



ਪੰਜਾਬ ਪ੍ਰਦੂਸ਼ਣ ਕੰਟਰੋਲ ਬੋਰਡ PUNJAB POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

NoSEE(HQ-2)/F.no.208/2023/325

Dated. 14/9/2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Procedure for Imposing Environmental Compensation (EC) to the Industries/ Other Project & ULBs.

In order to rationalize the procedure for imposing Environmental Compensation to the industries, other project proponents and ULBs for the violations of environmental laws, it is decided that following procedure shall be adopted by the Punjab Pollution Control Board:

1. Environmental Engineer shall recommend the imposition of EC if violation is so grave by clearly specifying the violation for which EC is to imposed and **shall not** propose any period and amount of the EC to be imposed. The officer below the rank of the Environmental Engineer shall not propose/recommend for the imposition of EC.
2. Senior Environmental Engineer and Chief Environmental Engineer shall review and recommend the imposition of EC to Member Secretary of the Board.
3. Member Secretary of the Board shall examine and if found fit, he will recommend the case to the Chairman of the Board for approval for the issuance of show cause notice under the Environmental Laws.
4. The Chairman of the Board after receiving the recommendations from Member Secretary, shall approve to issue notice to the industry / project proponent with an opportunity of personal hearing.
5. During the hearing, if the Chairman of the Board found these grave violations fit for imposition of EC, then he will finalize the period for which the EC is to be imposed and the matter shall be forwarded to the '*Committee for calculating/evaluating the EC to be imposed on defaulting industrial unit/other establishment/ULBs in the State of Punjab*' constituted vide office memorandum no. SEE(HQ-2)/F.no.208/2022/260 dated 10.08.2022 or as amended from time to time.

This issues in the supersession of Board's office memorandum no. SEE(HQ-2)/2021/OM no. 517 dated 01.10.2021 and will come into force with immediate effect.

ਮਾਦਰਸ਼ ਪਾਲ ਵਿਗ
(Prof. (Dr.) Adarsh Pal Vig)

Chairman

Dated 14/9/23

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

1. The Chief Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, HQ/PBIP/Patiala/Ludhiana/Jalandhar & Bathinda.

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2. The Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, HQ-1/2/3, Zonal Office, Patiala-1/2, Ludhiana-1/2, Jalandhar, Amritsar and Bathinda.
3. The Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Amritsar/ Patiala/ Bathinda/ Batala/ Faridkot/ Hoshiarpur/ Fatehgarh Sahib/
4. Ludhiana-1/2/3/4/ Jalandhar-1/2/ Mohali/ Sangrur/ Rupnagar.
5. The Administrative officer/Sr. Law Officer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Head Office, Patiala.
6. PS to Chairman / PA to Member Secretary, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.

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Member Secretary
Dated 14/3/23

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Environmental Engineer (Computer), PPCB, Patiala for uploading the Office Memorandum on the website of the Board.


Member Secretary