ದೇಶನಗಳನ್ನು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅದರಂತೆ ಕಲಂ 63 ಹಾಗೂ 64 ರಂತೆ ರೊಚ್ಚು ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕಗಳ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ ಮಾಡುವ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಯು BWSSB ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಘನತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ ನಿಯಮ 2016ರ ಕಲಂ 15ರ ಅನ್ವಯ ಸ್ಥಳೀಯ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳ (ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ) ಘನತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ ಮಾಡುವ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಯನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದು ಹಾಗೂ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ ನಿಯಮಗಳಂತೆ ನಿರ್ವಹಣಾ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಯನ್ನು ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದು ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿಗೆ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನಗಳನ್ನು ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳಾದ ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡಬ್ಲ್ಯೂ.ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್.ಬಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕೆರೆಗೆ ರೊಚ್ಚುನೀರು ಸೇರುವುದನ್ನು ತಡೆಯುವ ಕುರಿತು ಹಾಗೂ ಘನ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ಸೂಕ್ತ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ ಕುರಿತು ಕೆರೆ ಅಥವಾ ನದಿಗೆ ಸೇರದಂತೆ ಸೂಕ್ತ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನ ನೀಡುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ.

ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಶ್ವಾಸಿ,

ಸಹಿ/-

ಹಿರಿಯ ಪರಿಸರ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ,
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಉತ್ತರ".

6. Sri. R.V.Bhat submits that he will see that the copy of the report submitted is handed over to the Complainant as well as the officers of the Minor Irrigation Department and BWSSB. The copy of the report submitted by BWSSB is also served on all the parties present today.

7. On behalf of the KSPCB it is submitted that since one organization known as M/s.Innovative Studios Pvt.Ltd., is discharging polluted substance to the lake, the steps have already been taken and a show cause notice has already been issued to the said organization and recommended for closure of the company/organization since the company/organization has failed to take remedial measures inspite of the direction issued by the KSPCB.

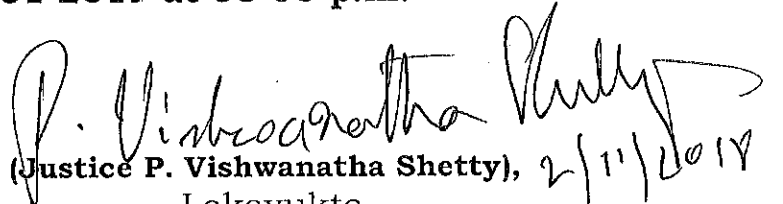
8. At this stage, I need not make any observation with regard the steps taken by KSPCB against M/s. Innovative Studios Pvt.Ltd. However, it is useful to observe that it is the duty of the organization/company to prevent discharge of any polluted substance to the lake and if they continue to do that, it is open to the KSPCB to take coercive steps

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for closure of the unit keeping in mind larger public interest. The parties to further file status report by the next day of hearing, by taking effective measures to prevent the discharge of polluted substance to the lake. It is also needless to point out that the authorities are under an obligation to apply the principle polluter to pay against such of those organizations, who ^{are} involved in discharge of pollutant substance to the lake.

List this case on 31-01-2019 at 03-00 p.m.


(Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty), 2/11/2018
Lokayukta,
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TMC, ಚಂಡೀರವರ
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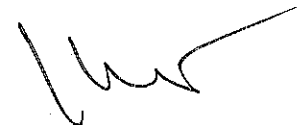
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Sri Amaranarayan, IAS (Retd.), who is the trustee of Bengaluru Environmental Trust is present along with Miss.Nirmala Gowda and Dr.G.V.Hegde, representing the cause of the public. Sri C.Lakshmikanth representing the complainant Sri H.S.Doreswamy is present.

2) Sri R.V.Bhat, Law Officer of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (herein after for short as KSPCB), Bengaluru is present along with Sri Siddaramaiah, Environmental Officer, KSPCB, Ramanagara. Smt.L.Lathamani, Health Inspector, Town Muncipal Council, Bidadi is present.

3) Sri R.V.Bhat has filed an Action Taken Report dated 29.1.2019 along with a copy of the Order dated 19.12.2018 passed by the KSPCB directing closure of M/s.Innovative Studios Pvt. Ltd., Sri R.V.Bhat submitted that pursuant to the closure order M/s.Innovative Studios Pvt. Ltd., has challenged



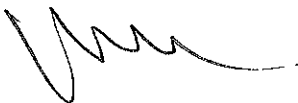
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before the Hon'ble High Court and the writ petition is pending for consideration. It is useful to extract the Action Taken Report dated 29.1.2019 submitted by the Environmental Officer, KSPCB, Ramanagara which reads as follows –

“ಮಾನ್ಯ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02.11.2018ರಂದು ಬಿಡುಗಡೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲರುವ ಇನ್ಫೋವೇಟಿವ್ ಸ್ಟುಡಿಯೋಸ್ ಪ್ರೈ. ಲಿ. ಇಲ್ಲ ಉತ್ಪತ್ತಿಯಾಗುವ ಕೊಳಚೆ ನೀರನ್ನು ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಬಿಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ವಿರುದ್ಧ, ಕಾನೂನು ಕ್ರಮ ಜರುಗಿಸಿ ವರದಿ ನೀಡುವಂತೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಗೆ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನ ನೀಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಅದರಂತೆ, ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ಇನ್ಫೋವೇಟಿವ್ ಸ್ಟುಡಿಯೋಸ್ ಪ್ರೈ. ಲಿ. ಇವರಿಗೆ, ಜಲ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ, 1974ರ ಸೆಕ್ಷನ್ 33 (ಎ) ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ, ದಿನಾಂಕ 19.12.2018 ರಂದು ಮುಚ್ಚುವ ಆದೇಶ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಮುಚ್ಚುವ ಆದೇಶ ನೀಡಿದ ನಂತರ, ಸದರಿಯವರು, ಕೊಳಚೆ ನೀರನ್ನು ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಿಸಲು ದಿನಂಪ್ರತಿ 20000 ಲೀಟರ್ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಣ ಘಟಕವನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಿಸಿದ ನೀರನ್ನು ಅವರ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಪಾರ್ಕ್ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಹಾಲಿ ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಯಾವುದೇ ಕೊಳಚೆ ನೀರನ್ನು ಬಿಡುತ್ತಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬ ಅಂಶವನ್ನು ಮಾನ್ಯರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತರಲಾಗಿದೆ.”

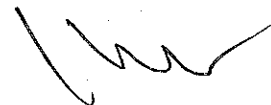
4) The action taken report extracted above shows that subsequent to the closure Order issued to M/s.Innovative Studios Pvt. Ltd., they have established STP which has a capacity to treat 20,000 litres of water per day. It is further pointed out that the treated water is being used by the Company for their park and no water is being discharged to the Byramangala lake. However, Sri Nataraj and others submitted



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that the polluted substances are being discharged from other industrial units located from Bidadi Industrial area. According to them, unless effective steps are taken for the purpose of treating affluent polluted substances, which are being discharged from the Peenya Industrial area up to ~~the~~ Bidadi, it will be practically not possible to maintain the quality of the water in Vrushabavathi valley.

5) In the light of the discussion that has taken place, in the course of the hearing, Sri Amaranarayan, IAS, Retd., and Miss.Niramala Gowda and others jointly submitted that they will give a concrete proposal/project report setting out the details of the problems that are being faced by the members of the public on account of the pollution of the water in Vrushabavathi valley and on account of the discharge of the polluted substances from peenya industrial area up to the Vrushabavathi valley and also the solution for solving the problem faced by the members of the public. They also submitted that effective steps are required to be taken by the BWSSB, KSPCB, BBMP, KIADB, Minor Irrigation Department and Cauvery Niravari Nigama Ltd., It is also pointed out by them, that except officers representing



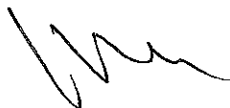
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KSPCB, no other officers or authorities from the other departments mentioned above are present today to assist the Lokayukta and take effective measures to improve the quality of the water in Vrushabavathi valley.

6) It is further pointed out by them that the authority of the State does not seem to have understood the seriousness of the problems and the consequences of life and liberty of the people living nearby the valley. Sri R.V.Bhat representing KSPCB submitted that if a concrete proposal of project report is given by the Bengaluru Environmental Trust, highlighting the problems that is being faced by the members of the public and also the solution, the KSPCB will take effective measures in accordance with law to minimize the discharge of the polluted substance and to keep the water level in the valley up to the portable standards.

7) Having regard to what is stated above, I am of the view, it would be in the interest of justice to make the following Order –

Sri Amara Narayan, IAS (Retd.) and others to prepare a proposal/project report setting out the details of the



problems that is being faced by the residents of the area, where the valley passes through, right from peenya industrial area up to Ganalu which is ending at Vrushabavathi river from where the Arakavathy joins and the solution of the problem at each point.

They pray for six weeks to give a concrete proposal as indicated above.

8) They also submitted, it is desirable to direct the authorities referred to above to co-operate with them by furnishing necessary details which are available to the authorities to enable them to prepare the necessary proposal/project report. I find the request made is fair and reasonable. The authorities referred to above i.e., BWSSB, KSPCB, KIADB, BBMP, Minor Irrigation Department and Cauvery Niravari Nigama Ltd., and also the Deputy Commissioner, Ramanagara, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayath, Ramanagara and the Chief Officer, Town Municipal Council, Bidadi are directed to do the needful to find out the solution for the problem.

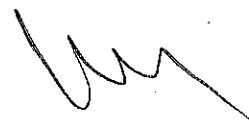


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9) It is needless to point out that maintaining the quality of the water, free from any polluted substance is in the larger public interest and it is absolutely necessary to protect the health of the residents of that area, animals and for the quality of the agricultural products. Further, it is also needless to emphasize that for the purpose of keeping the water in the valley clean, every one of the authorities referred to above, should show serious commitment to make all efforts to maintain the quality of the water free from polluted substance expeditiously. Sri Amaranarayan and others are directed to submit the proposed project report before all the authorities referred to above **on or before 20.03.2019**. On such proposal/project report being filed, all the authorities referred to above shall examine the same and prepare their own proposal/project within six weeks thereafter i.e., on or before 15.6.2019.

10) It is further pointed by Miss.Nirmala Gowda of Bengaluru Environmental Trust, that it is desirable to take assistance of Environment Management and Policy Research Institute (EMPRI), in this project, as they have specialized



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knowledge on the subject. In the light of this, **notice may be issued to the Director, Environment Management and Policy Research Institute, Bengaluru.**

11) I am of the view, it is in the interest of the public to direct to constitute a committee headed by the Chairman of the BWSSB, Bengaluru with the officers/authorities referred to above and to prepare a comprehensive report, in the light of the project input to be submitted by the committee of Sri Amaranarayan and other authorities referred to above on or before 15.06.2019. Accordingly, the Chairman of the BWSSB is directed to take steps.

12) Further, pending consideration of the effective steps being taken by the several authorities and the social group referred to above, I am of the view, it would be in the interest of justice to direct the KSPCB and BWSSB and other authorities to identify the pollutant industries located in the peenya industrial area and also at Bidadi industrial area and instruct them to take effective remedial measures to prevent discharge of polluted substance to the Vrushabavathi Valley if necessary by installing STP treatment plants. In the event of their failure

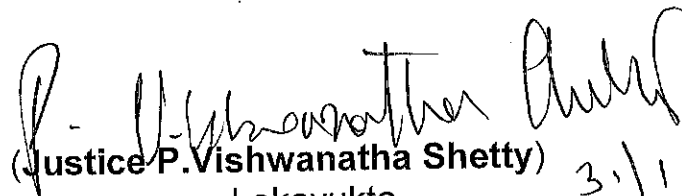
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to comply with the direction of the concerned authorities, the concerned authorities may examine what effective steps they are required to take under law, if necessary by making an order for closure of the concerned industry. It is also necessary to point out that the concerned authorities are required to keep in mind the principle, "polluter to pay" as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, while taking effective remedial measures.

13) The concerned officers/authorities referred to above are directed to submit a report with regard to the steps taken by each one of them. Communicate this order to all the parties concerned.

List this case on 27.06.2019 at 3.30 p.m.


(Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty)
Lokayukta
State of Karnataka
3.11.2019.

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14) Additional Registrar of Enq.1

5) 20/03/2019.

ARE-1.

ಗೌ. ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತೆ -
-ರವರ ಆಡಳಿತದಂತೆ
ಎದುರುದಾರಲಾಗಿ ನೋಟಿಸ್
ಈಡಿ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

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ಎದುರುದಾರಲಂದ

ಅನುಪಾಲನಾ ಪರಡಿ

ಬಂದಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಮಾನ್ಯರ ಮುಂದಿನ

ಆದೇಶಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಮುಂದಿನಿದೆ.

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6) 27/06/2019.

ARE1.

ಗಾ. ಉಪನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು

- ರವರ ಆದೇಶದಂತೆ

ಎದುರುದಾರಲಾಗಿ ನೋಡಿಸಿ

ಆಡಿ ಮುಂದಿರುತ್ತಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಮುಂದಿನಿದೆ.

Bangalore Environment

Trust ರವರ ಪರಡಿ

ದ: 20/03/2019.

ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

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ಮಹಾ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು

ಪರವರ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು &

ನೀತಿ ಸಂಯೋಜನಾ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ -

- ರವರು ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರುಗಳನ್ನು,

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು, ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು,

ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳು, ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು

- ರವರ ಕೈಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಪ್ರತಿ ಪ್ರತಿ

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KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA, BENGALURU

No. Compt/Lok/BCD-2412/2018

Date: 27.06.2019

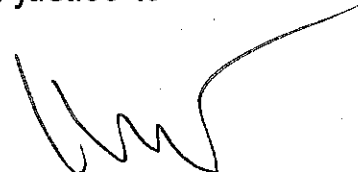
ORDER

Sri. Rahul Priyadarshi, Executive Engineer, BWSSB, Bengaluru is present. However, no one is present on behalf of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Minor Irrigation Department and Kaveri Neeravari Nigama Limited and KIADB.

Sri. Yallappa Reddy, Smt. Nirmala Gowda, Sri. Lakshmikanth and others are present on behalf of the complainant Sri. H.S. Doraiswamy.

In my order dated 31.01.2019, I had directed the committee consisting of Sri. Amaranarayana, IAS and others to submit a proposed project report before all the authorities referred to in the order on or before 20th of March, 2019. In this connection it is useful to extract the Paragraphs 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of the order which reads as hereunder.

"7) Having regard to what is stated above, I am of the view, it would be in the interest of justice to make the following Order –

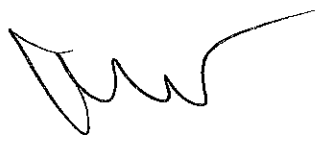


Sri Amara Narayan, IAS (Retd.) and others to prepare a proposal/project report setting out the details of the problems that is being faced by the residents of the area, where the valley passes through, right from peenya industrial area up to Ganalu which is ending at Vrushabavathi river from where the Arakavathy joins and the solution of the problem at each point.

They pray for six weeks to give a concrete proposal as indicated above.

8) They also submitted, it is desirable to direct the authorities referred to above to co-operate with them by furnishing necessary details which are available to the authorities to enable them to prepare the necessary proposal/project report. I find the request made is fair and reasonable. The authorities referred to above i.e., BWSSB, KSPCB, KIADB, BBMP, Minor Irrigation Department and Cauvery Niravari Nigama Ltd., and also the Deputy Commissioner, Ramanagara, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayath, Ramanagara and the Chief Officer, Town Municipal Council, Bidadi are directed to do the needful to find out the solution for the problem.

9) It is needless to point out that maintaining the quality of the water, free from any polluted substance is in the larger public interest and it is



absolutely necessary to protect the health of the residents of that area, animals and for the quality of the agricultural products. Further, it is also needless to emphasize that for the purpose of keeping the water in the valley clean, every one of the authorities referred to above, should show serious commitment to make all efforts to maintain the quality of the water free from polluted substance expeditiously. Sri Amaranarayan and others are directed to submit the proposed project report before all the authorities referred to above **on or before 20.03.2019.** On such proposal/project report being filed, all the authorities referred to above shall examine the same and prepare their own proposal/project within six weeks thereafter i.e., on or before 15.6.2019.

10) It is further pointed by Miss.Nirmala Gowda of Bengaluru Environmental Trust, that it is desirable to take assistance of Environment Management and Policy Research Institute (EMPRI), in this project, as they have specialized knowledge on the subject. In the light of this, **notice may be issued to the Director, Environment Management and Policy Research Institute, Bengaluru.**

11) I am of the view, it is in the interest of the public to direct to constitute a committee headed by the Chairman of the BWSSB, Bengaluru with



the officers/authorities referred to above and to prepare a comprehensive report, in the light of the project input to be submitted by the committee of Sri Amaranarayan and other authorities referred to above on or before 15.06.2019. Accordingly, the Chairman of the BWSSB is directed to take steps.

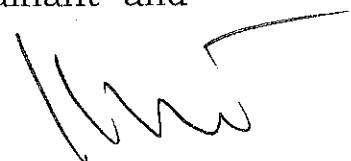
12) Further, pending consideration of the effective steps being taken by the several authorities and the social group referred to above, I am of the view, it would be in the interest of justice to direct the KSPCB and BWSSB and other authorities to identify the pollutant industries located in the peenya industrial area and also at Bidadi industrial area and instruct them to take effective remedial measures to prevent discharge of polluted substance to the Vrushabavathi Valley if necessary by installing STP treatment plants. In the event of their failure to comply with the direction of the concerned authorities, the concerned authorities may examine what effective steps they are required to take under law, if necessary by making an order for closure of the concerned industry. It is also necessary to point out that the concerned authorities are required to keep in mind the principle, "polluter to pay" as laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, while taking effective remedial measures.

