## हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार

## ORDER

Before Shri Sushil Kumar Singla, IFS, Secretary (Environment, Science, Technology & Climate Change) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh -cum-Appellate Authority as constituted under section 28 (1) of Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act,1974 (Central Act No. 6 of 1974) and Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act,1981.

## Appeal No. 9/2025

Jal Shakti Vibhag Division Chamba-STP Barga-I versus Himachal Pradesh State Pollution Control Board (HPSPCB), New Shimla.

Dated: 11-11-2025 Case called

11:30 AM

Present: Shri Deepak Kumar, Assistant Engineer JSV Division, Chamba

Representatives of HPPCB S/Shri Parveen Chander Gupta, Member Secretary HPPCB, Shri Lalit Thakur, Env. Engineer, Shri Chandan Singh, Env. Engineer, Shri Sandeep Kumar, Law Officer and Shri Tarun Thakur, Asstt. Law Officer.

Heard. The present Appeal has been filed by the Executive Engineer, Jal Shakti Division, Chamba under Section 28 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, seeking quashing and setting aside of the Environmental Compensation imposed on the Sewage Treatment Plant, Barga-I (Chamba), on account of failure of water samples collected from the final outlet.

The Respondent Board has filed preliminary submissions contending that the Appeal is not maintainable under Section 28 of the said Act.

The Appellant has sought time to file a response to the preliminary submissions. The request is allowed and the Appellant may file the same within two weeks.

List the matter for further hearing on 09.12.2025 at 11:30 AM.

(Sushil-Kumar Singla, IFS)
Secretary (EST & CC) to the

Government of H.P.

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