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CENTRAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय भारत सरकार
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE GOVT OF INDIA

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November 28, 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Addendum to CPCB guidelines for providing one-time financial support for setting up of paddy straw based pelletisation and torrefaction plants – Increase in financial support amount for torrefaction plants– reg.

CPCB in March 2023 issued modified guidelines for providing one-time financial support for setting up of paddy straw based pelletisation and torrefaction plants to promote utilisation of paddy straw. Under the said guidelines, maximum financial assistance amount provided for setting up of pelletisation plant was revised from Rs. 14 lakhs to Rs. 28 lakhs per Ton Per Hour (TPH) production capacity or 40% of the capital cost considered for plant and machinery of a 1 TPH plant, whichever is lower. The maximum total financial support amount was also increased from Rs. 70 lakh per proposal to Rs. 1.4 crore per proposal.

Considering the limited number of applications received for setting up of torrefaction plants as the capital cost of torrefaction plants are higher as compared to pelletisation plants, the maximum financial assistance amount for setting up of torrefaction plant is hereby revised from Rs. 28 lakhs to Rs 56 lakhs per TPH production capacity or 40% of the capital cost considered for plant and machinery of a 1 TPH plant, whichever is lower, and the maximum total financial support is also increased from Rs 1.4 crore per proposal to Rs. 2.8 crore per proposal.

Other terms and conditions as prescribed in CPCB guidelines shall remain unchanged.

This is issued with the approval of Competent Authority.

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To:

1. Member Secretary
Delhi Pollution Control Committee
5th and 6th Floor, ISBT Building
Kashmere Gate, Delhi – 110 006

..with a request to upload the addendum on DPCC website and sensitise the concerned stakeholders in Delhi

2. Member Secretary
U.P. Pollution Control Board
3rd Floor, PICUP Bhawan, Vibhuti Khand,
Gomti Nagar
Lucknow - 226 020

..with a request to upload the addendum on UPPCB website and sensitise the concerned stakeholders in NCR districts of UP

3. Member Secretary
Haryana State Pollution Control Board
C-11, Sector - 6, Panchkula
Haryana – 134109

..with a request to upload the addendum on HSPCB website and sensitise the concerned stakeholders in the state of Haryana

4. Member Secretary
Rajasthan State Pollution Control Board
A-4, Jalane Dungri Institutional Area
Jaipur - 302 004

..with a request to upload the addendum on RSPCB website and sensitise the concerned stakeholders in NCR districts of Rajasthan

5. Member Secretary
Punjab State Pollution Control Board
Nabha Road, ITI Rd, Adarsh Nagar,
Prem Nagar, Patiala – 147001, Punjab

..with a request to upload the addendum on PPCB website and sensitise the concerned stakeholders in the state of Punjab

Copy to:

- 1. PPS to Additional Secretary (CP)**
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jorbagh Road, New Delhi – 110 003
- 2. PS to Chairman, CPCB**
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- 3. PS to Member Secretary, CPCB**
CPCB, Delhi
- 4. Member Secretary**
Commission for Air Quality Management
in National Capital Region and Adjoining Areas,
17th Floor, Jawahar Vyapar Bhawan (STC Building),
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