

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

Original Application No. 125/2019

Vikas Singh

Versus

Applicant

Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board & Ors.

Respondent(s)

**WITH**

Original Application No. 550/2019

Rajbeer Singh

Versus

Applicant

State of Uttar Pradesh

Respondent

**WITH**

Original Application No. 792/2019

Rajbir Singh

Versus

Applicant

State of Uttar Pradesh

Respondent

**WITH**

Original Application No. 47/2018

Shailesh Singh

Versus

Applicant

Environment Pollution (Prevention & Control)  
Authority (E.P.C.A.) & Ors.

Respondent(s)

Date of hearing: 11.02.2021

Date of uploading the order: 17.02.2021

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ADARSH KUMAR GOEL, CHAIRPERSON  
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SHEO KUMAR SINGH, JUDICIAL MEMBER  
HON'BLE DR. NAGIN NANDA, EXPERT MEMBER**

**ORDER**

1. The issue for consideration is the remedial action against illegal operation of brick kilns in District Baghpat, U.P where 600 brick kilns are illegally operating.

2. The matter was last considered on 09.07.2020 in the light of report of the District Magistrate, Ghaziabad dated 30.06.2020. The Tribunal observed that since there was an injunction issued by this Tribunal in *O.A No. Original Application No. 1016/2019, Utkarsh Panwar v. Central Pollution Control Board & Ors.*, the brick kiln activities could not have been allowed by an order of the Chief Secretary which was mentioned before the Tribunal.

3. The matter was last considered on 15.10.2020 as follows:

- “3. *The Additional District Magistrate has filed further report dated 14.09.2020 to the effect that the brick kilns operating have been closed.*
4. *In view of the above, list the matter for further consideration on 11.01.2021. The concerned Authorities in the State of U.P may keep a vigil against illegal operation of brick kilns so as to protect the air quality in the NCR.*
5. *In view of the order passed today in O.A No. Original Application No. 1016/2019, Utkarsh Panwar v. Central Pollution Control Board & Ors., I.A No.02/2019 seeking permission to operate brick kiln is dismissed.”*

4. We have separately dealt with the issue of operation of brick kilns in NCR Delhi in *O.A No. 1016/2019, Utkarsh Panwar v. Central Pollution Control Board & Ors.* which will cover the above matters also. The concerned authorities in the State of UP may accordingly ensure compliance against operation of brick kilns strictly in accordance with the order passed today in *O.A No. 1016/2019, Utkarsh Panwar, supra.*

The applications are disposed of.

Adarsh Kumar Goel, CP

S.K. Singh, JM

Dr. Nagin Nanda, EM

February 17, 2021  
Original Application No. 125/2019 &  
Other connected matters  
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