13) The concerned officers/authorities referred to above are directed to submit a report with



*regard to the steps taken by each one of them.
Communicate this order to all the parties
concerned”.*

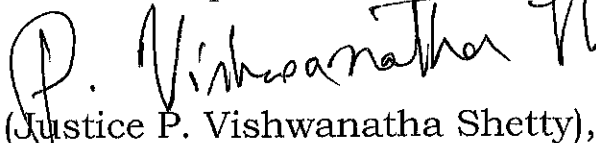
Sri. Yallappa Reddy and Sri. Lakshmikanth and other who are present before me today submitted that by oversight, though the order directed them to submit the report before the concerned authorities, they failed to give the project report to the concerned authorities, instead, they filed the report before ARE-1 on 20th March, 2019. They submitted that they were under the impression that if the project report is filed, the same will be forwarded to the concerned authorities. The understanding of the parties runs counter to what is there in the order. Anyway, the whole idea of directing the parties to give a project report before 20th of March, 2019 and to direct the authorities is to examine the same to expedite the entire matter. However, what is required to be done is to comply with the directions given in my order at paragraph 9 of the order within two weeks from today. On such report being submitted by the complainant/his representatives, the authorities referred to above as directed by me in my earlier order would examine the same and take effective steps to redress the grievance of the complainant and



submit the status report with regard to the steps taken by them. Further, copy of the said report also may be filed before the ARE-1. The ARE-1 is also directed to communicate the said report to all the authorities referred to in the order. In the course of the hearing a serious grievance is made by Sri. Yallappa Reddy and Sri. Lakshmikanth and others stating that on account of the inaction of the authorities, the local people are facing lot of health issues and they are not able to get pollutant free water and air etc. This grievance is immediately required to be attended to and I am sure that the authorities referred to above will take the necessary effective steps to redress the grievance of the public.

List this matter on 12-09-2019 at 3:00 P.M.

Communicate this order to the parties concerned.


(Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty),
Lokayukta,
State of Karnataka.

27/6/2019

7) 12/09/2019.

ARE-1.

ನಾ.ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತೆ -

-ಕವರ ಕಿಡೀಕರಣೆ

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KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA, BENGALURU

No.Compt/LOK/BCD-2412/2018/ARE-1

Date: 12.09.2019

O R D E R

1. On behalf of complainant Sri. Doreswamy, Sri. Yallappa Reddy, Sri. Lakshmikanth and others are present.
2. Sri. Sannappaiah, Joint Director, KIADB, Bengaluru is present along with Sri. Nagendra, Assistant Executive Engineer.
3. Sri. R.V. Bhat, Law Officer, on behalf of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Bengaluru is present along with Sri. Siddaramaiah, Environmental Officer, KSPCB, Ramanagara.
4. Since, a detailed hearing is required with respect to the proposed^{ed}/project report submitted by Sri. Amaranarayana, IAS (Retd.) and others, the matter is adjourned to **16.09.2019 at 3:00 P.M.**



5. The Office is directed to list the connected matter in Compt/LOK/BCD-2526/2018 pertaining to Vrushabavathi river along with this matter.

6. All the authorities i.e., BWSSB, KSPCB, KIADB, BBMP, Minor Irrigation Department and Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited and also the representatives of Deputy Commissioner, Ramanagara, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayath, Ramangara and the Chief Officer, TMC, Bidadi are directed to be present on the next date of hearing i.e., on 16.09.2019 at 3:00 P.M. to find out the solution for the problems highlighted in the proposal/project report dated 20.03.2019 submitted by Sri. Amaranarayana, IAS (Retd.) and others pursuant to my order dated 31.01.2019.

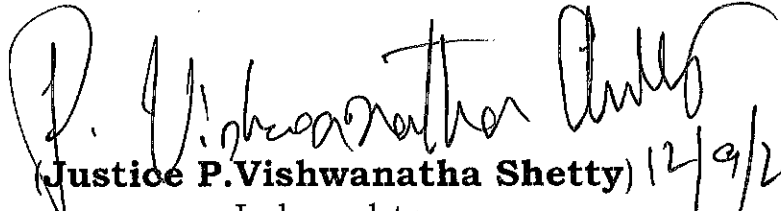
7. Office is directed to communicate this order to both parties through e-mail and also to the Member



Secretary, KSPCB, Bengaluru with a direction to appear on the next date of hearing.

List this case on **16th September, 2019 at 3.00**

p.m.


(Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty) 12/9/2019
Lokayukta
State of Karnataka

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8) Additional Registrar of Enq. 1)

KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA, BENGALURU

No:Compt/LOK/BCD-2412/2018 Date : 16-09-2019

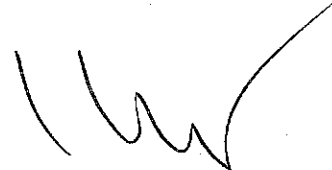
ORDER

On behalf of complainant Sri.H.S.Doreswamy,
Sri Lakshmikanth is present.

2. On behalf of Bengaluru Environment Trust
Sri Yallappa Reddy, Former Secretary, Department of
Ecology and Environment is present along with
Dr. Raj Mohan, Retired Director, Indian Council of
Medical Research, Miss. Nirmala Gowda, Trustee
and Sri Nataraj, Associate Member.

3. Sri Manojkumar IFS, Member Secretary,
Pollution Control Board is present along with
Dr. A. Ramesh, Chief Executive Officer, Sri R.V.Bhat,
Law Officer and Sri Siddaramaiah, Environmental
Officer, Ramanagara District.

4. Sri Madan Mohan, Assistant Secretary, Zilla
Panchayath, Ramanagara is present along with
Sri Chetan Kolavi, Chief Officer, Bidadi TMC and
Smt. Archana, Environmental Engineer, Bidadi TMC.



5. Sri Sannappaiah, Joint Director, Town Planning, KIADB is present along with Sri Basavaraj, Executive Engineer.

6. Sri Devaraj, Additional Chief Engineer, BWSSB is present.

7. Sri Rajanna, Additional Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation Department is present along with Sri Kotresh, Assistant Engineer.

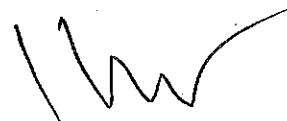
8. I had elaborately discussed on the several issues raised by the complainant and also on the report submitted by the Bengaluru Environment Trust referring to the several issues concerning public issues affecting the environment in the Vrushabavati valley upstream of Byramangala Tank and life and liberty of the people residing around the banks of the command and catchment area of the valley referred to above.

9. Sri Manojkumar, Member Secretary, Pollution Control Board, in the light of the discussion that has taken place today submitted that, if he is given ten



days time from today, after consulting all the stakeholders, he will prepare the project report to redress the several issues and the problems that are being faced by the residents of the area in question on account of the discharge of effluent substance by various industries and people and to completely control/eradicate environmental pollution and to protect human rights.

10. In the light of the said statement made by Sri Manojkumar, **he is given ten days time to file the project report.** However, before filing the project report, copy of the report may be made available to the complainant Sri Doreswamy or his representatives and Sri Yallappa Readdy. **The complainant and Sri Yallappa Readdy are given one week time thereafter to file their response** indicating positive suggestions to improve upon the project report keeping in mind the public interest. On such report being filed, **ARE-1 is to go through the report and submit his scrutiny note within one week thereafter indicating the steps required**

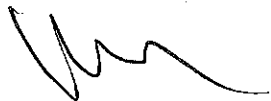


to be taken and the directions required to be given by the Lokayukta.

11. In the meanwhile a status report is required to be filed by all the concerned authorities referred to above with regard to the steps taken by each one of them, in the light of the discussion that has taken place today and also in the light of the project report to be submitted by Sri Manojkumar, Member Secretary, Pollution Control Board.

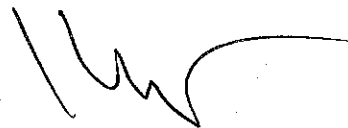
12. In my earlier order dated 31-01-2019 at para 11, I had directed the Chairman of the BWSSB to convene a meeting of the officers of Pollution Control Board, KIADB, BBMP, Minor Irrigation and Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Ltd., It is useful to extract para 11 of the order dated 31-01-2019, which reads as hereunder:

"I am of the view, it is in the interest of the public to direct to constitute a committee headed by the Chairman of the BWSSB, Bengaluru with the officers/authorities referred to above and to prepare a comprehensive report, in the light of the

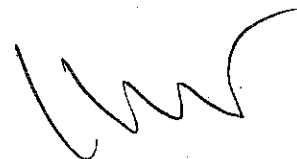


project input to be submitted by the committee of Sri Amaranarayan and other authorities referred to above on or before 15-06-2019. Accordingly, the Chairman of the BWSSB is directed to take steps."

13. However, Sri Devaraj submitted that, the steps does not appear to have been taken by the Chairman of the BWSSB to convene a meeting as directed by me in my order dated 31-01-2019 extracted above. Under these circumstances, since the Chairman of the BWSSB is the Member of the Board of the KSPCB, I am of the view, it would be in the interest of justice for the Chairman of the KSPCB to convene a meeting of the stakeholders - Chairman, BWSSB, Managing Director, Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Limited, Commissioner, BBMP, Managing Director, KIADB, Secretary, Minor Irrigation Department, Complainant or his representatives, three representatives of Bengaluru Environment Trust and such other officers/authorities whom he may deems fit.



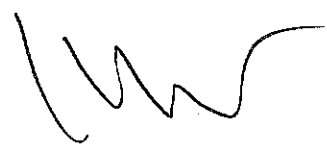
14. It is needless to point out that, under Environment (Protection) Act, Air Act and Water Act, huge responsibilities and duties are imposed on the Pollution control Board to prevent pollution of Air, Water and discharge of hazardous waste/effluent substance and it is the duty and responsibility of the Pollution Control Board to control the pollutant industries and to take action including criminal prosecution against the people/authorities/industries who indulging in discharge of pollutant substance. The pollution of air, water and environment seriously affects the right to life and liberty guaranteed under Article 21 of the Constitution of India. Therefore, it is the duty of the Pollution Control Board and all other authorities, who are entrusted with the responsibility of managing the civic bodies, to discharge their duties in terms of the provisions contained in the respective enactments. I am sure, everyone would appreciate the responsibilities of each one of the institution entrusted to them under various enactments and try



to protect the rights of the large number of farmers, who are residing around the command and catchment area.

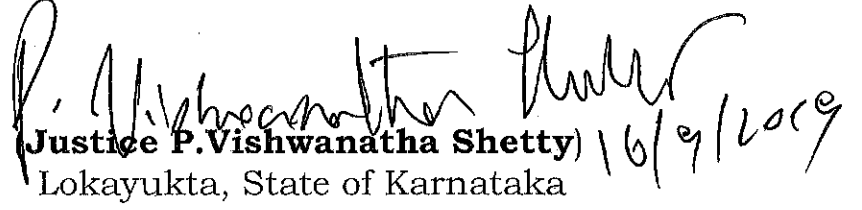
13. Though the notice has been served, no one is present on behalf of Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited. Therefore issue notice to the Managing Director, Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited to take effective steps to redress the issues raised by the complainant in his complaint and also on the report submitted by the Bengaluru Environment Trust.

14. Further, though the notice has been served, no one is present on behalf of the BBMP. In the course of hearing, it is brought to my notice that, it is the responsibility of the BBMP to maintain Stream Water Drain free from pollutant substance. Therefore, issue notice to the Commissioner, BBMP to direct one of the Officer to be present on the next date of hearing and also to file the status report with regard to the steps they have taken with regard to the several issues that has come up for discussion in this proceeding.



Communicate this order to all the parties concerned.

List this matter on 22-10-2019 at 3.00 p.m. along with concerned matter in No: Compt/LOK/BCD-2526/2018.


Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty
Lokayukta, State of Karnataka

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ARE-1)

04/10/19

Karnataka State pollution Control Board ರವರ ಪತ್ರ ದಿ: 01-10-19 ವರದಿ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

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Respondents no. 7, 8, 10 & 11 ರವರ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ. R₁ to 11 ರವರ ಪರದಿ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ. R-12 ರವರ ಪತ್ರ ವರದಿ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಮೂವರ ಮಂಡಿಸಿ ಆದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಮಂಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

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KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA, BENGALURU

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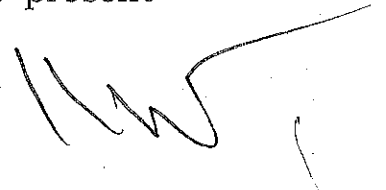
No one is present on behalf of the complainant
Sri H.S. Doreswamy.

2. On behalf of Bengaluru Environment Trust
(BET) Sri Yellappa Reddy is present along with
Dr. Raj Mohan, Retired Director, Indian Council of
Medical Research, Miss. Nirmala Gowda, Trustee
and Sri Nataraj, Associate Member.

3. On behalf of Provident Sunworth Apartment
Sri Shyamasundar is present.

4. Sri B.V.Patil, Member Secretary, Karnataka
State Pollution Control Board is present along with
Dr. A.Ramesh, Senior Environmental Officer and
Sri R.V.Bhat, Law Officer.

5. On behalf of Kaveri Neeravari Nigama,
Sri Venkate gowda, Executive Engineer, is present



along with Sri Raju Hegde, Legal Officer and Sri Suresh, Assistant Engineer.

6. On behalf of Minor Irrigation Department Sri Rajanna, Assistant Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation Sub-Division, Bengaluru is present along with Sri K.Janardhan, Assistant Engineer and Minor Irrigation Sub-Division, Byramangala.


7. On behalf of BWSSB, Sri M.Devaraj, Additional Chief Engineer is present.

8. Sri Chetan S.Kolavi, Chief Officer, Bidadi TMC is present along with Smt. Archana B.C, Environmental Engineer.

9. Sri Madan Mohan C., Assistant Secretary, Zilla Panchayath, Ramanagar is present.

10. On behalf of KIADB, Sri Basavaraju H.S., Executive Engineer is present along with Sri Ramachandra, Assistant Executive Engineer.

11. A status report dated 21-10-2019 has been filed on behalf of Kaveri Neeravari Nigama Limited



('KNNL' for short). Along with the status report, the proceedings of the KNNL dated 25-08-2019 is also filed. It is useful to extract the said status report, which reads as hereunder:

“ವಿಷಯ: ಹೆಚ್.ಎಸ್. ದೊರೈಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಎಂಬುವರು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೀಡಿರುವ ದೂರಿನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: BCD. 2412 / 2018 dtd: 16-09-2019 & 2526/2018 ರ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: ದಿನಾಂಕ: 16-09-2019ರಂದು ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರು ಹೊರಡಿಸಿರುವ ಆದೇಶ.

ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರು ಹೊರಡಿಸಿದ ಆದೇಶದಂತೆ ಕಾವೇರಿ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ :-

ಮೇಲಿನ ಆದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಜಲಾಶಯದ ಮೇಲ್ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಬೃಹತ್ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಮತ್ತು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರದ ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳು, ರಾಜಾಜಿನಗರ Industrial area, ಪೀಣ್ಯ Industrial area, ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು Industrial area ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡದಿ Industrial area ಗಳು ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಇವುಗಳಿಂದ ಬರುವ Industrial waste ಅನ್ನು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಿಸದ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾವಂತಿ ನದಿಗೆ ಬಿಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಹಾಗೂ ನಗರ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಿಂದ ಬರುವ ಚರಂಡಿ ನೀರು ಮತ್ತು ಇನ್ನಿತರೆ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯಗಳು ನೇರವಾಗಿ ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಕರೆಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ಕಲುಶಿತಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಜಲಾಶಯದ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸುಮಾರು 1600 ಹೆ. ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೃಷಿ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಈ ನೀರಿನಿಂದ ಬೆಳೆಯುತ್ತಿರುವ ಹಣ್ಣು ತರಕಾರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಇತರೆ ಬೆಳೆಗಳು ಆರೋಗ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಹಾನಿಕಾರಕವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಜಲಾಶಯದ ಸುತ್ತ ಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಕೊಳವೆ ಬಾವಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ದೊರೆಯುವ ನೀರು ಸಹಾ ಕಲುಶಿತವಾಗಿದ್ದು ರಾಸಾಯನಿಕ ಅಂಶಗಳು ಅಧಿಕವಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಕುಡಿಯಲು ಯೋಗ್ಯವಾಗಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಈ ಹಿನ್ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಜಲಾಶಯವನ್ನು ಸಂರಕ್ಷಿಸುವ ಉದ್ದೇಶದಿಂದ, ಕಾವೇರಿ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾವಂತಿ ನದಿಗೆ ಅಡ್ಡಲಾಗಿ ಸುಮಾರು 68ಮೀ. ಉದ್ದದ ವಿಯರ್ ಅನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಮಾಣಮಾಡಿ ಕಲುಷಿತ ನೀರನ್ನು 6.8 ಕಿ.ಮೀ ಉದ್ದದ ತಿರುವು ಕಾಲುವೆ ಮೂಲಕ (Diversion canal) ಜಲಾಶಯದ ಕೆಳಭಾಗಕ್ಕೆ ಹರಿಸಲು ಹಾಗೂ ಪ್ರವಾಹದ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ರಹಿತ ನೀರನ್ನು ಜಲಾಶಯಕ್ಕೆ ತುಂಬಿಸಲು ಉದ್ದೇಶಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಈ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಜಲಾಶಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ರಾಸಾಯನಿಕ ಮಿಶ್ರಿತ ಹೂಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆಯುವುದು ಮತ್ತು ring bund ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಮಾಡುವ ಕೆಲಸ ಸಹಾ ಸೇರ್ಪಡೆಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಈ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ವಿಸ್ತೃತ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 25-08-2018ರಂದು ನಡೆದ ಕಾವೇರಿ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮದ ಅಂದಾಜು ಪರಿಶೀಲನಾ ಸಮಿತಿ 45ನೇ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂಡಿಸಿ ತೆರವು ಪಡೆಯಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಈ ಯೋಜನೆಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಆಡಳಿತಾತ್ಮಕ ಮಂಜೂರಾತಿ ಜ.ಸಂ.ಇ/157/ಎಂ.ಎಂ.ಕೆ/2018 ದಿನಾಂಕ:23-11-2018 ರಂದು ರೂ.110.00 ಕೋಟಿಗಳಿಗೆ ದೊರೆತಿದ್ದು, ನಂತರ ಈ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ Indent No. 25274 ರ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕರೆದು ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯನ್ನು 68ನೇ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರ ಮಂಡಳಿ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ರೂ. 122.30 ಕೋಟಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ ಪಡೆದು ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಾದ M/s. Star Infra Pvt. Ltd. ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಇವರಿಗೆ ರೂ.122.30 ಕೋಟಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾದೇಶ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಈ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ಸರ್ವೆ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಮುಗಿದಿದ್ದು, Diversion canal alignment ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನ ದೊರೆತಿದ್ದು, ಮಣ್ಣು ಅಗೆತದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯು ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾವೇರಿ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಯಾವುದೇ ನಿರ್ಲಕ್ಷ್ಯ ತೋರಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಹಾಗೂ ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರವರ ಅದೇಶದಂತೆ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯನ್ನು ನಿಗದಿತ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪೂರ್ಣಗೊಳಿಸಲು ಹಾಗೂ ರೈತರಿಗೆ ಕೃಷಿ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗೆ ಅನಾನುಕೂಲವಾಗದಂತೆ ಎಚ್ಚರ ವಹಿಸಿ ಅಗತ್ಯ ಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುವುದು.”

