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PUNJAB POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

EPA/2020/No. 1

Dated: 28/02/2020

OFFICE ORDER

Subject: Regarding imposition of a Special Condition with regard to in-house treatment and disposal of solid waste in the Consent to Establish and Operate to be granted under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Authorization under the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 to the Bulk Waste Generators.

Whereas, the Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India, New Delhi, in exercise of the powers conferred under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 has notified the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

And whereas, in Rule 3(8) of the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016, definition of the Bulk Waste Generator has been given, which is reproduced as under:

"bulk waste generators means and includes buildings occupied by the Central Government Departments or undertakings, State Government Departments or undertakings, local bodies, public sector undertakings or private companies, hospitals, nursing homes, schools, colleges, universities, others educational institutes, hostels, hotels, commercial establishments, markets, places of worship, stadia and sports complexes having an average waste generation rate exceeding 100kg per day"

And whereas, in Rule 4 of SWM Rules, 2016, the duties of waste generators are mentioned, which are briefly mentioned herein below:

All resident welfare and market associations shall, within one year from the date of notification of these rules and in partnership with the local body ensure segregation of waste at source by the generators as prescribed in these Rules, facilitate collection of segregated waste in separate streams, handover recyclable material to either the authorized waste pickers or the authorized recyclers. The bio-degradable waste shall be processed, treated and disposed of through composting or bio-methanation within the premises

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as far as possible. The residual waste shall be given to the waste collectors or agency as directed by the local body.

And whereas, all the duties as mentioned in Rule 4 of the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 are to be complied with by the Bulk Waste Generators.

And whereas, the Hon'ble NGT in OA no. 606 of 2018 titled as Compliance of Municipal Solid Waste Rules, 2016 in para 16 of the order dated 31.08.2018 has categorically mentioned that Bulk Waste Generators are required to set up decentralized waste processing sites as per the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016.

And whereas, the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, Govt. of India has published a step by step guidance to implement the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 by the Bulk Waste Generators.

And whereas, in order to ensure the compliance of the provisions of Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 in letter and spirit, it has been decided by the Competent Authority of the Board to impose the following as a Special Condition in the Consent to Establish/Operate to be granted under the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and Authorization under the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 to the Bulk Waste Generators:

"The Bulk Waste Generator shall ensure segregation of solid waste at source, facilitate collection of segregated waste in separate streams, handover recyclable material to either the authorized waste pickers or the authorized recyclers as prescribed in Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016. The bio-degradable waste shall be processed, treated and disposed of through composting or bio-methanation within the premises as far as possible. The residual waste shall be given to the waste collectors or agency as directed by the local body."

This office order will come into force with immediate effect.

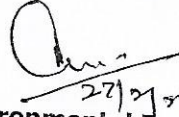
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Chairman

Dated: 28/02/2020

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. The Chief Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Ludhiana, Bathinda, Patiala and Jalandhar.
2. The Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office- Ludhiana-I/II; Patiala-I/II; Amritsar, Jalandhar and Bathinda.
3. The Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office- Patiala/SAS Nagar/Jalandhar/ Ludhiana-I/II/III/IV/Fatehgarh Sahib/ Faridkot/ Sangrur/ Hoshiarpur/ Bathinda/Batala and Amritsar.
4. The Environmental Engineer, Computer Section, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala for uploading the same on the official website of the Board.



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Chief Environmental Engineer (HQ)