DELHI POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE



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Sub: Direction under section 31 (A) of Air (Pollution and Control of Pollution) Act 1981 read with Rule 20A(6) of the Air (Pollution and Control of Pollution) (Union Territories) Rules, Act 1983 to control dust emission from major construction sites, C&D Waste sites and roads in Delhi.

Whereas, Central Pollution Control Board is the State Board for all the Union Territories to exercise powers and performs functions under the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981.

And whereas, Central Pollution Control Board has delegated all its powers and functions under Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 in respect of NCT of Delhi to Delhi Pollution Control Committee vide Notification No. S.O. 198(E) dated 15.03.1991.

And whereas, whole of union territory of Delhi has been declared as air pollution control area vide Notification No. GSR 106(E) dated 20.02.1987 under sub-section (1) of section 19 of the said Air Act, 1981.

And whereas, as per section 17 (1) (a) of Air Act 1981, Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC) is to plan a comprehensive program for the prevention, control and abatement of air pollution and to secure execution thereof.

And whereas, Delhi is facing dust storm like conditions and observed increase in concentration of PM₁₀ due to trans-boundary movement of dust from Arabian Peninsula as informed by IMD and CPCB. Delhi is observing increased dust concentration since 2nd-Aug-2018.

Keeping in view of curbing unusual concentration of particulate in Delhi in respect of high PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} levels w.r.t. Air Pollution and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 31(A) of the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 read with Rule 20A (6) of the Air Rules, 1983, All the Municipal Bodies, Govt. Construction Agencies (As per list) here by directed to have strict vigil and take stringent steps to control dust from major construction sites, C& D Waste sites etc. in their jurisdiction with immediate effect from 03/08/2018 for dust suppression from the roads, construction sites etc. as dust is the one of the major sources of air pollution and by minimizing the contribution of this source; it is expected to bring down the air pollution levels substantially

All the agencies to daily submit Action Taken Report (ATR) to "DPCC" on Email id msdpcc@nic.in.

In case of non-compliance, action as per the provisions contained in Section 37 of the Air Act, 1981 shall be initiated against all defaulters.

This issues with the approval of Chairman, DPCC.

(SM. All) Member Secretary

To,

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- 8. Secretary, Irrigation & Flood Control Dept, Govt. of N.C.T. Delhi, New Delhi.
- Director General CPWD, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
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