The copy of the said status report along with the proceedings is also made available to the Trustees of BET and all the authorities who are present today.

12. On behalf of the BWSSB, a status report dated 19-10-2019 is filed by the Chief Engineer. It is useful to extract the same, which reads as hereunder:

“ವಿಷಯ: ಹೆಚ್.ಎಸ್.ದೊರೆಸ್ವಾಮಿ ರವರು ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೀಡಿರುವ ದೂರಿನ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: ತಮ್ಮ ಪತ್ರ ನಂ:ಕಂ.ಲೋಕ್.ಬಿ.ಸಿ.ಡಿ 2412/2018 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 29-09-2018.

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ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯ ಹಾಗೂ ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಮಾನ್ಯ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ದಿನಾಂಕ:11-09-2018ರ ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸಿಸುವ ಜನತೆ ಸೊಳ್ಳೆಗಳ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆ ಎದುರಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರವು ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕ್ರಮ

ವಹಿಸಲು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡದಿ ಪುರಸಭೆಗೆ ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ ಸಮೀಪ ಒಂದು ಸೂಕ್ತ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿ ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸಲು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸುತ್ತಮುತ್ತಲಿನ ಪ್ರದೇಶವು ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲವಾದ್ದರಿಂದ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಜಲಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಕೆಲಸ ಕಾರ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಅವಗಾಹನೆಗೆ ತರುತ್ತಾ ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿಯುವ ವೃಷಭಾವತಿ ನದಿ ಕಣಿವೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 150 ದಶಲಕ್ಷ ಲೀಟರ್ ದಿನಂಪತ್ರಿ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯು ನಾಯಂಡಹಳ್ಳಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು ಘಟಕವನ್ನು ಜುಲೈ 2020ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾರಂಭ ಮಾಡಲು ಯೋಜಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ದೊಡ್ಡಬೆಲೆ ಸಮೀಪದಲ್ಲಿ 40 ದಶಲಕ್ಷ ಲೀಟರ್ ದಿನಂಪತ್ರಿ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯದ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣಾ ಘಟಕದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯೂ ಸಹ ಚಾಲನೆಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 2019ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಾರಂಭ ಮಾಡಲು ಯೋಜಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ವೃಷಭಾವತಿ ನದಿಗೆ ಹರಿಯುತ್ತಿರುವ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರನ್ನು ಹಂತಹಂತವಾಗಿ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರು ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಣ ಘಟಕಗಳಿಗೆ ಹರಿಸಲು ಕೊಳವೆಮಾರ್ಗ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದು ಜುಲೈ-2021ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಪೂರ್ಣಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಈ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ಣಮಾಡಿ ಚಾಲನೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ನಂತರವೇ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯನೀರನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ಣ ಪ್ರಮಾಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಸ್ಕರಿಸಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗುವುದು ಹಾಗೂ ಸಂಸ್ಕರಿಸಿದ ನೀರನ್ನು ವೃಷಭಾವತಿ ಕಣಿವೆಗೆ ಹರಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು ಎಂಬ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಘನ ಅವಗಾಹನೆಗಾಗಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.”

The copy of the same is made available to all the parties.

13. On behalf of the Pollution Control Board, a status report dated 01-10-2019 was filed. It is useful to extract the same which reads as hereunder:

“ACTION PLAN WITH RESPECT TO CONTROL OF
POLLUTION OF V-VALLEY

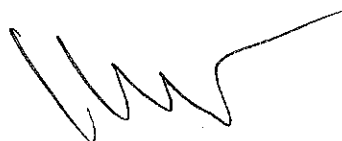
Bruhat Bengaluru MahanagaraPalike (BBMP) comprises of 800 SqKms and consists of 245 Sq. Kms. of core area, 330 SqKms of erstwhile CMC/ TMC and

225 SqKms of 110 Villages. The population of Bengaluru BBMP area is projected to double i.e., from 10.08 Million in 2016 to 20.96 Million by 2050. Bangalore Water Supply and Sewerage Board (BWSSB) is supplying 1400 MLD of water from River Cauvery. It is estimated that about 400 MLD water is utilized from ground water (public + private). Total water utilized is 1800 MLD, out of which 80% i.e., 1440 MLD will become used water which will constantly increase with the growth of the city. **Vrushabhavathy valley is one three major vallies in the Bengaluru city.**

Vrishabhavathi is a tributary of river Cauvery and was erstwhile life line of city to supply drinking water, virtually turned into open Sewerage that carries highly polluted domestic and industrial wastewater. The valley is on the western part of Bangalore, and it is bound to be second largest watershed on catchment, besides it is the main source of receptor for disposal of wastewater from south and western part of Bangalore, as the topography of catchment is well suited for easy transportation of wastewater. The catchment is equipped with partly **Under Ground Drainage (UGD)**, system and the area which is not been covered with UGD, the **domestic sewage is getting directly into the valley.**

It is estimated that 40% of the quantity of wastewater generated will flow towards Vrishabhavathi valley. The BWSSB has installed 9 Sewage Treatment plant of installed capacity 386 MLD and at present receiving 198.5 MLD, thus sewage is the major source of Pollution to the V-valley.

KSPCB during Oct - Nov 2018. During survey, 3304 industries were inspected, out of which 18 industries were closed on their own and 328 were categorised under white category for which consent of the Board is not required. Out of the operating 2958 industries, 1478 industries are complied and remaining 1480 were not complied. Show cause notices have been issued to 407 industries, Notice of proposed directions issued to 241 industries, closure orders have been



issued to 241 industries and action is under progress for 591 industries.

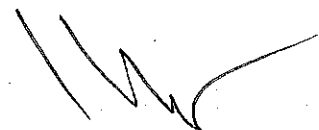
In addition to above, disposal of solid waste in the catchment likely ends up in the V-valley.

To address the above issue following are the plan of action by the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board

SL NO	ISSUES	PLAN OF ACTION	TIME LINE
1	Common Effluent Treatment Plants. There are 9 Common Effluent Treatment Plants located in and around Bangalore are catering the needs of the industries situated in the catchment of V-Valley (List of the CETPs are enclosed as Annexure)	In Order to monitor any illegal discharges from the CETPs following are the action plan	
		1. GPS enable vehicles are required to be used for transportation of effluents from the industry to CETP	With immediate effect
		2. Only Board authorised vehicles shall be used for transportation of effluents from the industry to CETP	With immediate effect
		3. Uploading of authorized vehicles to the Board website.	With immediate effect
		4. Online generation of manifesto system	Within 15 days
		5. GPS enabled Vehicle tracking system	Within 15 days
		6. Colour coding for transportation vehicles	Design one month Implementation 3 months
		7. Initiation of action for violations under the provisions of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974	Action will be initiated immediately wherever violations are observed.
		8. Enforcement of Environmental Compensation for violations	Immediate effect
		9. Establishment of Common Effluent Treatment Plant at Urban Eco Park, Peenya. (of Capacity 200 The establishment of CETP at Peenya will cater the needs of Peenya and surrounding areas most of the areas are coming under the catchment of V-Valley also. This will reduce the transportation distance. The State Government has sanctioned Rs. 10 Crores for establishment of CETP	One Year

2	INDUSTRIES	1. Survey of industries located in the catchment area.	Completed and survey work is ongoing process
		2. Insisting large scale industries to have in-house treatment facilities instead of handing over the effluents to CETP.	Immediate effect
		3. Not to handed over effluents to CETPs in the vehicles not authorized by the Board.	Immediate effect
		4. Verification of water balance of all large & medium industries	Complete verification at the time of renewal of consent.
		5. Since 2012-13, new electroplating industries & expansion of existing surface treatment industries are prohibited and the existing surface treatment industries have been directed to implement 6 point criteria conditions laid down by the Board for scientific handling and disposal of effluent and emissions	The policy will be continued.
		6. Peenya Industrial Cluster as 'severely polluted area' by MoEF&CC, GoI, study was entrusted to NGRI, Hyderabad for conducting 'assessment of ground water conditions and water quality around Peenya Industrial Area in Bangalore'. The NGRI has submitted report. Accordingly action plan has been prepared and submitted to Hon'ble NGT on 10.7.2019 which is under review by Local Area Committee constituted by the Board.	Recommendations will be Implemented the time line will be stipulated while finalizing the action plan.
		7. Initiation of action for violations under the provisions of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974	Action will be initiated immediately wherever violations are observed.
		8. Enforcement of Environmental Compensation for violations	Immediate effect
		9. Review of compliance to the above	Every month

3	Monitoring the V-Valley water quality	<p>1. The water quality in V valley is being monitored every month at 24 stations. Based on the analysis reports, the water quality is classified as D, E & below E class as per primary water quality criteria standards notified by CPCB. It is found that the water is having high BOD concentration and microbial contamination indicating discharge of sewage effluent from domestic sources for which BWSSB is responsible for providing proper sewer network to divert the sewage into sewage treatment plants. BWSSB is being addressed from the Board to complete the UGD networks in non-sewered areas and to commission new STPs along the V Valley</p>	<p>The number of monitoring stations were reviewed and found that there is no necessity for additional monitoring stations. The data will be uploaded with immediate effect.</p>
		Night patrolling - KSPCB intends to carryout night patrolling of valley	10th October, 2019
4	Construction Projects	<p>1. The Board is according consent to the construction project with zero discharge of sewage outside the premises, after the verification of adequacy for recycling by the Board. For any violation action will be initiated.</p> <p>2. There are 121 number of apartments/commercial establishments in V Valley area covered under consent mechanism of the Board. 114 units have provided and operating the STP.</p>	<p>Ongoing process</p> <p>Action will be taken to install STPs in 7 the remaining units on or before 31.12.2019</p>
5	Study of potential toxic contamination and their effect on community living adjacent to polluted river (Vrushabhavathi River).	The Regional Occupational Health Centre (Southern) coming under Aegis of Indian Council of Medical Research (National Institute of Occupational Health), Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi submitted a proposal to the Board on study of potential toxic contamination and their effect on community living adjacent to polluted river	2 years



		<p>(Vrushabhavathi River). The study duration is for 2 years. The estimated budget proposed for the project is Rs.20,08,800/- (Rupees Twenty Lakh Eight Thousand Eight hundred only). The National Institute of Occupational Health (NIOH), Ahmedabad has agreed for contribution of 50% of the project cost. Hence, the remaining portion of project cost i.e., Rs.11,00,000/- (Rupees Eleven Lakh only) shall be borne by the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board.</p> <p>The Board accorded approval to the proposal and seeking examination from Government under Section 4(g) of Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act, 1999.</p>	
6	Issues with Government bodies	Meetings will be held under the chairmanship of the Board Chairman regarding implementation of their action plan	Once in 3 months

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14. Today an additional statement dated 22-10-2019 is filed by the Member Secretary. It is useful to extract the same which reads as hereunder:

“ವಿಷಯ: ಶ್ರೀ ದೊರೆಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಮಾನ್ಯ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತದಲ್ಲಿ ನೀಡಿದ ದೂರಿನ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: No. Compt/LOK/BCD-2412 & 2526/
2018/ARE-1

ಮೇಲಿನ ದೂರಿನ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 16.09.2019 ರಂದು ನೀಡಿದ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನದ ಅನ್ವಯ ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಕೈಗೊಂಡ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಈ ಪತ್ರದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಮಾನ್ಯ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರ ಅವಗಾಹನೆಗೆ ತರಲು ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಕೋರಲಾಗಿದೆ.



Compliance to the directions issued by the Hon'ble Lokayukta on 16.09.2019 in connection with No. Compt/LOK/BCD-2412 & 2526/2018/ARE-1.

1. The action plan with respect to control of Pollution of V-Valley has been prepared and communicated to the Hon'ble Lokayukta and to the Complainants on 01.10.2019.
2. A meeting of various stakeholders and the complainants under the Chairmanship of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board will be convened on 30.10.2019. The following issues are identified for deliberations in the meeting.

Sl. No.	Name of the authorities	Issues
1	BWSSB	BWSSB is one of the contributor for pollution of V- Valley. 1. Action Plan for installing adequate capacity of STP to treat the sewage generated from the catchment area. 2. 100% utilization of capacity of existing STPs. 3. Action plan for utilization of treated sewage
2	Karnataka Neeravari Nigama Limited,	1. Present / proposed utilization of treated/untreated sewage from Byramangala Lake water for irrigation / agricultural purposes.
3	BBMP	1. Disposal of Solid Waste including domestic hazardous waste, sanitary waste 2. Disposal of C & D Waste 3. Maintenance of Storm water drains
4	KIADB	1. Creation of facilities for management of industrial solid waste 2. Providing CETPs in the industrial areas coming in the catchment of V-Valley.
5	Minor Irrigation Department	1. Protection and remediation of lakes in the catchment of V-Valley including Byramangala Lake
6	Complainants :	1. Sri Doraiswamy & Yallappa Reddy

The Board has prepared and submitted action plan with respect to control of pollution of V-Valley considering the issues that can be implemented by the State Pollution Control Board. However, based on the

further order which will be issued by the Hon'ble Lokayukta, comprehensive plan will be prepared by considering the inputs that will be given by the stakeholders and after review of the said issues by the Board during the meeting scheduled on 30.10.2019.

3. As per the directions of the Hon'ble Lokayukta on 16.10.2019, the Board on 05.10.2019, has approved to authorize Assistant Environmental officer, Deputy Environmental Officer and Environmental Officers to file criminal cases in their respective jurisdictional Courts.

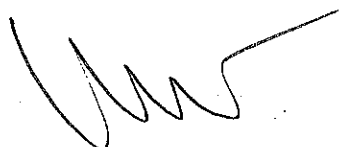
Following are the status of filing of Criminal Cases against the defaulting industries.

Sl. No.	Regional Office	No. of Cases filed	Under various stages of filing Criminal Case
1	Peenya	01	05
2	Bangalore City South	00	42
3	Ramanagara	00	05
4	Rajarajeshwari Nagar	00	39
5	Dasarahalli	00	21
	TOTAL	01	112

This is for your kind information."

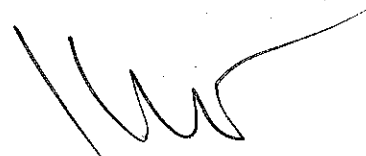
The copy of the same is made available to all the parties.

15. It is pointed out by Sri B.V.Patil, Member Secretary, Pollution Control Board that, since there has been change in the office of the Chairman and also Member Secretary, earlier order made by me indicating to convene a meeting of several officers could not be held earlier and now they have fixed the meeting on 30-10-2019. Sri Patil pointed out that,



in the said meeting, after hearing the several officers referred to in my earlier order and also the Members of the BET, an appropriate decision will be taken to control the discharge of both sewage and industrial waste to Byramangala Lake. He submits, in the light of the decision that may be taken in the meeting to be held on 30-10-2019, a project report/comprehensive action plan will be prepared and effective steps will be taken to prevent the discharge of the effluent substance. He further submitted that, after the meeting, the Pollution Control Board will require another four weeks time to prepare the action plan and communication of the same to all the stakeholders and thereafter, stakeholders will take steps to implement the project report/comprehensive action plan.

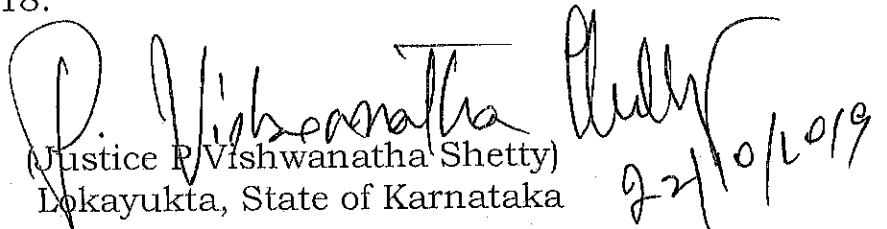
16. In the light of what is stated above, four weeks time is granted to the Pollution Control Board to submit the action plan before the Lokayukta on or before 03-12-2019. Copy of the same shall be communicated to Sri Yallappa Reddy, BET and all



the officers concerned. It is needless to point out that, the officers concerned shall go through the project report and take necessary steps to implement the project and file the status report setting out ^{the} steps they have taken on or before 07-01-2020 before the Lokayukta after communicating the copies of the status report to all the concerned. The trustees of BET ^{are} ~~have been~~ also reserved liberty to submit their response to the project report prepared by the Pollution Control Board and also other stakeholders on or before 15-01-2020.

