IN THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD

R/WRIT PETITION (PIL) NO. 19 of 2023

KANAIYALAL VIJAYASHANKAR RAJGOR

VERSUS STATE OF GUJARAT

Appearance:

MR AMIT M PANCHAL(528) for the Applicant(s) No. 1,2,3,4 for the Opponent(s) No. 2,3

MR. UTKARSH SHARMA, AGP, ADVANCE COPY SERVED TO GOVERNMENT PLEADER/PP for the Opponent(s) No. 1

CORAM: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE MR. JUSTICE A.J. DESAI

and

HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE BIREN VAISHNAV

Date: 15/03/2023

ORAL ORDER

(PER: HONOURABLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE MR. JUSTICE A.J.DESAI)

- Leave to add Annexure 'I' after Annexure 'H' to the petition being a copy of communication dated 01.10.2018 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, under section 3 of the Environment Protection Act, 1986.
- 2. Notice returnable on 24.04.2023. Learned AGP Mr.
 Utkarsh Sharma, waives of notice on behalf of respondent –
 State.

- Interest and may affect various individual who may be carrying out different type of activities, the petitioners shall publish a notice Under Order 1 Rule 8 of Code of Civil Procedure about the present proceedings in a newspaper having wide circulation in vernacular language having wide circulation in the districts Surendranagar, Patan, Kutch, Morbi in the state of Gujarat giving 15 days clear notice about the next date of hearing.
- 4. Registry is directed to do the needful as provided under Order 1 Rule 8. A copy of the order shall be served to respondent authority on or before 31.03.2023. The respondent authority shall file affidavit-in-reply / report with regard to the licensees / permission granted to carry out mining activities within aforesaid four districts.

(A.J.DESAI, ACJ)

(BIREN VAISHNAV, J)

AMAR SINGH