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SUO MOTU CASE NO: 193/13/16/2023

News item appeared in Marathi News Paper "LOKMAT HELLO MUMBAI"

On 6.1.2023 in respect of "पालिकेने तोडलेली शौचालये पुन्हा बांधलीच नाहीत"

SUMMARY

WARD...232/CR/2023
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Case No. 193/131/6/2023, 232/CR/2023

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पालिकेने तोडलेली शौचालये पुन्हा बांधलीच नाहीत !

लोकमत न्यूज नेटवर्क
मुंबई : घाटकोपर येथे एलबीएस मार्गाच्या
रुंदीकरणासाठी पालिकेने तोडलेली
शौचालये पुन्हा बांधलीच नाहीत. चार वर्षे
उलटूनही पालिका प्रशासनाने काहीच
कारवाई न केल्याने शिवसेना (उद्धव
बाळासाहेब ठाकरे) गटाच्या वतीने बेमुदत
उपोषण करण्यात आले.
घाटकोपर येथील सर्वोदयजवळील

स्वामी विवेकानंद मार्ग अरुंद असल्याने
या ठिकाणी नेहमीच वाहतूक कोंडी होत
असे. या मार्गाचे रुंदीकरण करण्याचा
निर्णय पालिका प्रशासनाने घेतला. मात्र
रस्ता रुंदीकरणात येथील सार्वजनिक
शौचालयाचा अडसर येत होता त्यामुळे
शौचालय हटवण्याचा निर्णय पालिका
प्रशासनाने घेतला. चार वर्षांपूर्वी येथील
शौचालय हटविण्यात आले आहेत.



MAHARASHTRA STATE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

9, Hajarimal Somani Marg, Opp. Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus, Mumbai – 400 001

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KKT/Suo Moto Case No.-193/13/16/2023

Name of Respondent : The Municipal Commissioner
Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai
Mumbai

Date : 6th January 2023

Coram : Justice K.K. Tated, Chairperson

PROCEEDING

Not on board. Taken on board.

1. We noticed news appeared in Marathi News Paper Lokmat (Hello Mumbai) on Page 2 dated 06.01.2023 with heading “पालिकेने तोडलेली शौचालये पुन्हा बांधलीच नाहीत !

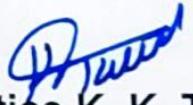
2. It is stated in the said news that at the time of doing work of L.B.S. Marg at Ghatkopar, Corporation removed WC. Now work is already completed, but till today Corporation failed to construct new toilets at the same place or nearby, for last more than four years. Several peoples are suffering for want of WC.

3. Considering these facts stated in the said news, Commission decided to take up this matter as suo moto under Section 12 of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993. Hence, following order is passed:

- a) Office is directed to issue summons to the Municipal Commissioner, Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai calling upon him to file affidavit in reply on or before 2nd February 2023 on following points:

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- i. When WC at LBS Marg, Ghatkopar was demolished for doing road work?
 - ii. What was the dimension of original WC?
 - iii. Why there is a delay on the part of Corporation to reconstruct the WC on the same place or near by?
 - iv. Within how much time Corporation is going to reconstruct the same in the interest of the public at large.
 - v. There say in respect of news dated 6th January 2023.
- b) **Matter to appear on board before Division Bench of Justice K.K. Tated, Chairperson and Shri. M. A. Sayeed, Member in Court No.1 on 2nd February 2023 at 11.00 a.m.**


(Justice K. K. Tated)
Chairperson



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DIVISION BENCH **Suo Motu Case No.- 193/13/16/2023**

Name of Respondent : Municipal Commissioner,
Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai
Mumbai

Date : 27th March 2023

Coram : Justice K.K. Tated, Chairperson
M.A.Sayeed, Member

ORDER

(Per: Justice K. K. Tated, Hon'ble Chairperson)

The following are present

Adv. P. P. Chavhan

Shri Mujib S. Kudalkar, Senior Engineer

Shri Rajendra Lashkare, Junior Engineer

2. The present suo motu initiated on the basis of the news appeared in Marathi newspaper 'Lokmat' dated 06.01.2023 about construction of toilet at LBS Marg, Ghatkopar. Today, Adv. Chavhan for Corporation filed affidavit dated 23.03.2023 of Assistant Commissioner BMC, 'N' Ward. Advocate makes a statement that within six months they will complete the construction of the toilets and same will be open to the public at large. He relies on para 10 & 11 of Ex. 'B' which reads thus:

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"10. I say that, the remarks obtain from Asst. Eng. (Maint) N Ward regarding the construction of toilet blocks at the same place and accordingly the proposal is put up for sanction before higher authorities. I say that to complete entire work approximately 6 months time is required. I say that, after completion of entire process to construct the toilet blocks the same will be open for general public for their use.

11. I say that, in the vicinity of 500 meter area, following 2 Nos. of Pay and use Public Toilet blocks are available to avoid the inconvenience of floating population as well as for the use of shopkeepers in nearby commercial area:

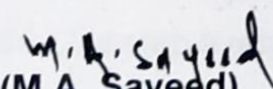
i) M/s. Janata Seva Souchhalaya,

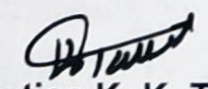
ii) M/s. Sulabh Sauchhalay Sankul

But, to provide more toilet facilities and for more public convenience BMC N ward has initiated the proposal positively for the reconstruction of toilet block at near sarvoday hospital footpath, in front of Khot lane, LBS road, Ghatkopar (West). "

Statement made by Advocate for Corporation is accepted.

3. Accordingly the present Suo Motu case stands closed on the basis of statement made by the Advocate for Corporation.


(M.A. Sayeed)
Member


(Justice K. K. Tated)
Chairperson