17. Communicate this order to all the parties concerned.

List this matter on 17-01-2020 at 3.00 p.m. along with connected matter in Compt/LOK/BCD-2526/2018.


(Justice P Vishwanatha Shetty)
Lokayukta, State of Karnataka

22/10/2019

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Complied para
17. on 24/10/19. RAS, Muddam &
by e-mail also.

Karnataka State pollution
Control Board, Member Secretary
sent a letter dt, 3/12/19,
They requested 15 days time to
submit a report.

Letter received from BWSB dt, 21/12/19.

K.S.P.C.B Report dt, 9/1/2020

Received on 10/1/2020 & JDS

report sent to concerned parties. &

acknowledgment received.

KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA : BENGALURU

No: Compt/Lok/BCD-2526/2018
No: Compt/Lok/BCD-2412/2018

Date: 17-01-2020

ORDER

On behalf of Complainant Sri. H.S.Doreswamy, Sri. Lakshmikanth of Namma Bengaluru Foundation, Sri. A.H.Yellappa Reddy and Smt.Nirmala Gowda and other members of Bengaluru Environment Trust (herein after referred to as '**Trust**' for short) are present.


2. On behalf of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Bengaluru, Sri. M.K.Prabhudev, Chief Environmental Officer; Sri. C. Siddaramaiah, Senior Environmental Officer, Bengaluru North; Sri. S. Madhusudhan, Senior Environmental Officer, Bengaluru City; Sri. Ramesh K.M. Environmental Officer, City Unit; Sri. H.K.Marimadaiah, Environmental Officer, Head Office, Sri. H.K.Lokesh, Environmental Officer, Peenya; Sri. V.S.Kumar, Environmental Officer, Ramanagara, Sri. Somasekhar K.M., Deputy Environmental Officer, Regional Office - Dasarahalli, and Sri. R.V.Bhat, Law Officer, are present.

3. On behalf of Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board, Sri. Sadananda Acharya, Joint Director of Town Planning is present along with Sri. H.N.Hanumantha Reddy, Deputy Director of Town Planning, Sri. H.S.Basavaraj, Development Officer-I, Sri. C.N. Murthy, Development Officer-III, Sri. K.S. Kumarappa, Deputy Development Officer and Sri. M.Y.Srikanth, Assistant Engineer.

4. On behalf of Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited, Sri. Venkate Gowda, Executive Engineer, Ramanagara; and Sri. G.C.Suresh, Assistant Engineer, Ramanagara; and Sri. Raju Hegde, Legal Officer, are present.

5. Sri. H.M.Kotresha, Assistant Engineer, Minor Irrigation Sub-Division, Ramanagar is present.

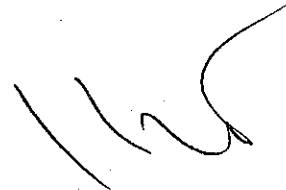
6. On behalf of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Smt. J. Nithya, Assistant Executive Engineer (Lakes) is present along with Smt. K. Usha Rani, Assistant Engineer (Lakes).



7. On behalf of Bengaluru Water Supply & Sewerage Board, Sri. K.S.Renukumar, Executive Engineer is present along with Sri. N.Sumanth, Assistant Executive Engineer.

8. It is the grievance of the Complainant that though sufficient time was given the concerned authorities of the State who are parties to these proceedings including Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (herein after referred to as '**KSPCB**' for short), Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board (herein after referred to as '**KIADB**' for short), Bengaluru Water Supply and Sewerage Board (herein after referred to as '**BWSSB**' for short), Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (herein after referred to as '**BBMP**' for short), Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Limited (herein after referred to as '**CNNL**' for short) have not taken the steps that are required to be taken by them, to prevent discharge of effluent substance to Byramangala lake and Vrishabhavathi lake.

9. On behalf of KSPCB, a status report dated 09-01-2020 has been filed. On behalf of KSPCB,



Sri. M.K.Prabhudev, Chief Environmental Officer and Sri. R.V.Bhat, Law Officer, have submitted that the then incharge Chairman, who is in the cadre of Additional Chief Secretary Dr.Sandeep Dave, had convened meetings of the Senior Officers of BWSSB, BBMP, KIADB, KSSIDC, CNNL, Ground Water Directorate of Mines and Geology and Minor Irrigation. In those meetings, it was indicated that all the stake holders are under an obligation to rejuvenate the Byramangala Lake & Vrishabhavathy Valley and to prevent discharge of effluent substance to Byramangala Lake & Vrishabhavathy Valley and they were requested to submit their Action Plans setting out the details of the plan indicating as to how each one of them intend to improve/rejuvenate the Byramangala Lake & Vrishabhavathy Valley. It is pointed out that though all the authorities referred to above, have given Action Plan, the BBMP which is the main stake holder, as the valley starts from Peenya upto Byramangala covering larger area within the BBMP limits, has failed to submit the Action Plan. According to KSPCB, on account of inaction on the part of the BBMP,

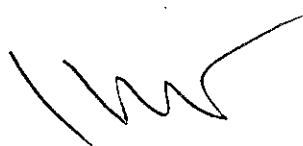
the KSPCB could not finalize the comprehensive Action Plan. Therefore, he prays for some more time for KSPCB to finalize the Action Plan with a further direction to the BBMP to submit Action Plan without further loss of time.

9. It is submitted by Sri. M.K.Prabhudev, Chief Environmental Officer that one Sri. H. Prakash, Executive Engineer, Storm Water Drain, had participated in the meeting on both the occasions. At this stage, it is pointed out by Smt.Nirmala Gowda and Sri. Lakshmikanth that it is desirable to give further direction to the Commissioner of BBMP to take immediate steps in the matter on account of default of BBMP and the entire Action Plan proposed to be prepared by the KSPCB is being delayed. They further submitted that on account of default of BBMP a report may also be sent to the Government, to give appropriate direction to the BBMP on that behalf.

11. No doubt, there appears to be default on the part of the concerned officers of BBMP. At this stage, I don't find it appropriate to send any report to the Government about

the default committed by the BBMP. In my view, as the BBMP is required to comply with my direction and that can be got done by the BBMP by issuing direction to the Commissioner to examine the matter and to take immediate action to communicate the Action Plan to the KSPCB, as expeditiously as possible, in any event of the matter not later than four weeks from today. In the mean while, the Complainant/representative/Trust are reserved liberty to submit a report to the Commissioner of BBMP setting out their grievances and suggesting the remedial measures required to be taken by the BBMP and also required to be incorporated in the Action Plan to be submitted by the BBMP to the KSPCB.

12. It is pointed out by the Trust that they have already given a representation to the Chairman, KSPCB, in the meeting, setting out the details of the steps required to be taken by the BBMP and therefore direction may be given to the BBMP to incorporate the suggestions given by the Trust before the KSPCB, a copy of which was made available to the Executive Engineer of BBMP. At this stage,



I do not think it is appropriate for me to issue any direction, as the BBMP which is required to protect the public interest, is required take all the suggestions which are relevant to protect the public interest in the representation given by the Trust.

13. Sri. K.S.Renukumar, Executive Engineer of BWSSB has submitted that a status report has been filed. It is useful to extract the said report, which reads as heunder:

“ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನೀರು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮತ್ತು ಒಳಚರಂಡಿ ಮಂಡಲಿ

BANGALORE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD

Office of Chief Engineer (WWM)

Cauvery Bhavan, V Floor, Bangalore 560009

No. BWSSB /CE(WWM)/ACE (WWM-2)/ /2019-20 Date: /01/2020

To
Secretary to Hon'ble Lokayuktha
Bangalore

Sir,

Sub: Pollution of V Valley and Byaramangala Lake.

Ref: 1.Comp/Lok/BCD/2412/2018 & 2526/2018 dt:10.01.2020

Adverting to the above subject, the compliance to the your letter dated the details are as follows.

The vrishabhavathi Valley runs in the western parts of the city and flows towards the south of Bengaluru. The total catchment area of this valley is 89.08 Sq kms which consist of three minor valleys namely Kethamaranahalli, Arkavathi and

Kathriguppe. The jurisdiction of this drainage Zone is from Malleshwaram in north, Kanakapura Road in south and Peenya in West.

Action taken for rejuvenation of

1. The existing sewer lines of the core city were laid about 40 to 50 years back which required rehabilitation and replacements. During 2004, 14 major works costing about Rs.34.58 crore for rehabilitation / replacement of existing sewage system were carried out in EAP-A project. Similarly in EAP-B project 7 major rehabilitation / replacement works costing Rs.178.00crore were carried out.
2. In EAP-C project which is being taken up under the central funded AMRUT scheme the four package works at a total cost of Rs. 386.50 crore for providing and laying 87.5 kms length of sewer lines were taken up and the works are under progress (upto date 65% of work is completed) . These four package works will be completed by end of 2021. In addition the work of laying bigger size pipeline from Ranganatha Colony to Vrishabhavathi valley at a cost of Rs52.50 crore also taken up in this AMRUT scheme and this work is nearing completion.
3. In this Vrishabhavathi drainage Zone, BWSSB is operating and maintaining the following waste water treatment plants. The details of which are as follows.

Sl. No	Name	Capacity in MLD	Location near to	Level of treatment	Types of process for treating sewage	Effluent Discharge Water Body	Used By/Disposed to
1.	Nagasandra Ph-I	20	Near Madavara kere(near Tumkur Road)	Secondary	Extended Aeration	Doddabidarak allu Lake	To SWD
2.	Mallathahalli	5	Mallathahalli kere	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Mallathahalli Lake	2.5MLD to Mallathahalli lake and 2.5MLD to

							Ullal lake
3.	Nagasandra	20	Near Madavara kere (near Tumkur Road)	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Doddabidarak allu Lake	To SWD
4.	Chikkabana vara	5	Chikkabana kere	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Chikkabana vara Lake	To SWD
5.	Mailasandra Ph-I	75	Mailasandra	Secondary	Extended aeration	Vrishabhavathi Valley	M/s Tangline Developers Global village & Bhagyalakshmi farms. Balance to SWD
6.	V.Valley	180	Mysore Road	Secondary	Two Stage High Rate trickling filter process	Vrishabhavathi Valley	10 MLD is used for TTP & treated water from 10 MLD is being supplied to Arvind mills, M/s Wonder Blues & NECE.
7.	Kempambudhi	1	NR Colony	Secondary	Extended aeration	Kempambudhi Lake	Kempambudhi lake recharge
8.	Doddabele	20	Doddabele	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Presently to SWD
9.	Kengeri	60	Near Kengeri Bus stand	Secondary	Secondary activated sludge process	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Disposal Sewerline linking work in progress
10	Doddabele	40	Doddabele	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Presently to SWD. Disposal Sewerline linking work in progress
	Total	426					

Under Megacity Revolving Funds scheme BWSSB has taken up the work of waste water treatment plants as shown below.

Sl. No	Name	Capacity in MLD	Evaluated Cost of the Project	Effluent Discharge Water Body	Remarks
1	Work of design and construction of 150 MLD STP based on Activated Sludge process with Biological Nutrient removal @ V.Valley	150	Rs.470.93 Crore	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Work under progress (68% of Physical work is completed and Financial Progress as on 210.88 Crore (45%)) and Probable completion date by the end of July-2020

4. For arresting the waste water flowing in the storm water drains and joining to the lakes in the downstream areas, BWSSB formulated a scheme for carrying out connected sewer line works to divert the waste water to the nearby waste water treatment plants at a cost of Rs.52 crore. The works are under progress and planned for completion of these works by end of 2020.

After completion of all the above works, it is possible for the Board to treat the maximum wastewater generated in Vrishabhavathy drainage zone before letting the treated water to the Vrishabhavathy river course and with these actions of the Board the present pollution caused to the Byramangala lake will be avoided.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (WWM)"

14. Sri. K.S.Renukumar has submitted that in all 10 STPs which has the capacity of preventing discharge of 426 mld of effluent substance has already been installed at various locations in the Catchment area of Vrishabhavathi



valley. He submits that another 150 mld capacity of STP has already been constructed and it will be operated by the end of the year 2020. According to him, by 2021 all these works will be completed and BWSSB should be in a position to prevent discharge of any domestic sewage which will be generated in Vrishabhavathy valley being discharged to valley, which falls within the BBMP limit where the jurisdiction of BWSSB extends.

15. It is pointed out in the course of discussion by Sri. R.V.Bhat of KSPCB that it is necessary to issue notice to Kumbalagodu Grama Panchayat, Town Municipal Council of Bidadi, Bengaluru Urban Zilla Panchayat and also Ramanagara Zilla Panchayat. In the light of submission made, issue notice to the Panchayath Development Officer, Kumbalagodu Grama Pranchayat; Chief Officer, Town Municipal Council of Bidadai, Chief Executive Officer, Bengaluru Urban Zilla Panchayat and the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Ramanagar. Communicate copy of this order and earlier orders to them. The copies of the report submitted by KSPCB and also



other authorities may be forwarded to them to examine the same and take appropriate remedial measures, which is required to be taken by each one of them to prevent discharge of effluent substance to the valley.

16. It is pointed out by Sri. Nataraj, member of the Trust, that while it is the responsibility of BWSSB in preventing the discharge of domestic waste, it is the responsibility of the KSPCB to monitor the proper discharge of industrial waste. He pointed out, that industrial waste are not being properly disposed of protecting the interest of environment and public health. According to him, the industrial waste are being dumped over the street and the agents to whom the industries have entrusted the work of disposal, have not done their job properly and it is the duty of KSPCB to take severe action against the pollutant industries for their failure for proper disposal of industrial waste. Though at one stage I had inclined to direct the Lokayukta Police to get an investigation done, at this stage, I think it is not necessary to do so. I am of the view that the interest of justice would be met if I direct the KSPCB to examine the

grievance of Sri. Nataraj and to take effective measures to prevent discharge of industrial waste. It is needless to point out that if there is any erring industries, the KSPCB is required to take stringent action against such industries by instituting criminal proceedings, if need be and other steps against the defaulting units. At this stage, Sri. R.V.Bhat pointed out that KSPCB has already instituted proceedings against 39 industries and around 37 industries are under process. It is pointed out by Sri. M.K.Prabhudev that the disposal of industrial waste is being monitored regularly by the KSPCB and a Committee has already been constituted for the purpose of determining compensation to be paid by the polluting industries.

17. Sri. Venkategowda, Executive Engineer, on behalf of Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Limited has submitted that an Action Plan has already been submitted to the KSPCB. He has also produced the copy of the Action Plan dated 06-01-2020 submitted before the KSPCB. It is useful to extract the same, which reads as follows:

“ಕಾವೇರಿ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮ ನಿಯಮಿತ
(ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಉದ್ಯಮ)
ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್‌ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ
ಮಂಚನಬೆಲೆ ಯೋಜನಾ ವಿಭಾಗ,
ರಾಮನಗರ - 562 159.



CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA LIMITED
(A Govt. of Karnataka Enterprises)

Office of the Executive Engineer,
Manchanabele Project Division
Ramanagara - 562 159.

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ದಿನಾಂಕ 06.01.2020

To,

Superintending Engineer
KRSM & MIP Circle
CNNL, Mandya

Sir,

Subject: Submission of Action plan as per the direction to the meeting Proceedigns held with respect to Pollution of V-Valley and Byramangala Lake under the Chairmanship of Dr.Sandeep Dave, IAS Chairman, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board belong to Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited.

Ref: 1) Proceedings of the Meeting held on 30.10.2019 with respect to Pollution of V-Valley and Byramangala lake under the Chairmanship of Dr. Sandeep Dave, IAS, Chairman, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board vide No: PCB/NON-EIA/BNG/2018/4551, dt: 22.11.2019.

2) Proceedings of the Meeting held on 18.12.2019 with respect to Pollution of V-Valley and Byramangala lake under the Chairmanship of Dr. Sandeep Dave, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Forest, Ecology & Environment and Chairman, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board vide No: KSPCB/CEO/V-Valley/2019-20/5281, dt: 01.01.2020.

3) This office letter reference no:2746. Dt: 19.12.2019.

With reference to the above subject the Additional Chief Secretary, Department of forest Ecology and Environment and Chairman of Pollution control Board directed all the officers present in the meeting to submit their action plans with complete details.

As per directions in regard with Pollution of V-Valley and Byramangala Lake, action plan has been prepared by Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited in detailed as under and submitted for kind perusal.

1. Dumping illegal Garbage has been identified all along the V-Valley and Arkavathy River that is near Chowkali and Mallagalu. These points are marked on Schematic drawings is action will be taken to delay Marshalls at identified points and enclosed to this letter.
2. Work of Diversion of sewage water near Byramanagala lake is taken by CNNL., the work order has been issued to agency on 08.03.2019 and 18 months of time schedule has been given with scope of construction of Diversion canal and partially desilting of lake (copy enclosed).
3. BWSSB authority planned to treatment of sewage in upstream of Byramanagala Lake and also KIADB has to take action for treatment of industrial effluents. After completion of these works the problem will be solved.
4. V-Valley joining Arkavathy river near Gankal village, disposal of sewage and debris to river is identified near town limits and other two points. To avoid these in town limit notice have been issued from Cauvery Neeravari Nigama Limited to Ramanagara town and Kanakapura town authority vide this office letter reference (3) and also action will be taken by CNNL to deploy marshalls at two points.

