

HOME DEPARTMENT
GOVT. OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
5th FLOOR, B-WING, DELHI SECRETARIAT
I.P. ESTATE, NEW DELHI

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas Hon'ble Supreme Court vide order dated 23rd October, 2018 in WP (C) No.728 of 2015, has directed that for preventing air pollution during Diwali "particular area/fields would be pre-identified and pre-designated for 'community firecracking'", the Government of Delhi in consultation with stakeholders has decided as follows -

1. Community firecracking is permitted to be held in all public places / fields where with permission of Police, Ramlila was held and Ravan effigies were burnt during last Dusshera celebrations.
2. Community firecracking can also be held in identified public places for which necessary intimation has to be given to the local SDM/SHO and consent obtained. A list of such places is available on the website of Govt. of NCTD of Delhi (Delhi.gov.in)
3. Community firecracking will be done in the designated places only during 8.00 PM to 10.00 PM.
4. No community firecracking will be done in Silent Zones.
5. All organizers shall ensure that necessary safety and security arrangements are in place for community firecracking.

All Delhiites are requested to kindly cooperate and ensure that Diwali is celebrated in a safe and clean manner without causing air pollution or fire hazards.

Issued in public interest by the Home Department, Govt. of NCT of Delhi.

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