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ORDER

Whereas, National Green Tribunal vide its various order in OA 21 of 2014 titled "Vardhaman Kaushik Vs. Union of India & Ors." Regarding Air Pollution in Delhi, has passed certain directions for controlling environment pollution.

And whereas, National Green Tribunal vide its order passed 28.04.2015 in aforesaid matter has directed prohibition of burning of any kind of garbage leaves, waste, plastic, rubber, self-moulding compound and such other materials in the open.

And whereas, National Green Tribunal has also fixed compensation to be paid for violation in term of the Section 15 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010 for polluting the environment.

Any Whereas, National Green Tribunal vide its order dated 28.04.2015 has imposed compensation on burning of any kind of garbage leaves, waste plastic, rubber, self-moulding compound and such other material in open as under:

...(5) "...the person who is found actually burning such material and/or responsible for or abating such burning would be liable to pay compensation in terms of the Section 15 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010 for polluting the environment and would be liable to pay a sum of Rs. 5000/- to be paid instantaneously."

And whereas, the order of the NGT is to be complied by designated officer as a decree/order of Civil Court.

Therefore, in pursuance to NGT orders Deputy Tehsildar and above in District Administration; Sanitary Inspector and above of Municipal Corporation of Delhi; Sanitary Inspector and above of New Delhi Municipal Council, are hereby authorized to levy compensation for burning of leaves, garbage, plastic, rubber etc in open.

The compensation amount so collected is to be deposited in Delhi Pollution Control Committee having Account No. 10166741672, IFSC Code SBIN0005715 in State Bank of India, ISBT Kashmere Gate, Delhi.

Monthly action taken report to be submitted by the designated officers to Delhi Pollution Control Committee, without fail.



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To,

1. Commissioner, Municipal Corporation of Delhi: **with request to circulate to all Sanitary Inspectors and above.**
2. Chairman New Delhi Municipal Council: **with request to circulate to all Sanitary Inspectors and above.**
3. Divisional Commissioner Delhi: **with request to circulate to all Deputy Tehsildars and above.**

Copy for kind information to:

1. Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
2. Secretary to Hon'ble Minister (Environment), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
3. Secretary to all Ministers, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
4. S.O to Chief Secretary, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
5. Member Secretary, Delhi Pollution Control Committee.
6. CEO, Delhi Cantonment Board, Delhi Cantt.
7. PS to Secretary (Environment), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.



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