Encl: Compliance Report

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
MP Division, CNNL.,
Ramanagara.

- 1) Copy submitted to Member Secretary, Karnataka State Pollutin Control Board, Parisara Bhavan, 1st to 5th Floor, #49, Church Street, Bangalore – 560001 for information and acceptance of action plan.
- 2) Copy submitted to Managing Director, CNNL., Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore for information.
- 3) Copy Submitted Chief Engineer, Irrigation (South) Zone, CNNL., Mysore for information”.

He submitted that necessary steps will be taken by the Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Limited in the light of the Action Plan submitted by the Nigam to the KSPCB. The said statement is placed on record.

18. Sri. H.M. Kotes, Assistant Engineer of Minor Irrigation Sub-Division, Ramanagar, submitted that so far as Vrishabhavathi Valley is concerned, the Irrigation Department has no role to play. This has to be examined by the KSPCB and make a statement by the next date of hearing.

19. On behalf of KIADB, a status report dated 03-01-2020 has been filed. It is useful to extract the same, which reads as here under:

“ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಕ.ಕೈ.ಪ್ರ.ಮಂ/ಜಂ.ನಿ(ನ.ಗ್ರಾ.ಯೋ)/ /2019-20
ನೋಂದಣಿ ಅಂಚೆ

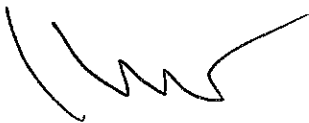
ದಿ:03-01-2020

ಗೆ,

ಸದಸ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳು,
ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣ ಮಂಡಳಿ,
ಚರ್ಚ್ ಸ್ಟ್ರೀಟ್, ನಂ.49,
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560051.

ಮಾನ್ಯರೆ,

ವಿಷಯ: ವ್ಯವಹಾರವತಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳ ಮತ್ತು ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯಕುರಿತು



ಮಾನ್ಯಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತದಲ್ಲಿನ ಪ್ರಕರಣ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:
Compt/Lok/BCD-2412 ಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿ
ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ.

- ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: 1. ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು-1 ರವರ ಪತ್ರ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:
ಕೆಐಎಡಿಬಿ/ಕಾಅ-1/1387/ 2019-20 ದಿನಾಂಕ:24-12-2019
2. ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು-3 ರವರ ಟಿಪ್ಪಣಿ
ದಿನಾಂಕ:19-12-2019

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳ ಮತ್ತು ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ
ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯಕುರಿತು ದಿ:18-12-2019 ರಂದು ಮಾನ್ಯಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು, KSPCB ರವರ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ
ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿಕೆ.ಐ.ಎ.ಡಿ.ಬಿ. ರವರಿಗೆ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕ್ರಮ ವಹಿಸುವಂತೆ ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತಾ, ಈ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ Action
Plan ಅನ್ನು ತಯಾರಿಸಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ:05-01-2020 ರೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕರಾಜ್ಯ ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯ
ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣ ಮಂಡಳಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವಂತೆ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನ ನೀಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಸದರಿ ವಿಷಯದಕುರಿತು
ದಿನಾಂಕ:20-12-2019 ರಂದು KSPCB ಇಲಾಖಾ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ
ಪ್ರದೇಶ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ Environmental Officer ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡದಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ
ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ Environmental Officer ರವರೊಂದಿಗೆ KIADBಯ
JD(TP), EE-1, AEE-2 & EE-3 ವಿಭಾಗದAEE, AE, Minor Irrigation
Department, Ramanagaraದ AE ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ Bidadi
Industrial Association (BIA) ರವರುಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆವ್ಯಷಭಾವತಿ ವ್ಯಾಲಿಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ
ಬರುವಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳ ಪರಿವೀಕ್ಷಣೆ ನಡೆಸಲಾಯಿತು.


ಅ) ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ:

ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ಮಧ್ಯ ಭಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿಯುವ ವಿ-ವ್ಯಾಲಿ
ಕೊಳ್ಳಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರುವ ಹಳ್ಳವನ್ನು ಪರಿವೀಕ್ಷಿಸಲಾಗಿ ಸದರಿ ಹಳ್ಳಕ್ಕೆ ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ
ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಗಳಿಂದ ಯಾವುದೇರೀತಿಯತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯವನ್ನು ನೇರವಾಗಿ ಬಿಡುಗಡೆ
ಮಾಡಿರುವುದುಕಂಡು ಬಂದಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಹಾಗೂ ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿM/s Pai&Pai
Chemicals ರವರು 40KLD Organic CETP & 300KLD Inorganic

CETP ಗಳನ್ನು ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿಯವರು ಸ್ಥಳೀಯವಾಗಿ ದೊರೆಯುವತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ನೀರನ್ನು Tanker ಗಳ ಮುಖಾಂತರತಂದು treat ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಘಟಕವನ್ನು ಸಹ ಪರಿವೀಕ್ಷಿಸಲಾಯಿತು.

ಮುಂದುವರೆದು ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಹಳ್ಳಕ್ಕೆ ಮೇಲ್ಭಾಗ (Upstream)ದ ಕಡೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸುಮಾರು 16.00 ಎಕರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಣ್ಣ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ನಿಗಮದವರು ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ವಸಹಾತು (KSSIDC) ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಈ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ UGD & Septic Tank ಸಹ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಿಂದ ಹೊರ ಸೂಸುವ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯವನ್ನು ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಿಸದೆ ನೆರವಾಗಿ Septic Tank ನಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇಖರಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ Septic Tank ತುಂಬಿದ ನಂತರ ನೆರವಾಗಿ ಹಳ್ಳಕ್ಕೆ ಹರಿದು ಬರುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ಕಂಡುಬಂದಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಸದರಿ Septic Tank ಪರಿಶೀಲನಾ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ Regional Environment Officer (REO) ರವರು ಹಳ್ಳದ ಎರಡೂ ಬದಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ಥಳ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆಗಾಗಿ ಪಾದಚಾರಿ ಮಾರ್ಗ (Inspection Path way), Revitment ಮಾಡುವುದು ಮತ್ತು ನೀರು ಹರಿಯುವ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಸ್ವಚ್ಛಗೊಳಿಸುವುದು ಹಾಗೂ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ಹರಿಸದಂತೆ ನೋಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು. ಈ ಎಲ್ಲವನ್ನು ಸೇರಿ Action Plan ತಯಾರಿಸಲು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಸದರಿ ಹಳ್ಳವು ಸುಮಾರು 15.00 ಮೀ. ಅಗಲವಿದ್ದು 550.00 ಮೀ. ಉದ್ದ, ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಮತ್ತು Lead off & Bell Mouth ಗಾಗಿ 100.00 ಮೀ. ಸೇರಿಸಿ ಒಟ್ಟು 650.00 ಮೀ. ಉದ್ದಕ್ಕೆ ಮೇಲೆ ಹೇಳಿರುವ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಮಂಡಳಿಯಿಂದ ಅನುಮೋದನೆಗೊಂಡಿರುವ 2019-20ರ ಆಯವ್ಯಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಣ ಮೀಸಲಿಟ್ಟಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದುದರಿಂದ ಸದರಿ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೇತಗಲುವ ವೆಚ್ಚ ಸುಮಾರು ರೂ. 200.00 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳು (ಅಂದಾಜು ಪಟ್ಟಿಯಂತೆ) 2020-21ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮೀಸಲಿಡಿಸಲು ಮಾನ್ಯ CEO & EM ರವರು ಅನುಮೋದಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಸದರಿ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯು ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್-2021 ರೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಪೂರ್ಣಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ನಿರೀಕ್ಷೆ ಇದೆ.

ಈ ಮೇಲೆ ಹೇಳಿರುವ ಕೊಳಚೆ ನೀರನ್ನು ನೆರವಾಗಿ ಬಿಡುತ್ತಿರುವ KSSIDC ರವರೆ ಹೊಣೆಗಾರರಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಹಾಗೂ ಸದರಿಯವರಿಗೆ ಕೊಳಚೆ ನೀರಿನ ತ್ಯಾಜ್ಯವನ್ನು ನೆರವಾಗಿ ಹಳ್ಳಕ್ಕೆ ಬಿಡದಂತೆ ಸಂಸ್ಕರಿಸಿ, ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಿಸಿ ಬಿಡುವಂತೆ ಸೂಕ್ತ ನಿರ್ದೇಶನ ನೀಡುವುದು ಮತ್ತು ಕೆ.ಐ.ಎ.ಡಿ.ಬಿ. ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವ ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ ಹೊರತುಪಡಿಸಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ



ಹೊಂದಿಕೊಂಡಂತೆ ಖಾಸಗಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ (ಮಾನೇಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ) ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಗಳು ಸ್ಥಳೀಯ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಾದ ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಗ್ರಾಮ ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬುರುತ್ತಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯವರು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಪರವಾನಿಗೆ ನೀಡಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಹಾಗೂ ಮುಂದುವರೆದಿರುವ ಹಳ್ಳವು ಕುಂಬಳಗೋಡು ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಬುರುತ್ತಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಶುದ್ಧೀಕರಣ/ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಮತ್ತು ಸಣ್ಣ ನೀರಾವರಿ ನಿಗಮದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಆ) ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ.

ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಎರಡು ಹಂತಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು 1498.25 ಎಕರೆ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು 1996 ರಿಂದ 2009 ರ ಅವಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, 418 ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳನ್ನು ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಸಂಘದವರಿಗೆ ಮುಂದಿನ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಗಾಗಿ ಹಸ್ತಾಂತರಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

1. ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ಸೆಕ್ಟರ್-1 ರಲ್ಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 5 ನ್ನು ಮೆ|| ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ Solid Waste disposal Management ಗೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯು 1.76 ಎಕರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನದ ಸ್ವಾಧೀನ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ದಿ:29-04-2019 ರಂದು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಸಂಘದವರು ತಮ್ಮ ಕಾರ್ಯೋಜನೆಯನ್ನು ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ್ದು, 2020 ರ ಮೇ ತಿಂಗಳ ಅಂತ್ಯದೊಳಗೆ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. (ಪ್ರತಿ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ)
2. ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ಸೆಕ್ಟರ್-2 ರಲ್ಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 136 (3ಎಕರೆ) ನ್ನು CETP & Bio Medical Waste Incineration ಘಟಕ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲು ಮೆ|| ಜೀವಿಕ ಪರಿಸರವರಿಗೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ:03-10-2018 ರಂದು ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಳ ಸಮೀಕ್ಷೆ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದು, ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಹಂಚಿಕೆದಾರರು ಕೂಡಲೇ ಕಾರ್ಯಗತಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಕ್ರಮವಹಿಸಿ, ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್-2021 ರೊಳಗೆ ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸುವುದಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.



3. ಈ ಹಿಂದೆ Lokadalath ರಚಿಸಿದ ಸಮಿತಿಯು ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿನ ಘಟಕಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿವೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿ ಹಾಲಿ ಘಟಕಗಳು Disposed Through Recycle/Soak Pit/Scrap Debris/Septic Tank/On land for Gardening ಎಂದು ದಿನಾಂಕ:18-07-2013 ಮತ್ತು 19-07-2013 ರ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಸದರಿ ವರದಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಘಟಕಗಳಿಂದ "ಯಾವುದೇತರಹದ Effluent/Solid Waste ನ್ನು ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಬಿಡುತ್ತಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಹಾಗೂ ಸದರಿ ಬೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರದಿಂದ V-Valley ಮೂಲಕ ಹರಿದು ಬರುತ್ತಿರುವುದಾಗಿ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ ನೀಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ" (ಪ್ರತಿ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ)

ಇ) ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ 1ನೇ ಮತ್ತು 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು 1169.55 ಎಕರೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ 1316.00 ಎಕರೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಹಾಲಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ Solid Waste Management ಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ;

1. ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 342-ಬಿ ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಎಕರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಮೆ|| E-Nano Encintech ರವರಿಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಘಟಕದವರು Incinerator ಅಳವಡಿಸಿ, ಕಾರ್ಯಚಟುವಟಿಕೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.
2. ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 217 ರಲ್ಲಿ 3.00 ಎಕರೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣವನ್ನು ಮೆ|| ಮದರ್ ಅರ್ಥ್ ಎನ್ವಿರೊನಾಟಿಕ್ ಪ್ರೈಲಿರವರಿಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿಯವರು Treatment, Storage & Disposal Facility (TSDF) ಮಾದರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.
3. ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊಂದಿಕೊಂಡಂತೆ ಸುಮಾರು 3.00 ಎಕರೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮೆ|| ಚೈತ್ರ ಇರಿಗೇಷನ್ ಘಟಕದವರು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಘಟಕಗಳಿಂದ ದೊರೆಯುವ Solid Waste Management ಪ್ರಕ್ರಿಯೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಾ, Manure ತಯಾರಿಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.
4. ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ STP/CETP ಗಾಗಿ ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 139 ರಲ್ಲಿ 5.80 ಎಕರೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣವನ್ನು ಕಾಯ್ದಿರಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

5. ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ STP ಗಾಗಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 472 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 8.43 ಎಕರೆ ಮತ್ತು ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 12 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 2.72 ಎಕರೆ ಹಾಗೂ Slolid Waste & Incinerator ಗೆ, ಮಹಿಳ ಪಾರ್ಕ್ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: WEP-11 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 1.57 ಎಕರೆ ಜಮೀನುಗಳನ್ನು ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಕಾಯ್ದಿರಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಸೂಕ್ತ ಏಜೆನ್ಸಿ ಮೂಲಕ ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್-2021 ರೊಳಗೆ ಘಟಕ ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಗಿರುವುದು.

ಈ) ಪೀಣ್ಯಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ:

ಪೀಣ್ಯಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು 15 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಹಿಂದೆಯೇ KIADB ಯು BBMPಗೆ ಹಸ್ತಾಂತರ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ BBMP ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಕಾರ್ಯ ನೆರವೇರಿಸಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಪೀಣ್ಯಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶವು ಮಾನ್ಯರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಹಸಿರು ನ್ಯಾಯ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ Original Application No. 613/2018 ರಂದು ವಿಷಯವಾಗಿತ್ತು, KIADBಯು ಪೀಣ್ಯಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ "Bio-Degradable CETP & Chemical Treatment Plant" ಗಾಗಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂ. 245 ರಿಂದ 251 ರವರೆಗೆ ಒಟ್ಟು 26037.44 sq.metersನ್ನು KSPCB ನವರಿಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ:27-08-2016 ರಂದು ಶುದ್ಧಕ್ರಯ ಪತ್ರ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಅಪರ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ, ನಗರಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಇವರ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ದಿ:30-11-2019ರ ಸಭೆಯ ನಡವಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ, ACS directed the officers of KSPCB to complete the works of establishment of Common Effluent treatment Plant at Peenya Industrial Area within the timeline (1 year) as mentioned in CONSOLIDATED ACTION PLAN. (ಸಭೆಯ ನಡವಳಿ ಪ್ರತಿ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ).

ಅಡಕಗಳು: ಪರಿವೀಕ್ಷಣೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ಸ್ಥಳಗಳ ಛಾಯಾ ಚಿತ್ರಗಳು.

ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಶ್ವಾಸಿ,

ಸಹಿ/-

ಮುಖ್ಯಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ
ಹಾಗೂ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಸದಸ್ಯರು".

20. Sri. Sadananada Acharya, Joint Director of Town Planning, KIADB submitted that an Action Plan has already been given to the KSPCB and the KIADB will take necessary steps to discharge their obligation as per the Action Plan submitted by it to the KSPCB without further loss of time. He pointed out the effluent substances are being discharged from M/s.Mane Industries, located in Kumbalagod, which is a private industrial layout and also from industrial area established by the KSIIDC located at the same place (on the upstream of the valley). Therefore, he pointed out that the KSPCB may be directed to take effective steps against M/s. Mane industries and also KSIIDC to prevent discharge of any effluent substance. In the light of what is stated above, **issue notice to the KSIIDC represented by its Managing Director.** It is needless to point out that KSIIDC being a instrument of the State is required to follow Environmental Law and protect the interest of the public and prevent the discharge of effluent substance from its industries. It is also needless to point out that any default on the part of M/s.Mane



Industries, the KSPCB is required to take effective steps against the erring industries located in the areas referred to above. If necessary the KSPCB may inspect the area after issuing notice to the Complainant and the Trust and take necessary effective measures. At this stage, Sri. Nataraj submitted that a septic tank installed by KSIIDC is leaking for more than one and half-a-year, but the KSPCB has failed to take action. It is a matter to be examined. I am sure Sri. M.K.Prabhudev will examine the grievance made by Sri. Nataraj.

21. In the light of the discussion made above 12 (twelve) weeks time is granted to file the status report by the authorities referred to above with regard to the steps each one of them are required to take and file a status report before the Lokayukta. If such reports are filed, the Deputy Registrar of Enquiries-3 to examine and submit a scrutiny note.

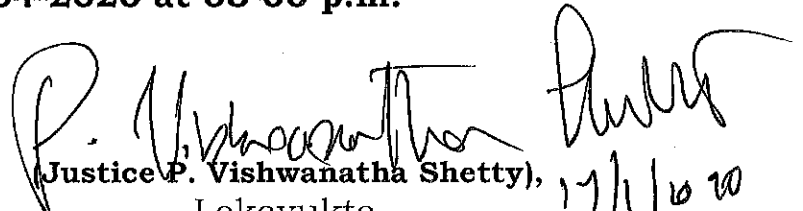
22. The presence of such of those parties who files the status report, on the next date of hearing i.e., 16-04-2020



is dispensed with. However, if any of the parties commit default in filing status report, they are required to be present.

