



SPEED POST

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October 18, 2018

As per list

Sub.: Direction under Section 5 of The Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 regarding open dumping/burning of garbage and C & D waste on land owning agencies to control air pollution in Delhi-NCR - reg.

WHEREAS, Section 16 (2) (b), (f) and (j) of The Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 mandates the Central Pollution Control Board to execute nation- wide program for prevention, control and abatement of air pollution and organize a comprehensive program and perform such other functions as may be prescribed;

WHEREAS, rising air pollution in Delhi during winter season is a matter of serious concern, especially with regard to high levels of particulate matter exceeding National Ambient Air Quality Standards, 2009;

WHEREAS, historical trends indicate further increase in air pollution in Delhi during winter season between 15th October to 15th February;

WHEREAS, a meeting was held under Chairmanship of Chairman, CPCB on August 30, 2018 and October 11, 2018 to discuss status of preparedness for controlling air polluting sources during winters in Delhi NCR;

WHEREAS, winter season being critical with regard to air pollution, CPCB teams have been deployed to visit various areas in Delhi-NCR from September 15, 2018 to provide feedback on air polluting mitigation activities & level of implementation of GRAP;

WHEREAS, direction under Section 5 of The Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 dated September 15, 2018 was issued to construction agencies and municipal corporations to ensure strict actions for improvement in air quality during winter 2018-19;


WHEREAS, as per the reported data of field inspections, prominent activities reported were open dumping of garbage and C&D waste;

Now therefore, in exercise of powers delegated to The Chairman, CPCB under Section 5 of The Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 and in view of anticipated poor air quality in Delhi, you are directed to ensure actions with regard to following;


- a. Ensure no open dumping and burning of wastes on the lands under ownership or in possession of your organization.

- b. Deployment of special teams to ensure no open dumping and burning of wastes on land owned or in possession of your organization.
- c. Land owning agencies will be accountable for any open dumping/burning of wastes and will be penalized as per NGT orders.
- d. All construction agencies to adhere to the instructions of NGT with respect management of Municipal Solid Waste and C&D waste.
- e. Any violation noticed may be strictly dealt as per law/NGT orders including closure Directions/ prosecution of defaulters before appropriate court of law.

The agencies shall acknowledge receipt of this direction immediately and shall communicate the action taken report within 07 days of receipt of same.


15/11/18
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Chairman

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