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### Appeal. No. 199 of 2014

In the matter of:

Almitra H Patel & Anr

Petitioner

Versus

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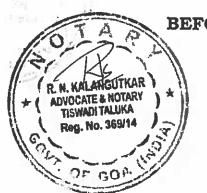
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# BEFORE THE NATIONAL GREEN TRIBUNAL PRINCIPAL BENCH, NEW DELHI

### ORIGINAL APPLICATION No. 199/2014

Almitra H Patel and anr.

..... Applicant

v/s

Union of India and Ors.

.... Respondents

#### AFFIDAVIT ON BEHALF OF THE STATE OF GOA.

I, Srinet N. Kothwale, son of Narendra Kothwale, major of age, resident of Aroba, Pernem Goa, the Director, Department of Environment, Government of Goa, Respondent above named most respectfully state and submit as under:

- I state that I am presently the Director in the Department of Environment, Government of Goa and am authorized to file the present Affidavit on behalf of the State Government.
- I state that I am filing the present affidavit in terms of the directions of this Hon'ble Tribunal as contained in order dated 20/03/2015.



I state that vide order dated 20/03/2015 passed in the present matter, this Hon'ble Tribunal was pleased to direct the State of Goa to file an affidavit in light of the judgement of the Hon'ble Tribunal in OA no 40/2013, decided on 25/11/2014 and judgement dated 20/3/2015 passed in the present matter.

3.

4. I state that in terms of the directions of this Hon'ble Tribunal as stated above, the State of Goa has formulated and adopted an "Action Plan for Solid Waste Management" in the state.

Annexed herewith and marked as 'Exhibit A' is a copy of the action plan for solid waste management in the state of Goa.

- 5. I state that the action plan for solid waste management in the state of Goa is a comprehensive plan and has been formulated in accordance with the judgement of this Hon'ble Tribunal passed in OA no 40/2013 (judgement in the case of Capt. Mall Singh vs Punjab PCB and others) and in accordance with the orders / judgements passed in the present matter by this Hon'ble Tribunal.
- 6. I state that a comparative statement enclosed with the action plan for solid waste management in the state of Goa, clearly indicates this.
- 7. I state that the state of Goa as elaborated in the enclosed action plan for solid waste management, shall take all steps to ensure that the directions of this Hon'ble Tribunal as contained in the judgement of capt. Mall Singh & Ors v/s Punjab PCB & Ors as well as the directions of this Hon'ble Tribunal as contained in



order dated 20/03/2015 passed in the present matter, are effectively complied with.

8. I state that whatever stated herein above is based on the records available with the office of the Respondent Department

of Environment, Government of Goa, to which I have access

and which I believe to be true and correct.

Solemnly affirmed on

this 6 day of April 2015



Deponent

BEFORE ME BY Spinet N. Kothwale

Kalan Juthan

WHO IS IDENTIFIED BEFORE ME BY

Sel \_\_\_\_ WHOM I KNOW.

SR. NO.: 558/15

DATED: 16/04/2015

R. N. Kalangutkar Advocate & Notary

Tiswadi Taluka Reg. No. 369/14