

CPCB/IPC-VII/CEPI/Gujarat/Action plans 8045

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To

The Member Secretary
Gujarat State Pollution Control Board
Sector 10-A,
Gandhi Nagar - 382043
Gujarat

Sub: Hon'ble NGT orders in the matter of OA. No. 1038/2018 (CEPI matter) - Action Plans for the polluted industrial areas identified as CPAs/SPAs - reg.

Sir,

This has reference to the Hon'ble NGT order, dated 13.12.2019, in the matter of O.A. No. 1038/2018, directing SPCBs/PCCs to finalize the time bound action plans with regard to the identified polluted industrial clusters. In this regard, Gujarat SPCB has submitted action plan for Ankleshwar (categorized as CPA), Bhavnagar (categorized as SPA), Rajkot (categorized as CPA), Surat (categorized as CPA), Vadodara (categorized as CPA), Vapi (categorized as CPA), Vatva (categorized as CPA), vide letter dated 20.8.2020. The Central Pollution Control Board, after looking into the action plans, suggests the following views/recommendations for consideration and incorporation in the action plans:

- Incorporating details of area, water resources, pollution sources, list of industries.
- Providing constitution of the committee approved by Chief Secretary of Gujarat and signed action plans by the committee members.
- Providing map showing clear demarcation of boundaries, of core area and also the impact area i.e. 5 km from the boundaries of core area.
- Providing focused actions to address the exceeding of key pollutants specific to the cluster.
- Providing details of common facilities available/required and the actions already taken for control of pollution, etc.,

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- Establishing online continuous water/ambient air quality monitoring stations as per the directions issued by CPCB vide letter dated 26.4.2016 and connectivity to CPCB server.
- Action taken/proposed for restoration of polluted water bodies/contaminated sites.
- Time target for development of proposed green cover to be advanced.
- Providing system of periodic monitoring/surveillance of industries.
- Providing action points for controlling VOC and CO emission wherever applicable.

It is requested to modify the action plans accordingly, and upload the same at website of Gujarat SPCB. The progress of implementation of action plans should be reviewed quarterly by the concerned Committees constituted for this purpose and the progress reports should be uploaded at the website.

It is further requested to provide a hard copy and also a soft copy of revised action plans to CPCB.

Yours faithfully,



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