23. Communicate this order to the parties.

List this case on **16-04-2020 at 03-00 p.m.**


(Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty),
Lokayukta,
Karnataka State. 17/1/2020

AS*

This file received
on 27/1/2020 &
Complied para. 23
on 27/1/2020.

Chief Officer, Bidadi

Letter dt: 22/1/2020 received

KIADB Letter dt: 1/2/2020
received.

C.E.O. KIADB letter dt: 5/2/2020
received

KSTDC Letter dt: 17-2-2020
received.

LOK/BCD/2526/2018

DRE-3)

This matter was directed to be listed on 16/04/2020. However, in view of the Circular No.LOK/Admin-1/60/2019-20 dated 24/03/2020 and Official Memorandum dated 20/04/2020, the functioning of Lokayukta Institution was suspended from 24/03/2020 to 03/05/2020, to prevent the spread of COVID-19 Pandemic outbreak. Hence, this matter could not be listed on that day.

Issue reminder to the parties to submit the status report by 11/08/2020.


DRE-3

Complied per-

*Z.P. B'core Urban
CEO Report dt: 1-4-2020
received.*

Member Secretary, JS PCB

Letter dt: 15-4-2020 received

JSIOPAC letter dt: 17-2-2020 received.

*G.O. T.M.C. Bidadi Report dt: 6-6-2020
received*

M.L.C. P.R. Ramesh
Letter dt: 23-6-2020 received
& submitted for kind orders.

no

Secretary :-

As per O.M. No:LOK/Reg/Complaints/2020, dated:28.05.2020 this file is transferred from DRE-3 to Secretary to Hon'ble Lokayukta.

Secretary :-

KIAB, CEO. Report

Secretary: 2020 received.
dt: 14-7-2020

As per the direction of Hon'ble Lokayukta, this matter is adjourned.

Issue intimation to the complainant and Reminder to the authorities concerned to submit the status report as directed in the earlier order dated 15.02.2020.

Call on 02.11.2020.

Secretary

LOK/BCD/2526/2018

LOK/BCD-2412/2018

1) Secretary)

The Chief Executive Officer and Executive Member, Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board, Bengaluru has submitted a status report dated 05.02.2020 and 14.07.2020 along with the copies of work order, photos etc. The report dated 14.07.2020 indicates that for the purpose of construction of pitching/revetment wall along with existing nala of Vrushabhavathi valley in Kumbalagod Industrial Area Phase-2, work order has been issued on 15.06.2020 to one Sri. Aravind B.G. As per the work order, the said work was required to be commenced from 15.06.2020 and it should be completed on or before 14.04.2021. It is useful to extract the report dated 05.02.2020 submitted by the Chief Executive Officer and Executive Member on behalf of KIADB, which reads as hereunder.

ಕ್ರಮ. ಸಂ: ಕೆಐಐಡಿಬಿ/ಜಂ.ನಿ(ನ&ಗ್ರಾ)/73/2019-20

ದಿನಾಂಕ:05-02-2020

ಇವರಿಗೆ,

ಅಪರ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು, ವಿಚಾರಣೆಗಳು-1,
ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ,
ಬಹುಮಹಡಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ,
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-01

ಮಾನ್ಯರೆ,

ವಿಷಯ: ವ್ಯವಹಾರವಿತಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳ ಮತ್ತು ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಕೆರೆಯ ಮಾಲಿನ್ಯ ಕುರಿತು ಮಾನ್ಯ
ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತದಲ್ಲಿನ ಪ್ರಕರಣ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: Compt/ Lok/ BCD-2412
ಕೈ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಅನುಸರಣಾ ಕ್ರಮದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವರದಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಕುರಿತು.

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: ಗೌ.ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ರವರ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಉಪ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು
ವಿಚಾರಣೆಗಳು-03, ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ರವರ ಪತ್ರದ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:
ಕಂಪ್ಲೆಂಟ್/ಲೋಕ್/ಬಿಸಿಡಿ/2412/2018&2526/2018 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 27.01.2020.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಭೈರಮಂಗಲ ಮತ್ತು ವ್ಯವಹಾರವಿತಿ ಕೆರೆಗೆ
ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 17.01.2020 ರಂದು ಹೊರಡಿಸಿರುವ ಆದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಗೂ ದಿನಾಂಕ:
27.01.2020 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುವ ನಡವಳಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಂಡ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅನುಪಾಲನಾ ವರದಿಯನ್ನು
ದಿನಾಂಕ: 16.04.2020 ರಲ್ಲಿ ನೀಡಲು ಕೋರಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಪತ್ರದಂತೆ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಮತ್ತು
ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ-1 ರಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕೈಗೊಂಡ ಅನುಪಾಲನಾ ವರದಿ ಈ
ಕೆಳಕಂಡಂತಿದೆ;

ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ

ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:	ವಿಷಯ	ಅನುಪಾಲನಾ ವರದಿ
1)	ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ಸೆಕ್ಟರ್-1 ರ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 5 ನ್ನು ಮೆ ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ Solid Waste Disposal Management ಗೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯು 1.76 ಎಕರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನದ ಸ್ವಾಧೀನ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 29.04.2019 ರಂದು ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಸದರಿ ಸಂಘದವರು ತಮ್ಮ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಯೋಜನೆಯನ್ನು ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ್ದು, 2020 ರ ಮೇ ತಿಂಗಳ ಅಂತ್ಯದೊಳಗೆ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. (ಪ್ರತಿ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ)	ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ:29-04-2019 ರಂದು ಸ್ವಾಧೀನ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ನೀಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿಯವರು ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ನಕ್ಷೆ ಅನುಮೋದನೆ ಪಡೆದು ಯೋಜನೆ ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸಲು ಕಟ್ಟಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.
2)	ಬಿಡದಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ಸೆಕ್ಟರ್-2 ರಲ್ಲಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 136 (3 ಎಕರೆ) ನ್ನು CETP & Bio Medical Waste Incineration ಘಟಕ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲು ಮೆ ಜೀವಿಕ ಪರಿಸರ ರವರಿಗೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ:03.10.2018 ರಂದು ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಳ ಸಮೀಕ್ಷೆ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದು, ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಹಂಚಿಕೆದಾರರು ಕೂಡಲೇ ಕಾರ್ಯಗತಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಕ್ರಮವಹಿಸಿ, ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್-2021 ರೊಳಗೆ ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸುವುದಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.	---

ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶ

ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:	ವಿಷಯ	ಅನುಪಾಲನಾ ವರದಿ
1)	ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 342-ಬಿ ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಎಕರೆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಮೆ E-Nano Encintech ರವರಿಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಘಟಕದವರು Incinerator ಅಳವಡಿಸಿ, ಕಾರ್ಯ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.	ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಘಟಕವು ಉತ್ಪಾದನೆ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

2)	ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 217 ರಲ್ಲಿ 3.00 ಎಕರೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣವನ್ನು ಮೆ ಮದರ್ ಅರ್ಥ್ ಎನ್ವಿರೋನ್ ಟೆಕ್ ಪ್ರೈವಿ ರವರಿಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿಯವರು Treatment, Storage & Disposal Facility (TSDF) ಮಾದರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.	ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಘಟಕವು ಉತ್ಪಾದನೆ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.
3)	ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊಂದಿಕೊಂಡಂತೆ ಸುಮಾರು 3.00 ಎಕರೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮೆ ಚೈತ್ರ ಇರಿಗೇಷನ್ ಘಟಕ ರವರು ಕೈಗಾರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಘಟಕಗಳಿಂದ ದೊರೆಯುವ Solid Waste Management ಪ್ರಕ್ರಿಯೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಾ, Manure ತಯಾರಿಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.	ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಘಟಕವು ಉತ್ಪಾದನೆ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.
4)	ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ STP/CETP ಗಾಗಿ ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 2ನೇ ಹಂತದ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 139 ರಲ್ಲಿ 5.80 ಎಕರೆ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣವನ್ನು ಕಾಯ್ದಿರಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.	---
5)	1) ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ STP ಗಾಗಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 472 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 8.43 ಎಕರೆ.	ಮಂಡಳಿ ಸಭೆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 362 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 12.07.2019 ರನ್ವಯದಂತೆ M/s. Mother Earth Environ Tech Private Limited ರವರಿಗೆ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 472, ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಕ್ರಮ ಜರುಗಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ (ಪ್ರತಿ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ) ಮುಂದುವರೆದು ದಿನಾಂಕ:31.10.2019 ರಂದು "ಪರಿಸರ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ" ಗಳು KSPCB, ರಾಮನಗರ ರವರಿಗೆ ಪತ್ರ ಬರೆದಿದ್ದು, ಹಾಗೂ 31.01.2020 ರಂದು ನೆನಪೋಲೆ ಬರೆದು, ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವು "CETP Guidelines & KSPCB ನಿಯಮಾವಳಿ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸೂಕ್ತವಾಗಿರುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಲು ಕೋರಲಾಗಿದೆ. (ಪ್ರತಿ ಲಗತ್ತಿಸಿದೆ)
	2) ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 667 ರಿಂದ 689 ರ 8.83 ಎಕರೆಯನ್ನು ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ TSDF ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲು ನಿವೇಶನ ಗುರುತಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಮೆ ಮದರ್ ಅರ್ಥ್ ಎನ್ವಿರೋನ್ ಟೆಕ್ ಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಕ್ರಮ ಜರುಗಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.	ದಿನಾಂಕ:14.05.2019 ರಂದು KSPCB ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಪತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ, ನಿಯಮಾನುಸಾರ ಯೋಗ್ಯವಿರುವ ಸ್ಥಳ ಗುರುತಿಸಲು KSPCB ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು (ನ.ಗ್ರಾ.ಯೋ) ರವರು ಜಂಟಿ ಸ್ಥಳ ಸಮೀಕ್ಷೆ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದು, ದಿನಾಂಕ:13.06.2019 ರಂದು ಮೆ ಮದರ್ ಅರ್ಥ್ ಎನ್ವಿರೋನ್ ಟೆಕ್ ರವರಿಗೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿದೆ

	<p>3) ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 12 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 2.72 ಎಕರೆ ಹಾಗೂ Solid Waste & Incinerator ಗೆ, ಮಹಿಳಾ ಪಾರ್ಕ್ ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: WEP-11 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 1.57 ಎಕರೆ ಜಮೀನುಗಳನ್ನು ಪಂಡಳಿಯು ಕಾಯ್ದಿರಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಸೂಕ್ತ ಏಜೆನ್ಸಿ ಮೂಲಕ ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್-2021 ರೊಳಗೆ ಘಟಕ ಅನುಷ್ಠಾನಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.</p>	---
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ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಸದಸ್ಯರು.

2) The report extracted above indicates that for the purpose of construction of Solid Waste Disposal Management Unit, the Board has allotted site a site bearing No. 5, measuring 1.76 Acres in favour of M/s Bidadi Industrial Association and the approved plan has already been issued in favour of the said Association and they have already commenced the construction of the unit. As far as Harohalli Industrial Area is concerned, the report indicates that the Board has reserved a site bearing no. 472, measuring 8.43 Acres for the purpose of construction of STP at Harohalli 3rd Stage and the steps are being taken to allot the same to M/s Mother Earth Environ Tech Private Limited and a letter has also been addressed to KSPCB seeking opinion as to whether the said site is suitable for construction of STP as per CETP

Guidelines and KSPCB Rules. Further, the report indicates that for the purpose of construction of TSDF at Harohalli 3rd stage Industrial Area, a letter has been addressed to KSPCB to inspect the site and to give report.

3) Received a report dated 06.06.2020 and 22.01.2020 from the Chief Officer, TMC, Bidadi. It is useful to extract the relevant portion of the report dated 22.01.2020 submitted by the Chief Officer, TMC, Bidadi, which reads as hereunder;

Sl. No.	Activities	Action To be taken	Action Taken
1	Door to door collection	Tmc, Bidadi consists of 23 wards and 2 workers for each ward are deputed for door to door collection along with segregation activity. Tender invited in E-proc portal vide publication number IND/DMA/2019-20/9091 on 01/01/2020. To procure 2 auto tippers.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Procurement of two Auto Tippers process is completed.• Door to Door collection activities are in action and shall be continued.
2	Collection and Transportation (including vehicle maintenance & hiring charges)	Total of 3 tractors are involved in collection and transportation activity and 3 loaders per tractor are deputed. Each tractor is made responsible to collect and transport 5 tons of total waste. Rs.17.29 under 14 th finance 2018-19 is	Tender process completed and LOA Issued for procurement of 2 Tractor Trailors.

		earmarked and procurement of 2 Tractor trailers is under tender process for effective implementation of Collection and transportation activities.	
3	Plastic Waste Management	An average of 250 k.g/day Plastic waste are collected during door to door activity. Recyclable plastic materials counting around 60 k.g are sold. for effective implementation of plastic waste. Tender invited in E-proc portal vide publication number IND/DMA/2019-20/9102 on 01/01/2020. To procure 2 Bailing machines	Tender process completed and LOA Issued for procurement of 2 Plastic Bailing machines.
4	Hotel Waste Management	There are totally 40 hotels within Tmc Bidadi limits. These Hotels supply their kitchen waste and wet waste to cow and pig owners as animal feed. Dry waste is collected by Tmc.	There are totally 40 hotels within Tmc Bidadi limits. These Hotels supply their kitchen waste and wet waste to cow and pig owners as animal feed. Dry waste is collected by Tmc.
5	Sanitary Waste collection	Sanitary waste is collected separately during door to door collection Memorandum of understanding with MARIDI is under process to hadle sanitary waste. Strict instructions are given to the provision stores and pharmaceutical shops and also hostels to handle sanitary waste as per MSW Rules-2016.	Sanitary waste is collected separately during door to door collection Memorandum of understanding with MARIDI is under process to hadle sanitary waste. Strict instructions are given to the provision stores and pharmaceutical shops and also hostels to handle sanitary waste as per MSW Rules-2016.
6	Domestic	Collected separately. An	Collected separately. An

	Hazardous Waste.	amount of Rs.1 lakh shall be year marked to undertake domestic hazardous waste management activity. And the subject shall be placed in next council body meeting.	amount of Rs.1 lakh shall be year marked to undertake domestic hazardous waste management activity. And the subject shall be placed in next council body meeting.
7	Construction and demolition waste.	Expression of interest to handle construction and demolition waste was published on dated: 03.09.2019 and agreement with Bhyrava Enterprises is Done	Expression of interest to handle construction and demolition waste was published on dated: 03.09.2019 and agreement with Bhyrava Enterprises is Done
8	Procurement of Tools and Equipments.	Tmc, Bidadi has of one tractor one JCB, one sucking and jetting machine and 30 pushcarts. In 2019-20 14 th Finance grants an amount of Rs.52 lakhs is year marked and also action plan approved for purchasing to plastic bailing machine, two tractors, two auto tippers and one vibrating and screening machine.Tender process to procure these tools and equipments is under progress	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Action plan is prepared to Procure 4 Auto tiippers in 15 th finance commission• Tender process completed and LOA Issued for procurement of 2 Tractor Trailors Tender process completed and LOA issued for procurement of 2 Bailing machines
9	Construction of Decentralization units.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tmc Bidadi has a decentralization unit in ward no 5 to handle 1 TPD Wet Waste by Vermi Composting and also 3 TPD dry waste• Tmc Bidadi has a	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tmc Bidadi has a decentralization unit in ward no.16. and action plan is approved for an amount of Rs.9.6 lakhs to

		<p>decentralization unit in ward no 14 to handle 0.25 TPD Wet Waste by Vermi Composting and also 1 TPD dry waste</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tmc Bidadi has a decentralization unit in ward no.06. to handle 4.8 tons of waste • Tmc Bidadi has a decentralization unit in ward no.16. and action plan is approved for an amount of Rs.9.6 lakhs to construct De-centralization unit to handle 4.8 tons of waste and tender process is under progress. 	<p>construct De-centralization unit to handle 4.8 tons of waste and tender process is under progress.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action plan is prepared to construct a decentralized unit in ward 3 and 23 under 15 th finance grants for an amount of Rs. 17 lakhs each and the tender process is under progress
10	Landfill site.	<p>An extent of 2.32 acres at survey no.77 near Sheshagirihalli land is identified. Since Landfill site proposal is pending in KSPCB, office Ramanagara for approval, developmental works in the identified landfill site is not yet undertaken. However quantity of 4TPD collected in ward no.18-23 shall be managed in this identified location. Considering it as a De-centralization unit.</p>	<p>An extent of 2.32 acres at survey no.77 near Sheshagirihalli land is identified. Since Landfill site proposal is pending in KSPCB, office Ramanagara for approval, developmental works in the identified landfill site is not yet undertaken. However quantity of 4TPD collected in ward no.18-23 shall be managed in this identified location. Considering it as a De-centralization unit.</p>
11	IEC Activity.	<p>To enhance the segregation activity and also plastic ban</p>	<p>To enhance the segregation activity and also plastic ban</p>

		<p>implementation among the public and also commercial establishment awareness programs like pamphlets, auto announcement, paper announcement are done. Additionally documentary movie shows of segregation activity and also plastic ban implementation among the public and also commercial establishment are organized in all wards.</p>	<p>implementation among the public and also commercial establishment awareness programs like pamphlets, auto announcement, paper announcement are done. Additionally documentary movie shows of segregation activity and also plastic ban implementation among the public and also commercial establishment are organized in all wards. Plastic Ban Awareness was created among the public by distributing cloth bags An amount of Rs. 96,000/- spent for the above said purpose.</p>
12	Swachha Bharath Mission	Tmc, Bidadi is declared as ODF city.	Tmc, Bidadi is declared as ODF city.
13	UGD & STP	<p>Regarding Installation of STP concerned necessary action is initiated by the TMC Bidadi. Action plan of Rs. 9500.00 lakhs for STP installation is prepared by KUWS&DB based on the proposal sent by TMC Bidadi office and the council body resolution is also passed in the general body meeting held on 12-09-2017, in subject no.7. The council body has accepted to deposit Rs. 20 lakhs for DPR preparation and an amount of rupees 15.00 lakhs is already paid to KUWS&DB for the preparation of DPR of STP and the proposal is accepted and GO issued in this regard and procurement of suitable land is under process.</p>	<p>Regarding Installation of STP concerned necessary action is initiated by the TMC Bidadi. Action plan of Rs. 9500.00 lakhs for STP installation is prepared by KUWS&DB based on the proposal sent by TMC Bidadi office and the council body resolution is also passed in the general body</p>

			meeting held on 12-09-2017, in subject no.7. The council body has accepted to deposit Rs. 20 lakhs for DPR preparation and an amount of rupees 15.00 lakhs is already paid to KUWS&DB for the preparation of DPR of STP and the proposal is accepted and GO issued in this regard and procurement of suitable land is under process.
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4) The report submitted indicates that the Town Municipal Council has taken steps for collection, disposal and maintenance of domestic waste, plastic waste, hotel waste, sanitary waste and domestic waste etc. As per the report, the tender is invited for the purpose of procurement of tools and equipments. Further, the report indicates that, an extent of 2.32 Acres in Sy.No. 77 is identified at Sheshagirihalli for the purpose of land fill and a proposal is also sent to KSPCB

for approval and they are awaiting approval from KSPCB. Further, the report indicates that for the purpose of construction of STP within the jurisdiction of TMC, Bidadi, a detailed project report has been prepared and the same has been accepted and Government order is also issued in that regard and procurement of suitable land is under process.

