



DELHI POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE

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Sub: Directions under section 31 (A) of Air (Pollution and Control of Pollution) Act 1981 read with Rule 20 A(6) of the Air (Pollution and Control of Pollution) (Union Territories) Rules, Act 1983.

Whereas, Central Pollution Control Board is the State Board for all the Union Territories to exercise powers and performs functions under the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

And whereas, Central Pollution Control Board has delegated all its powers and functions under Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 in respect of NCT of Delhi to Delhi Pollution Control Committee vide Notification No. S.O. 198(E) dated 15.03.1991.

And whereas, whole of union territory of Delhi has been declared as air pollution control area vide Notification No. GSR 106(E) dated 20.02.1987 under sub-section (1) of section 19 of the said Air Act, 1981.

And whereas, as per section 17 (1) (a) of Air Act, 1981, Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC) is to plan a comprehensive program for the prevention, control and abatement of air pollution and to secure execution thereof.

And whereas, Hon'ble National Green Tribunal in various orders has directed to initiate steps to curb the dust during construction and demolition activities.

And whereas, pursuant to the order dated 02.12.2016 of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the matter of M. C. Mehta Vs Union of India & others regarding air quality, Graded Response Action Plan (GRAP) has been notified by the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Govt. of India on 12.01.2017 for implementation through Environment Pollution (Prevention and Control) Authority (EPCA).

And whereas, on the basis of the recommendations of the Task Force, EPCA has issued various directions to the Govt. of NCT of Delhi to control air pollution vide letter dated 08.10.2020, keeping in view of the ambient air quality, which are as follows:

- **Ensure enforcement and full compliance of the action plan on the identified pollution Hot-spots through ground level surveillance; night patrolling so as to ensure zero tolerance for all sources of pollution, including waste burning and dust. Chairman EPCA has, based on visits to the hot-spot has identified the problems that need to be urgently addressed before the coming winter season. Please ensure compliance with these measures that need to be taken so that pollution sources are controlled. Needless to say, control of air pollution during winter will require greatly enhanced vigilance on ground so that sources, such as industrial stacks and garbage dumping and use of illegal fuel are checked and penalized. The use of all**


technologies for dust management, including smog guns, should be extensively used during this period.

- Ensure long term solutions to the growing problem of solid waste dumping, which is of particular concern because of scattered fires that greatly contribute to air pollution. EPCA Chairman has noted during monitoring that even as the area is cleaned and the pollution source removed /repaired, the problem surfaces again. This particularly the case when it comes to waste that is found dumped across the different Hot-Spots, particularly in the vicinity of industrial areas. It is therefore, necessary that there is a plan for remediation of this garbage, through its processing and long term arrangements for collection and treatment.
- Direct mechanized sweeping machines for regular cleaning of roads /streets in shifts both day and night where available. Sprinkle water and take other necessary measures to control dust from roads.

All the Land Owning Agencies and Local Bodies are hereby directed to take necessary steps to comply with the above directions and submit daily action taken reports to DPCC on E-mail id msdpcc2019@gmail.com and dpccairlab@gmail.com.

In case of non-compliance, action as per the provisions contained in Section 37 of the Air Act, 1981 shall be initiated against the defaulters.

This issues with the approval of Chairman, DPCC.


(Nigam Agarwal)
Member Secretary

1. Vice Chairman, DDA, Vikas Sadan, INA, New Delhi
2. Chairman, New Delhi Municipal Council, Palika Kendra, New Delhi
3. Divisional Commissioner, 5 Shamnath Marg, Delhi, to direct District Magistrate to enforce the ban.
4. Commissioner, North Delhi Municipal Corporation, 4thFloor, Dr. S.P.M. Civic Center, J L N Marg, New Delhi-2.
5. Commissioner, South Delhi Municipal Corporation, 9thFloor, Dr. S.P.M. Civic Center, J L N Marg, New Delhi-2.
6. Commissioner, East Delhi Municipal Corporation, 419, Udyog Sadan, Patparganj Industrial Area, Delhi-92
7. Pr. Secretary, PWD, GNCTD, 5thFloor, Delhi Secretariat, IP Estate, New Delhi-2.
8. Secretary, Irrigation & Flood Control Dept, New Delhi
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13. CEO, Delhi Cantonment Board, Delhi Cant, New Delhi

14. Chairman, NHAI, Dwarka, Delhi
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3. SO to Chief Secretary, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Level 5, Delhi Secretariat, I.P.Estate , Delhi -110002.
4. PS to Chairman, DPCC for kind information to Chairman, DPCC please.


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