

BEFORE
HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE MR. A.K. GOEL
THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N. KOTISWAR SINGH
DATE OF ORDER : 08/01/2013

An affidavit dated 5.1.2013 has been filed by the Nodal Officer of the Pollution Control Board, inter alia, stating that 100 nos. of new brick kilns have been found operating at various places with moving chimneys in violation of the directives of the Pollution Control Board and, on that account, the Deputy Commissioner of the concerned Districts have been requested to ensure closure of the brick kilns. It has been further stated that 193 nos. of brick kilns have been found not complying with the terms and conditions for which brick kilns were allowed to operate and pre-closure notices have been issued to them.

The action on pre-closure may be finalized forthwith, but not later than one month from today. The Deputy Commissioners concerned may ensure closure of the brick kilns which have been found to have been violating the law as per above affidavit.

Learned counsel for the State of Assam may secure report from the concerned Deputy Commissioners about compliance of the order of this Court and file an affidavit to this effect.

List for further consideration on 13th March, 2013.

Sd/- N. Kotiswar Singh
Judge

Sd/- A.K. Goel
Chief Justice

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