5) Received report dated 01.04.2020 from the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayath, Bengaluru Urban District stating that a joint inspection was done by the PDO of Kumbalagodu Grama Panchayath and Kumbalagodu Police and during their inspection they did not find any industry discharging industrial waste into Vrishabavathi Valley. As per the report, if the Industries discharge effluent substances into the valley, they will not renew their permit and already notices have been issued to twenty industries in that regard. Along with the report, certain annexures have also been produced indicating

about the joint inspection done by the police as well as PDO of Kumbalagodu Grama Panchayath.

6) A letter dated 17.02.2020 is received from the Karnataka State Industrial and Infrastructure Development Corporation stating that M/s Mane Industries which is a private industrial layout at Kumbalagodu comes within the control/supervision of ~~KSIIDC~~^{KSSIDC} and not ~~KSSIDC~~^{KSIIDC}. As per the order dated 17.01.2020, Hon'ble Lokayukta had issued notice to M.D., KSIIDC to take steps to prevent the discharge of effluent substances by M/s Mane Industries into Vrishabavathi valley. As per the said letter, the said industry comes within the control/jurisdiction of KSSIDC. Hence, notice is required to be issued to the said authority for taking steps as directed by the Hon'ble Lokayukta in the order dated 17.01.2020.

7) Received the status report from the BWSSB through e-mail dated 21.01.2020. It is useful to extract the said report, which reads as hereunder;

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**BANGALORE WATER SUPPLY AND
SEWERAGE BOARD**

Office of Chief Engineer (WWM)

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No. BWSSB /CE(WWM)/ACE (WWM-2)//2019-20

Date: /01/2020

To
Secretary to Hon'ble Lokayuktha
Bangalore

Sir,
Sub: Pollution of V Valley and Byaramangala Lake.

Ref: 1.Comp/Lok/BCD/2412/2018 & 2526/2018

dt:10.01.2020

Adverting to the above subject, the compliance to the your letter dated the details are as follows.

The vrishabhavathi Valley runs in the western parts of the city and flows towards the south of Bengaluru. The total catchment area of this valley is 89.08 Sq kms which consist of three minor valleys namely Kethamaranahalli, Arkavathi and Kathriguppe. The jurisdiction of this drainage Zone is from Malleshwaram in north, Kanakapura Road in south and Peenya in West.

Action taken for rejuvenation of

1. The existing sewer lines of the core city were laid about 40 to 50 years back which required rehabilitation and replacements. During 2004, 14 major works costing about Rs.34.58 crore for rehabilitation / replacement of existing sewage system were carried

out in EAP-A project. Similarly in EAP-B project 7 major rehabilitation / replacement works costing Rs.178.00crore were carried out.

2. In EAP-C project which is being taken up under the central funded AMRUT scheme the four package works at a total cost of Rs. 386.50 crore for providing and laying 87.5 kms length of sewer lines were taken up and the works are under progress (upto date 65% of work is completed) . These four package works will be completed by end of 2021. In addition the work of laying bigger size pipeline from Ranganatha Colony to Vrishabhavathi valley at a cost of Rs52.50 crore also taken up in this AMRUT scheme and this work is nearing completion.

3. In this Vrishabhavathi drainage Zone, BWSSB is operating and maintaining the following waste water treatment plants. The details of which are as follows.

Sl. No	Name	Capacity in MLD	Location near to	Level of treatment	Types of process for treating sewage	Effluent Discharge Water Body	Used By/Disposed to
1.	Nagasandra Ph-I	20	Near Madavarakere(near Tumkur Road)	Secondary	Extended Aeration	Doddabidarakallu Lake	To SWD
2.	Mallathahalli	5	Mallathahallikere	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Mallathahalli Lake	2.5MLD to Mallathahalli lake and 2.5ML

							D to Ullal lake
3.	Nagasandra	20	Near Madavara kere (near Tumkur Road)	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Doddabid arakallu Lake	To SWD
4.	Chikkabana vara	5	Chikkabanava kere	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Chikkabana vara Lake	To SWD
5.	Mailasandra Ph-I	75	Mailasandra	Secondary	Extended aeration	Vrishabh avathi Valley	M/s Tangline Developers Global village & Bhagya lakshmi farms. Balance to SWD
6.	V.Valley	180	Mysore Road	Secondary	Two Stage High Rate trickling filter process	Vrishabh avathi Valley	10 MLD is used for TTP & treated water from 10 MLD is being supplied to Arvind mills, M/s Wonder Blues & NECE.
7.	Kempambudhi	1	NR Colony	Secondary	Extended aeration	Kempambudhi Lake	Kempambudhi lake recharg

8.	Doddabele	20	Doddabele	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Presently to SWD
9.	Kengeri	60	Near Kengeri Bus stand	Secondary	Secondary activated sludge process	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Disposal Sewerline linking work in progress
10	Doddabele	40	Doddabele	Secondary	Sequential Batch Reactor	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Presently to SWD. Disposal Sewerline linking work in progress
	Total	426					

Under Megacity Revolving Funds scheme BWSSB has taken up the work of waste water treatment plants as shown below.

Sl. No	Name	Capacity in MLD	Evaluated Cost of the Project	Effluent Discharge Water Body	Remarks
1	Work of design and construction of 150 MLD STP based on Activated Sludge process with Biological Nutrient removal @ V. Valley	150	Rs.470.93 Crore	Vrishabhavathi Valley	Work under progress (68% of Physical work is completed and Financial Progress as on 210.88 Crore (45%)) and Probable completion date by the end of July-2020

4. For arresting the waste water flowing in the storm water drains and joining to the lakes in the downstream areas, BWSSB formulated a scheme for carrying out connected sewer line works to divert the waste water to the nearby waste water treatment plants

at a cost of Rs.52 crore. The works are under progress and planned for completion of these works by end of 2020.

After completion of all the above works, it is possible for the Board to treat the maximum wastewater generated in Vrishabhavathy drainage zone before letting the treated water to the Vrishabhavathy river course and with these actions of the Board the present pollution caused to the Byramangala lake will be avoided.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (WWM)

8) The report submitted indicates that they have taken up EAP-A project under the Central funded 'AMRUT' scheme at an estimated cost of Rs.386.50 crores for providing and laying 87.5 K.M. length of sewer lines and already 65% of the work is completed and the said project is required to be completed by the end of 2021. In addition to the said work, laying of bigger size pipeline from Ranganatha Colony to Vrushabhavathi valley at a cost of Rs.52.50 crores is also taken up. Further,

the report indicates that in order to arrest the waste water flowing into the storm water drains and joining to the lakes into the downstream areas, the BWSSB has formulated a scheme for carrying out connected sewer lines to divert the waste water to the nearby waste water treatment plants at a cost of Rs.52 crores and the said work will be completed by the end of 2020. Further, the report indicates that BWSSB has also undertaken construction of 150 MLD STP which is under progress and it is required to be completed by the end of July-2020.

9) Received a letter dated 15.04.2020 from the Member Secretary, KSPCB, Bengaluru stating that except the Commissioner, BBMP, the other authorities have submitted their action plan and they are awaiting the action plan from BBMP. Further, the letter indicates that immediately after receipt of plan of action from the BBMP, they will be in a position to submit the Comprehensive Plan of Action for the purpose of rejuvenation of

Vrushabavathhi valley. As per the orders of Hon'ble Lokayukta dated 22.10.2019 and 17.01.2020, the BBMP was required to submit its action plan to the KSPCB so as to enable them to prepare comprehensive plan of action/project report. Since, the BBMP did not submit its action plan, the authorities of KSPCB are unable to submit comprehensive action plan/project report. Therefore, it is just and necessary to issue one more reminder to the Commissioner, BBMP to comply with the order of Hon'ble Lokayukta dated 22.10.2019 and 17.01.2020.

10) A letter dated 23.06.2020 is received from Sri. P.R. Ramesh, MLC requesting this authority to issue copies of the action plan submitted by KSPCB and the action taken by this institution on the basis of said action plan. It is relevant to mention that the said Sri. P.R. Ramesh is neither the complainant nor respondent to the present proceedings. Therefore, it is not permissible to issue copies/information based on a letter

addressed to this institution. If at all, Sri. P.R. Ramesh is required any information/document relating to the present proceedings is concerned; he can make an application under the provisions of Right to Information Act and obtain the required information. Therefore, in my considered view, the letter addressed by Sri. P.R. Ramesh cannot be entertained for issuing copies. Hence, the request of Sri. P.R. Ramesh may be rejected.

11) In the light of the reports submitted by the various authorities, if your Lordship approves, the following directions may be issued.

(i) Notice may be issued to the Chief Executive Officer and Executive Member, KIADB to submit the status report about the present status of construction of revetment/pitching wall along the existing Vrushabavathi Nala in Kumbalagodu Industrial Area, Phase-2 and also the present status about the construction of STP in site No. 472 of Harohalli 3rd Stage and

construction of TSDF in site no. 667 to 689 of 3rd stage Harohalli Industrial Area.

(ii) Notice may be issued to the Chief Officer, TMC, Bidadi to submit the status report about the present stage of tender for procurement of tools and equipments for collection, disposal, maintenance of solid waste, present stage of developmental work in land fill site at Sheshagirihalli and construction of STP within the jurisdiction of TMC, Bidadi.

(iii) Notice may be issued to BWSSB to submit the status report about the construction of 150 MLD STP based on activate sledge waste with biological removal at Vrushabavathi Valley, laying of sewer lines, bigger size pipeline at Ranganatha Colony to Vrushabavathi valley etc.

(iv) Notice may be issued to the Managing Director, KSSIDC to take steps against M/s Mane Industries located in Kumbalagod with regard to discharge of industrial effluent substances into the Vrishabavathi valley.

(v) Reminder may be issued to the Commissioner, BBMP to submit the action plan to KSPCB as per the directions issued by the Hon'ble Lokayukta in the order dated 22.10.2019 and 17.01.2020 to enable the KSPCB to submit its project report.

(vi) Since, the application submitted by Sri. P.R. Ramesh, MLC seeking copies of the action plan etc., is not maintainable, as he is neither the complainant, nor respondent of this proceedings, intimation may be issued to him about the rejection of his application and to file an application prescribed under the provisions of RTI Act seeking information/copies i.e., required by him.

Call on 10.11.2020.

Submitted for kind orders.

[Signature]
Secretary

12) Hon'ble Lokayukta)

Coupled form

*Para 1 to 4 of order
17/11/2020*

*number of the registration document, the
copies of the same are being issued to him
17/11/2020*

AEE, BBMP. Letter dt. 11-8-2020
received.

AEE, CNNL, Chamapatna
Letter dt. 29-7-2020 received.

C.E. B.W.S.S.B letter dt. 6-8-2020
received.

EE, CNNL Ramnagara
Report dt. 10-8-2020 received.

S.P.C.B, Member Secretary
Report dt. 11-8-2020 received.

EE, BWSSB letter dt. 23-6-2020
received.

→ report dtd. 29.9.2020 received from
KSPCB.

→ Chief Officer, TMC Bidadi
report dtd. 28.10.2020 received.

Reports are not received from
the Managing Director, KSSIDC;
Chief Executive Officer and
Executive Member, KIADB

Submitted for kind orders


10/11/2020

~~13] Secretary~~

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→ C.E., K.I.A.D.B., Bengaluru.
Report dtd. 27.10.2020 received.

13] Secretary:-

LOK/BCD-2526/2018

13) Secretary)

Received a report dated 27.10.2020 from the Chief Engineer-1, KIADB, Bengaluru with regard to the installation of STP in Site No.472 of Harohalli 3rd Stage; construction of revetment/pitching wall along the existing Vrushabavathi Nala in Kumbalagodu industrial area and construction of TSDF in Site No. 667 to 689 of 3rd Stage, Harohalli Industrial Area. The report submitted indicates that the aforesaid works are under progress. Along with the report, the copies of letters addressed to the various departments, photographs showing the progress of the work etc., are produced.

14) Received a report dated 28.10.2020 from the Chief Officer, TMC, Bidadi with respect to the present stage of tender for procurement of tools and equipments for solid collection, disposal, maintenance of solid waste and present stage of developmental work in land fill site at Sheshagirihalli and construction of STP within the

limits of TMC, Bidadi. The report submitted indicates that the aforesaid works are in progress.

15) Received a report dated 29.09.2020 and 11.08.2020 from the Member Secretary, KSPCB, Bengaluru. It is useful to extract the status report submitted by KSPCB which reads as hereunder;

ACTION TAKEN REPORT IN RESPECT OF COMPLAINT FILED BY SRI H.S DORESWAMY AND BANGALORE ENVIRONMENT TRUST

1. Sri H.S Doreswamy and Bangalore Environment Trust have given a complaint to the Hon'ble Lokayukta with respect to Pollution of Vrishabhavathi Valley (V-Valley) and Byramangala Lake. The Hon'ble Lokayukta on 16.09.2019 and on 22.10.2019 has directed the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board and all other Stake Holders to submit action Plan for the rejuvenation of V-Valley and Byramangala Lake. Further has directed the KSPCB to convene meeting with all stake Holders along with complainants and such other Officers.
2. Accordingly, The Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Forest, Ecology & Environment and Chairman of Pollution Control Board convened meeting on 30.10.2019 & 18.12.2019 with all the stake holders and has directed the concerned Departments to prepare action plan before 05.01.2020 to mitigate water pollution of V-Valley and Byramangala Lake based on complaint filed before Hon'ble Lokayukta of Karnataka.
3. Details of action plan submitted by the following stake holders except BBMP have been submitted to the Hon'ble Lokayukta on 09.01.2020.
 - i. Chief Engineer (WWM), BWSSB, Bengaluru.
 - ii. District Administration, Ramanagar, TMC Bidadi, CMC Ramanagara, CMC Kanakapura,

- iii. Executive Engineer, MP Division, Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Ltd.,
Ramanagara,
- iv. Chief Executive Officer and Chief Engineer, KIADB,
Bangalore.
- v. Minor Irrigation Department.
- vi. KSPCB.

