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4. Sub Divisional Magistrate, Sri Muktsar Sahib, Gidderbaha & Malout
5. District Development & Panchayat Officer, Zila Prishad Complex, Sri Muktsar Sahib
6. Executive Engineer, PWSSD, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib
7. Executive Engineer, Drainage Department, Sri Muktsar Sahib
8. Executive Engineer, Soil & Water Conservation Department, Sri Muktsar Sahib
9. Sub-Divisional Engineer, Punjab Water Supply & Sewerage Board, Malout
10. Executive Engineer, Panchayati Raj, Sri Muktsar Sahib
11. Civil Surgeon, Sri Muktsar Sahib
12. Chief Agriculture Officer, Sri Muktsar Sahib
13. Senior Medical Officer, Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib
14. Executive Officer, Municipal Council, Sri Muktsar Sahib, Gidderbaha, Malout & Bariwala
15. In-charge Traffic Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib
16. Regional Transport Authority, Sri Muktsar Sahib

Sub: - Proceedings of 4th meeting of District Environment Committee (DEC) held under the Chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner Sri Muktsar Sahib on 08.09.2020 at 09:00 AM through VC, in compliance to Hon'ble NGT order dt. 26.09.2019 in O.A no. 360/18 in the matter of Shree Nath Sharma V/s Union of India.

Enclosed, please find herewith the proceedings of 4th meeting of District Environment Committee (DEC) held under the Chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner Sri Muktsar Sahib on 08.09.2020 at 09:00 AM in compliance to Hon'ble NGT Order dated 26.09.2019 for your kind information and compliance of decisions.

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Environmental Engineer

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
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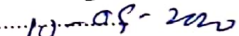
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Subject: - Minutes of the 4th meeting of District Environment Committee (DEC) held under the chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner, Sri Muktsar Sahib on 08.09.2020 at 09:00 AM, through VC in compliance to Hon'ble NGT Order dated 26.09.2019.

At the outset of 4th Meeting of the District Environment Committee, District Sri Muktsar Sahib held on 08.09.2020 at 09:00 AM through VC under the Chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner, Sri Muktsar Sahib, the Assistant Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board welcomed the Chairman and other members of the District Environment Committee. The list of Officials attended the meeting is enclosed as Annexure-1.

On the onset of meeting, Chairman of the District Environment Committee emphasized all the stack holder departments to comply in letter and spirit, the observations of Hon'ble NGT Monitoring Committee visit to Distt. Sri Muktsar Sahib dt. 17.03.2020 and decisions given during review meeting through VC dt. 04.09.2020 to check the progress on the earlier observations of the visit dt. 17.03.2020. The proceedings of VC dt. 04.09.2020 has now been received for necessary compliance.

The main observations of the Hon'ble NGT Monitoring Committee review meeting through VC and other environment related issues discussed during meeting are as under:

1. The timeline for compliance of the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 has already been expired as the said date was 31.03.2020. The continued failure for non-compliance of rules shall attract penalty as every local body to pay compensation @ Rs. 10 lac/- month per local body for population above 10 lac, Rs. 5 lac/- month per local body for population between 5-10 lakh and Rs. 1 lac/- month for other local bodies from 01.04.2020 till compliance. The date of commencement of setting up of STP's is 31.03.2020. Atleast treatment of sewage to extent of in-situ remediation before the said date, commencement of setting up of STP's is required. The department of PWSSB and PWSSD were instructed to prepare DPR for augmentation of sewage treatment and upgradation of STP's wherever required. In malout town additional STP's 7 MLD is required and STP's 14 MLD is required for Sri Muktsar Sahib.
2. The compliance of Municipal Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 in respect of door to door collection, source segregation, treatment of wet waste through compost pits, onsite composting in parks, removal of garbage vulnerable points shall be ensured strictly.

3. All the MC's shall carry out special drive of 1 week on IEC activities and ban on use of plastic carry bags w.e.f. 01.10.2020. The district legal service authority shall lead the campaign. PPCB may provide additional material for IEC activities.
4. To check the compliance of Municipal Solid Waste, bulk generators shall be jointly checked by the team of MC's & PPCB and advise them wherever required.
5. The MRF sheds shall be constructed and completed immediately. NGO maybe involved for the purpose if required.
6. The Department Soil Conservation shall plan irrigation schemes for all the STP's to ensure that treated waste water from STP's is used for irrigation and not to be discharged into any drain except no demand period. At present one scheme for irrigation is working for STP of capacity of 3 MLD located at Malout. The detailed planning on all the irrigation schemes shall be prepared and discussed by Xen Soil Conservation with the Chairman within 7 days.
7. The department of Water Supply & Sanitation shall submit the details of Model District Environment Plan.
8. A demonstration on in-situ bio remediation may be arranged by PPCB on 15.09.2020 where all stake holder such as PWSSB, PWSSD & EO's of all the Municipal Council shall attend / See the demonstration. Chairman of the District Environmental Committee expressed his willingness to attend the demonstration on 15.09.2020.

At the end the Chairman of the District Environmental Committee cautioned all the member department to take special care and preventative measures for COVID-19 while discharging official duties, as the health and work are both important.

All the member departments assured the Chairman for compliance of the decision of hearing in a time bond manner.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.
