August 09, 2018



Sub.: Constitution of Monitoring Committee to monitor the compliance of the Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 and need for action in all the States."

The Hon'ble National Green Tribunal, Principal Bench, New Delhi in the matter of OA No. 804/2017: Rajiv Narayana & Anr. Vs Union of India & Ors. has passed the following orders on 30/07/2018:

- "...(i) All the States, where the hazardous waste is being generated must set up Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facility (TSDF) facility of adequate capacity at appropriate locations within three months from today and forthwith imitate action against erring units.
- (ii) Central Government and Central Pollution Control Board must forthwith monitor the compliance of the rules by reviewing the need for action in all the states.
- (iii) The Central Pollution Control Board may forthwith constitute a monitoring Committee for the purpose it may appoint a Nodal Officer exclusively to oversee the compliance of the rules. The Member Secretary CPCB may act as a Nodal Officer till a substitute is found. The action taken must be placed on the website of the Central Pollution Control Board within 3 months from today. Compliance report be filed before this Tribunal on or before 30th November, 2018, which will be treated as a separate application..."

In compliance to the aforesaid order of Hon'ble NGT, Principal Bench, New Delhi, a Monitoring Committee is being constituted herewith comprising the following:

1.	Dr. Ajay A. Deshpande, Former Expert Member, National Green Tribunal, Govt. of India, Flat A-101, Pristine Privilege, Opposite Prism, Near Rohan Nilay, Behind Spicer College, Audh. Pune- 411067 (Maharashtra)	Chairman
2.	Representative from Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India	Member
3	Dr D. C Sharma, Prof. Department of Civil Engineering, Raja Rajeswari Group of Institutions, Bangalore (Former Additional Director, CPCB)	Member
4	Dr A. N Vaidya, Chief Scientist & Head, Solid and Hazardous Waste Management Division, National Environmental Engineering Research Institute (NEERI). Nagpur	Member
5	Member Secretary, Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Member
6	Dr A. Manoharan, Former Senior Scientist, CPCB, # 24, HIG Flats, 475, Anna salai, Nandanam, Chennai 600 035	
7.	Shr. Bharat K Sharma, AD & Head, WM-II Div., CPCB, and nodal officer appointed by CPCB in compliance with the Hon'ble NGT orders dated 30/07/2018	Member Convenor

Terms of reference (ToR) of Monitoring Committee (TEC)

- To monitor the compliance of the Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016.
- ii. To review the need for action in all the States for effective implementation of the Rules.
- iii. To recommend measures for compliance of the HOWM Rules, 2016 and CPCB guidelines
- iv. The Committee, if required will make site visits for assessment of the issues pertaining to management of hazardous and other wastes.
- v. The Committee may invite other experts as "Invitee Member" for the purpose of executing its work.
- vi. The Committee shall meet as and when necessary.

Tenure of Technical Expert Committee:

The tenure of the said Committee is till 30/11/2018 which may further be extended by CPCB, if required.

Reimbursement of TA/DA and Sitting fee:

- (a) The following fee, in accordance with the orders dated 20/04/2017 of the Hon'ble NGT, Principal Bench, New Delhi in the matter of O.A No. 24 of 2011, would be paid:
 - 1. The Chairmen/Expert Members, whether in service or retired or are operating as consultant independently: -
 - (i) Chairman of the Committees would be paid a sum of Rs. 5,500/- per meeting.
 - (ii) Non-official Members of the Committees would be paid a sum of Rs. 5,000/- per meeting.
 - 2. Members who are retired and are not presently working in any Government organization or institute, would be termed as non-official members.
 - 3. Members of the Committee who are in service either in the Government or institute, bodies, instrumentalities of the State would be paid a sum of Rs. 2,500/- per meeting.
 - 4. Members who are in service will not be provided any TA/DA once the payment is made in terms of this order.
 - 5. All the members would be provided with car facility for travel. If there are outstation members, they would be paid first class rail fare or economy air fare for coming to Delhi or the place where the meetings are fixed.
 - 6. All the secretarial services would be provided to them and if they are required to incur expenses for the secretarial services, the same shall be reimbursed to them.
- (b) The expenditure in this regard will be met from the budget head "NGT 25 %" at CPCB.

(Dr. Prashant Gargava) Member Secretary

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2) I/c F&A

3) All Members of the Committee (list enclosed)

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