4. As per the direction of Hon'ble Lokayukta on 17.01.2020, the following details are submitted respectfully for kind perusal.
 - a. The Commissioner, BBMP was requested to submit action plan on 10.03.2020. (Enclosed as **Annexure-I** for kind perusal).
 - b. The Board has requested the Hon'ble Lokayukta on 15.04.2020 to give some more time to submit comprehensive action plan (Enclosed as **Annexure-II** for kind reference), due to the non-receipt of action plan from the BBMP and due to lockdown/COVID-19.
 - c. Board has collected 26 water samples all along in V-Valley during COVID-19 lockdown period (i.e., in April 2020). The result of the analysis report reveals that, the water quality has not been improved when compared to the results of the analysis report of Dec.2019 (pre-lockdown), except at one location. The water quality has been slightly improved (**from Class-E to D**) near Hampapura Village. (Analysis report closed as **Annexure-III** for kind perusal).
 - d. So far the Board has filed cases against the 74 defaulting industries located in the catchment area of V-Valley & Byramanagala Lake. The list of industries/units are enclosed as **Annexure-IV** for kind reference.
 - e. Officers of the Board alongwith the representative of the Bengaluru Environment Trust (BET) visited the V-Valley and Byramangala Lake area on 04.06.2020.
 - f. Action taken on the issues observed are listed below:

Sl. No.	Observations	Action Taken
1	Discharge of untreated Sewage and dumping of garbage from the Residential Area, Commercial Area and Industrial Development in the jurisdiction of Kumbalgodu and Gollahalli Grampanchayat located in the catchment Area of V-Valley.	Regional Officer, KSPCB, R.R Nagar has issued notices to PDOs Kumbalgodu and Gollahalli Grampanchayat on 19.03.2020 (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-V for kind reference). The Chief Executive Officer, ZP, Bengaluru Urban District has been requested to submit action plan on 05.08.2020 (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-VI for kind reference).
2	Overflow from Septic Tanka and Soak Pit provided at KSSIDC Industrial Estate, Kumbalgodu located in the catchment Area of V-Valley.	KSSIDC has been asked to submit action plan on 29.01.2020, 10.03.2020 and 05.08.2020 (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-VII for kind reference).
3	Abatement of Pollution of V-Valley & Byramangala Lake, and its downstream upto Kanakapura.	The Chief Engineer, MI & Ground Water Development Department, has been requested to submit action plan on 05.08.2020(Copy Enclosed as Annexure-VIII for kind reference).
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dumping of garbage on the banks of Arkavathy River near Chowkali 	Regional Officer Ramanagar has issued

	<p>Village without making any efforts to segregate and dispose the same as per Solid Waste Management Rules-2016. Entire wastes are entering the river and leading to pollution of river.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dumping of garbage on the banks of Arkavathy River near Malagalu Village without making any efforts to segregate and dispose the same as per Solid Waste Management Rules-2016. Entire wastes are entering the river and leading to pollution of river. 	<p>notices to Chowkali GP on 13.03.2020. Again Board has addressed to, Chief Executive Officer, ZP, Ramanagara District on 06.08.2020 to submit action plan. (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-IX for kind reference).</p> <p>Regional Officer Ramanagar has issued notices to Municipal Commissioner on 13.01.2020, 13.03.2020 & 16.03.2020 (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-X for kind reference).</p>
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sewage generated from the residential and commercial development at Ramanagar Town being discharged to Arkavathi River directly without proper treatment which leading to pollution of the river. • Effluent generating from the Silk reeling units located in CMC limits being directly discharged into storm water drain and finally leads pollution of Arkavathi River. • Huge quantity of solid wastes generated from the Town limits are being dumped by the side of the river without making any efforts to 	<p>Regional Officer Ramanagar has issued Notices to CMC Ramanagar on 16.03.2020(Copy Enclosed as Annexure-XI for kind reference).</p> <p>Board has addressed a letter to, Municipal Commissioner, Ramanagar on 06.08.2020 to submit action plan. (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-XII for kind reference)</p>

	<p>segregate and dispose the same as per Solid Waste Management Rules-2016. Entire wastes are entering the river and leading to pollution of river.</p>	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sewage generated from the residential and commercial development at Kanakapura Town being discharged to Arkavathi River directly without proper treatment which leading to pollution of the river.• Effluent generating from the Silk reeling units located in CMC limits being directly discharged into storm water drain and finally leads pollution of Arkavathi River.• Huge quantity of solid wastes generated from the Town limits are being dumped by the side of the river without making any efforts to segregate and dispose the same as per Solid Waste Management Rules-2016. Entire wastes are entering the river and leading to pollution of river.	<p>Regional Officer Ramanagar has issued Notices to CMC Kanakapura on 17.03.2020. (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-XIII for kind reference)</p> <p>Issued letter to The Municipal Commissioner, Kanakapura on 06.08.2020 to submit action plan. (Enclosed as Annexure-XIV for kind reference)</p>
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sewage generated from the residential and commercial development at Bidadi Town being discharged to V-Valley directly without proper treatment which leading	<p>RO-Ramanagar has issued notice to Bidadi TMC on 16.03.2020. In this regard KUWS &DB has submitted reply to RO-Ramanagara vide their letter dtd;28.04.2020. (Copy</p>

	to pollution of the river.	Enclosed as Annexure-XV). It is informed that STPs of 6.06 MLD & 9.29 MLD will be constructed as per provision in DPR for the population of the year 2034 & 2049 respectively.
8	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dumping of garbage on the banks of Arkavathi River near Ganalu Village	Regional Officer-Ramanagar has issued notice to PDO of Ganalu GP on 13.03.2020 with copies to CEO ZP, Ramanagar. (Copy Enclosed as Annexure-XVI for kind reference)

5. The Commissioner, BBMP has been requested to submit action plan on 22.06.2020 and 14.07.2020(Copy Enclosed as **Annexure-XVII** for kind reference).
6. Board has taken steps to establish CETP at Urban Eco Park, IIIrd Phase, Peenya Industrial Area to facilitate SSI units for treatment of effluents. Expression of Interest (EOI) has been called.

The report extracted above indicates that the Commissioner, BBMP has not yet submitted the action plan to KSPCB as per the direction issued by the Hon'ble Lokayukta in the order dated 22.10.2019 and 17.01.2020 to enable the KSPCB to submit its project report to this authority.

- 16) Received a report dated 23.06.2020 from the Executive Engineer, BWSSB stating that they have taken up the works to prevent the discharge of

sewage into Vrushabhavathi valley and the same is expected to be completed in the year 2021.

17) Received a report dated 10.08.2020 from the Executive Engineer, M.P. Division, Cauveri Neeravari Nigama Ltd., Ramanagara stating that illegal garbage dumped near M-Gopahalli, near Chowkali bridge and also debris dumped near Mallagalu has been cleared/remvoed by them and the work of diversion of sewage water near Byramangala lake is taken by them and the same is under progress. Further, the report indicates that they have taken steps to clear the debris found in Ramanagara town and Kanakapura town in Arkavathi valley by addressing letters to the concerned department.

18) Received a letter dated 11.08.2020 from AEE (Lakes), BBMP, Bengaluru stating that for the purpose of submitting the action plan to KSPCB, the notice issued by this institution has been forwarded to Storm water Drain Division of BBMP.

19) Though the notice and reminder issued from this authority are duly served to the Commissioner, BBMP, the action plan has not been submitted to the KSPCB.

20) A letter dated 02.11.2020 is received from the complainant about his present address.

Therefore, the cause title of the note sheet is required to be updated with the present address of complainant.

21) Hence, my lord, if approved;

(i) One more reminder will be issued to the Commissioner, BBMP to submit the action plan to KSPCB as per the directions issued by the Hon'ble Lokayukta in the order dated 22.10.2019 and 17.01.2020 to enable the KSPCB to submit its project report to this authority. In the event of failure to submit the report by the next date of hearing, the Commissioner, BBMP will be directed to depute a responsible officer to appear in person with explanation for the delay.

(ii) Reminder will be issued to the Managing Director, KSSIDC to take steps against M/s Mane Industries located in Kumbalagodu with regard to discharge of industrial effluent substance to Vrushabhavathi valley and submit report.

(iii) Notice will be issued to BWSSB to submit further action taken report in respect of construction of 150 MLD STP based on activate sledge waste with biological removal at Vrushabhavathi valley, laying of sewer lines, bigger

size pipe line at Ranganatha colony to Vrushabavathi valley etc.

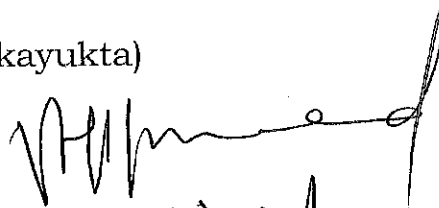
(iv) The present address of complainant Sri. Doreswamy will be updated in the cause title of the proceedings and the copy of this note will be communicated to the complainant.

Call on 21.01.2021.

Submitted for kind orders.


Secretary

22) Hon'ble Lokayukta)


18/11/2020

→ Managing Director,
K.S.S.T.D.C. reported to
13.01.2021 received.

→ Acknowledgements received
but reports are not received
from the Commissioners,
B.B.M.P. and the E.E.. B.W.S.S.B.
Submitted for kind orders


21/01/2021

23) Secretary :-

23. Received a report dated 13.01.2021 from the Managing Director, KSSIDC, Bengaluru stating that M/s Mane Industrial area is a private industrial area and it is not located within Kumbalagodu Industrial area established by KSSIDC. Further, the report indicates that the Kumbalagodu Grama Panchayath is the concerned authority to prevent the discharge of sewage into the water bodies.

24. Reports are not received from the Commissioner, BBMP and the Executive Engineer, BWSSB.

25. Hence, My Lord, if approved,

- i. Reminder will be issued to the BWSSB to submit further action taken report in respect of construction of 150 MLD STP based on activate sledge waste with biological removal at Vrushabavathi Valley, laying of sewer lines, bigger size pipe line at Ranganath colony to Vrushabavathi valley etc.

- ii. The matter will be listed for hearing before your Lordship on 30.03.2021 at 3.00 p.m and in this regard notice will be issued to the concerned officers/officials and the complainant.

Call on 30.03.2021.

Submitted for kind orders.

26. Hon'ble Lokayukta)

Secretary

WUP
29/1/2021

Completed

→ E.E, B.W.S.S.B report
dtd. 12.02.2021 received.
→ Letter dtd. 27.02.2021 & 02.01.2021
received from the
Complainant.
Submitted for kind orders.

KARNATAKA LOKAYUKTA, BENGALURU

No.Compt/LOK/BCD-2526 /2018 &
No.Compt/LOK/BCD-2412/2018
(Byramangala & Vrushabhavathi Lake)

Date : 10.03.2021

O R D E R

The complainant in this complaint had written two letters dated 02.01.2021 and 27.02.2021. It is useful to extract the contents of the said two letters which reads as hereunder –

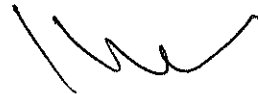
Letter dated 02.01.2021 –

“ಸ್ವಾಮಿ,

ನಾನು ಬೃಹತ್ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಹಕ್ಕು ಕಾಯ್ದೆಯಡಿ ಬೃಹತ್ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರುಮಹಾನಗರಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವಶದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಕೆರೆಗಳ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ 2009-10 ರಿಂದ 2020-21ರವರೆಗೆ ಆಗಿರುವ ಖರ್ಚುಗಳ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದೆ.

ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಕ್ಯೂಟಿವ್ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್ (ಕೆರೆಗಳ ವಿಭಾಗ) ಅವರು ಕಳಿಸಿರುವ ಪಟ್ಟಿಯ ಜಿರಾಕ್ ಪ್ರತಿಯನ್ನು ತಮಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ಈ 12 ವರ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ 168 ಕೆರೆಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ಸುರಿದಿರುವ ಹಣದ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಅವರು ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.



ಈ 12 ವರ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆರೆಗಳನ್ನು ಶುದ್ಧಗೊಳಿಸಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಜನರಿಗೆ ಶುದ್ಧ ನೀರು ಒದಗಿಸುವ ಸಲುವಾಗಿ ಒಟ್ಟು ಸುಮಾರು ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ.ಗಳನ್ನು ವ್ಯರ್ಥಮಾಡಿದೆ. ಕೆಲವು ಕೆರೆಗಳಾದರೂ ಶುದ್ಧ ನೀರನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸುವ ಸ್ಥಿತಿಯಲ್ಲಿದೆಯೇ? ಈ ನಾಟಕಕ್ಕೆ ಕೂಡಲೇ ಇತಿಶ್ರೀ ಹಾಡಬೇಡವೆ?

ತಾವು ಈ ರೀತಿ ಪೋಲಾಗುತ್ತಿರುವ ಹಣವನ್ನು ತಡೆಗಟ್ಟಲು ಕಠಿಣ ಕ್ರಮ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ವಿನಂತಿ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ. ನೀವು ವಿಚಾರಣೆಗೊಳಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ಕೆರೆಗಳನ್ನಾದರೂ ದೋಷಮುಕ್ತಗೊಳಿಸುವ ಸರ್ತ್ಯಾಯ ನಿಮ್ಮಿಂದಾಗಲಿ."

Letter dated 27.02.2021


"ದಿನಾಂಕ: 27-02-2021

ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತರು,
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು, ಇವರಿಗೆ ನಮಸ್ಕಾರ.

ನಾನು ಈ ಹಿಂದೆ ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ಕಚೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಬಂದಿರುವ 18 ಕೆರೆಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ವರ್ಷ ವರ್ಷವೂ ಸುರಿಯುತ್ತಿರುವ ಹಣದ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ತಮಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದೆ.

ಯುನೈಟೆಡ್, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ವತಿಯಿಂದ ನಾನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುವ ಕೆಲ ಅರ್ಜಿಗಳ ವಿಚಾರಣೆಯನ್ನು ತಾವು 3 ವರ್ಷದಿಂದ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದೀರಿ.

ಈ ಕೆರೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಬಂದು ಬೀಳುತ್ತಿರುವ ಕಸದ ರಾಶಿ, ಆಗಿರುವ ಒತ್ತುವರಿಯ ತೆರವು, ಹರಿದು ಬರುತ್ತಿರುವ ಕೊಳಚೆ ನೀರು, ಕೆರೆಯ ಅಂಗಳದ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಜಾಗವನ್ನು ಬಳಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಬಹುಮಹಡಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡಗಳು ಇವೆಲ್ಲವೂ ತೆರವಾಗುವ ಮೊದಲು ಪ್ರತಿ ವರ್ಷವೂ ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ಖರ್ಚು



ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ಇತರೇ ಲಕ್ಷಾಂತರ ರೂ.ಗಳನ್ನು ದುರ್ವ್ಯಯ ಮಾಡದಂತೆ ತಡೆಗಟ್ಟುವ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ತಾವು ಜರೂರಾಗಿ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ವಿನಂತಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಕೆರೆಗೆ ಮಲಿನ ನೀರು ಸೇರದಂತೆ, ಕಸಕಡ್ಡಿ ಕೆರೆಯಂಗಳದಲ್ಲಿ ಬೀಳದಂತೆ ಕ್ರಮಕೈಗೊಂಡಲ್ಲದೆ, ಕೆರೆಯ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಯ ಹೆಸರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರತಿ ವರ್ಷ ಸುರಿಯುವ ಹಣ ದುರ್ವ್ಯಯವಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ ಎಂಬುದು ನನ್ನ ಆಪಾದನೆ.

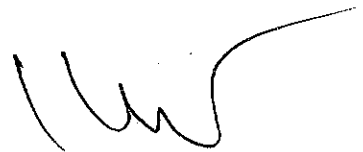
ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ, ಘನತೆವೆತ್ತ ತಾವು, ಕೆರೆ ಕಲುಷಿತವಾಗಲು ಬಿಡದಂತೆ ಮಾಡುವ ಖರ್ಚುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೂಡ ಬಹುದಂದು, ಈ ಕೆಲಸ ಮುಗಿಯುವವರೆಗೆ ಯಾವ ಕೆರೆಯಲ್ಲೂ ಬೇರೆ ಕೆಲಸಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಂಡು ಪ್ರತಿ ವರ್ಷ ಲಕ್ಷಗಟ್ಟಲೆ ಹಣ ದುರ್ವ್ಯಯವಾಗದಂತೆ ಬಿ.ಬಿ.ಎಂ.ಪಿ ಗೆ ತಾಖೀತು ಮಾಡಲೇಬೇಕೆಂದು ವಿನಯಪೂರ್ವಕವಾಗಿ ವಿನಂತಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಈ ಕಟ್ಟುನಿಟ್ಟಾದ ಆರ್ಡರನ್ನು ತಾವು ಕೂಡಲೇ ಮಾಡದಿದ್ದರೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ನೂರು ವರ್ಷ ಕಳೆದರೂ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನ ಒಂದು ಕೆರೆಯು ಸ್ವಚ್ಛಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ಸಂಭವವಿಲ್ಲ. ನಮ್ಮ ಗುರಿ ಈ ಕೆರೆಗಳ ನೀರು ಕುಡಿಯಲು ಯೋಗ್ಯವಾಗಬೇಕು. ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಜನರ ಕಾವೇರಿ ನೀರಿನ ಅವಲಂಬನೆ ಕಡಿಮೆಯಾಗಿ, ಈ ಕೆರೆಗಳ ನೀರನ್ನು ಜನ ಬಳಸುವುದಾಗಬೇಕು. ತಮ್ಮಿಂದ ಈ ಮಹತ್ತರ ಕೆಲಸ ಆಗಬೇಕು ಎಂಬುದು ನನ್ನ ಹಂಬಲ.

ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಧೇಯಕ,

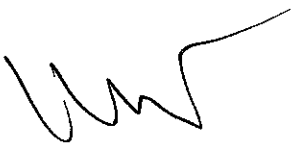
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2) As it can be seen from the contents of the letters extracted above, it is the grievance of the complainant that though substantial money has been spent for the development of the lakes, it has not produced the desired results, by rejuvenating the lakes up to the standard it is required to be rejuvenated. These are the matter which calls for investigation, after seeking the comments of the respondent. On account of prevailing Covid-19 situation, though the matter was being heard earlier, the above matter was not listed for some time. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, it is desirable to fix this proceeding for hearing. The respondents are directed in the meanwhile to submit the Status Report with regard to the steps taken on the following matters –

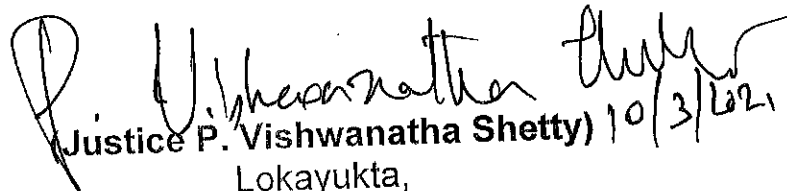
- (i) Steps taken to rejuvenate the lake.
- (ii) For removal of the encroachment.
- (iii) The report of the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, with regard to the quality of the water in the lake.
- (iv) Steps taken to prevent entry of sewage water in to the lake.
- (v) Steps taken for removal of garbage.



(vi) Steps taken to fence the lake.

(vii) The details of the NGOs if any who are associated in developing the lake.

3) Four weeks time is granted to file the report/comments as stated above. List this proceeding on 27.04.2021 at 3.30 p.m. Communicate this order to the complainant and his representative "Namma Bengaluru Foundation" and also the concerned respondents.


Justice P. Vishwanatha Shetty) 10/3/21
Lokayukta,
State of Karnataka,
Bengaluru

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→ E.E. B.W.S.S.B report
dtd. 26.03.2021 received.

→ E.E (W.W.M), B.W.S.S.B
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