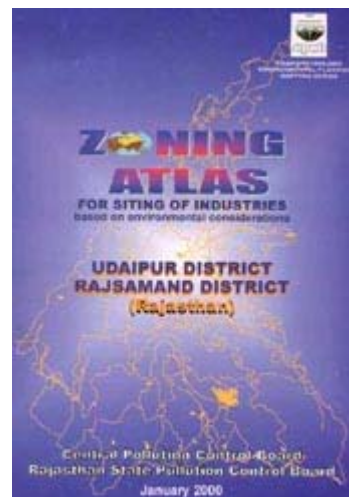


Zoning Atlas - Udaipur District (Rajasthan)

Foreword

Central Pollution Control Board introduced an environmental planning programme known as "Zoning Atlas for Siting of Industries" in 1995 for identifying and delineating the environmentally sensitive zones and helping in achieving developmental objectives, especially those of industries, in an environmentally friendly manner. Capacities are being built on various technical aspects related to planning and mapping, on interpretation of data/maps/information for making decisions, on GIS, remote sensing applications, modeling, etc. as well as on the application/usage of the results generated under the programme. The program is a part of the World Bank funded Environmental Management Capacity Building Project.

The technical support is provided by the German Agency for Technical Co-operation (GTZ) under the Indo-German Bilateral Programme. State of Punjab, Ludhiana District was taken up by the Punjab Pollution Control Board as a part of the pilot phase in 1995 with the technical support of GTZ. Although, the Atlas of this District was made available for official use much earlier, owing to certain technical problems, this could not be made available for public use.



Through constant R&D efforts and with the support of GTZ, CPCB has now worked out GIS solutions for speeding up printing of The present Atlas is, one of the first outputs of these efforts

We hope, this Atlas will help the industrial entrepreneurs and the Government agencies in proper siting of industrial units.

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