

# CENTRAL EMPOWERED COMMITTEE

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**Dated: 24.02.2025**

**To**

The Chief Secretary,  
Government of Uttar Pradesh,  
Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

**Subject: Record of Discussions of the meeting taken by CEC on 20.02.2025 in App. No. 1599 of 2025 filed by Sanjay Kumar, Advocate- Violations of environmental laws and the illegal construction by Eras Lucknow Medical College and Hospital - regd.**

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith the copy of the Record of Discussions of the meeting taken by the CEC on 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 on the above subject for information and necessary action.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,



**(Banumathi. G)  
Member Secretary**

**Copy to:**

- i. The Secretary, MoEFCC, Jor Bagh, New Delhi.
- ii. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
- iii. The Divisional Forest Officer, District Awadh, Uttar Pradesh.
- iv. Sh. Sanjay Kumar, Advocate for Applicants in Application No. 1599 of 2025.
- v. Sh. A.D.N. Rao, Supreme Court, Advocate and Amicus Curiae
- vi. Sh. Siddhartha Chowdhury, Supreme Court Advocate and Amicus Curiae.
- vii. The Applicant through their Advocate on Record.
- viii. All members of the CEC.

**RECORD OF DISCUSSIONS OF THE MEETING TAKEN BY THE CEC ON 20<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2024 IN APPLICATION NO. 1599 OF 2025 FILED BY SHRI SANJAY KUMAR, ADVOCATE – VIOLATIONS OF ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS AND THE ILLEGAL CONSTRUCTION BY ERAS LUCKNOW MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL.**

The meeting of the Central Empowered Committee (CEC) was held on 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2025. The list of participants is at **ANNEXURE**.

Shri Gaurav Kumar Bansal, Ld. Advocate appeared on behalf of the Applicant.

2. Shri Sitanshu Pandey, Divisional Forest Officer, appeared on behalf of the Forest Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh. He submitted their views in the matter at hand. During the meeting he also submits the letter No. 6576/14-10-4 dated 18.02.2025 and sought two months' time from the CEC and to submit their views in the matter at hand.

3. Shri M. H. Rizvi, Director Administration, appeared on behalf of Era Lucknow Medical College, Lucknow. In the last meeting which was held on 06.02.2025, the CEC directed them to submit the complete land records along with building permissions given by the competent authority, but they failed to produce the information or any documentary verifiable evidence in the matter at hand.

4. No one from the MoEFCC was present during the meeting.

5. In the light of foregoing, the CEC grants 4 weeks' time to the Era Medical College to file the following information:

- i. Submit the complete land records along with sanctioned building plans / permissions given by the competent authority.
- ii. Details of the Khasra wise total area on which the Era Medical College and other institutions are situated.
- iii. KML file of the entire area.
- iv. Any documents which were or will be submitted before the CEC which are not in English / Hindi should be provided along with certified translated copy in English also.

6. The next meeting will be convened on 20<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 at 14:30 hrs in the Court Room of the CEC, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Chanakya Bhawan, Chanakya Puri, New Delhi - 110021

The meeting concluded with thanks to the Chair and the participants.

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(Banumathi. G)  
Member Secretary

Dated: 24.02.2025

# ANNEXURE

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The meeting will be held on 20<sup>th</sup> February 2025 in Application No. 1599 of 2024 – Violations of environmental laws and the illegal construction by Eras Lucknow Medical College and Hospital are in clear contravention of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 – regarding.

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