

Punjab Pollution Control Board

Nabha Road, Patiala

No: 315

Date: 05.07.2018

Order

Subject: Policy regarding installation of sewage treatment plants for residential/commercial complexes/construction projects proposed to be established/being established.

The subject matter was considered in the core-committee meeting taken by the Chairman of the Board on 19.03.2018 in light of the latest directions issued by the MoEF & CC/CPCB to the effect that the treated waste water should be re-used for flushing purposes as well as for watering of green areas in the project. It has, therefore, been decided to amend the policy for installation of STPs for colonies as under:-

1. If the residential colony/commercial complex/construction project is proposed to be established within the municipal limits of a City/Town of the State and it proposes to discharge its entire sewage into the municipal sewer, then the promoter of the residential colony shall install adequate and appropriate individual sewage treatment plant. The project proponent shall make arrangements to re-use the treated effluent for flushing purposes and/or for watering of green areas in the project premises. Only the surplus treated waste water shall be discharged into the MC sewer.
2. If the residential colony/commercial complex/construction project is proposed to be established outside the municipal limits of a City/Town of the State or jurisdiction of any other development authority, then the individual colonizer shall provide adequate and appropriate STP to treat its waste water and shall make arrangements to reuse the treated waste water for flushing purposes and to discharge the remaining treated effluent onto land for plantation/irrigation purposes.
3. The projects which have already been granted consent to operate by the Board before the issuance of these orders shall be governed by the conditions of the consent granted to them.

These orders shall come into force with immediate effect and shall supersede all previous orders/instructions, if any, issued in this regard.

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**(Kahan Singh Pannu, IAS),
Chairman**

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

- i) The Chief Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Ludhiana/Jalandhar/Patiala/Bathinda and HQ
- ii) The Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Zonal Office, PTA-I/II/LDH-I/II JAL/ASR/BTI.
- iii) The Senior Environmental Engineer, Punjab Pollution Control Board, HQ-1/2/3, Patiala.
- iv) The Sr. Scientific Officer, Pb. Pollution Control Board, Head Office, Patiala
- v) The Environmental Engineer SEIAA/SEAC/RTI/Construction, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Head Office, Patiala.
- vi) The Environmental Engineer, Pb. Pollution Control Board, Regional Office, Patiala/Mohali /LDH-I/II/III/IV/ASR /HSR /Batala/ Bathinda/ Fatehgarh Sahib /Sangrur/Jalandhar/Faridkot & Hoshiarpur.
- vii) PS to Chairman/PA to Member Secretary, Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala.

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Sr. Environmental Engineer(HQ-2)

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Sr. Environmental Engineer(HQ-2)