

**Minutes of the Airfield Environment Management Committee Meeting Held on  
24.09.2013 at Department of Environment, GNCTD**

**Venue:** Conference room, Department of Environment, 6<sup>th</sup> Level, 'C' Wing, Delhi  
Secretariat, New Delhi

**Date :** 24 Sept 2013

**Time :** 1600 Hrs

Airfield Environment Management Committee meeting was convened on 24.09.2013 at Conference room of Department of Environment, Level 6, 'C' Wing, Delhi Secretariat.

The list of participants of the meeting is attached as **Annexure I**.

DIAL, Associate Vice President, Mr. Ashutosh Kulshreshtha welcomed the Chairman, Mr. Sanjiv Kumar, Secretary (Environment) Govt. of NCT Delhi for the meeting and participants & other officers.

With due permission of the Chair, Dr. M. Muthukrishnan, Associate General Manager (Environment) made a presentation detailing the actions already taken and those required to be taken, as per the current status, by each agency/department as per AEMC meeting held on 17.01.2013. He also presented certain additional issues that required action from concerned department. To enhance effectiveness, action point were divided into 4 categories and discussed.

- A) Issues requiring Immediate Action & Legal Improvement
- B) Issues requiring Urgent One Time Action
- C) Issues requiring Constant attention
- D) Bird management System & Infrastructural Improvement

**A) Issues requiring Immediate Action & Legal Improvement :**

**A1) Illegal waste dumping & De-skinning of Animals at Rangpuri Pahadi (Action: Delhi Police, SDMC, DGCA, DDA, DOE&F, DIAL)**

DIAL informed that area has three concerns viz; illegal slaughtering & dumping of animal remains, large quantity of garbage dumped & segregation facilities for waste. DIAL also emphasized for urgent action as this area is under flight funnel.

Chairman directed all concerned departments to co-ordinate their efforts and take necessary action immediately. Officials of DDA & Forests department, GNCTD were directed to clarify on the land ownership. Chairman also directed for combined visit of all concerned departments to the area to sort out the issue.

**A2) Illegal Meat Selling in Indra Market – R. K. Puram and irregular removal of garbage /slaughter waste from drain/area by SDMC. (Action: SDMC, DDA, DIAL, Delhi Police)**

DIAL informed that Boundary Wall has been built but is not effective in preventing animal remains waste from being thrown in the drain and there is a need to add wire mesh.

SDMC veterinary department representative responded that SDMC (Vet. Department) has conducted regular raids along with police.

Chairman directed that waste bins (1 bins per shop) for removal of animal waste may be provided by SDMC along with waste collection provision & DDA should increase height of boundary wall using wire mesh to avoid any dumping waste in the nearby water drain.

**A3) Removal of illegal meat and fish shops and animal waste from Dabri More. (Action: SDMC, DIAL, Delhi Police)**

DIAL informed that illegal market has been removed; only a few shops are evident.

DIAL suggested that waste management around the area where meat & fish market is proposed needs to be made better.

Chairman directed SDMC to improve waste management in the market and also directed Municipal Corporation to keep the animal waste management system requirement as license criteria for any meat shops in Delhi to ensure the licensed shops has necessary provision for waste collection and disposal.

**B) Issues requiring Urgent One time Action (Animal & Sewage) :**

**B1) Relocation of Blue Bulls to Asola Bhati Sanctuary**

DIAL informed that work is under progress & survey is being done. Approval for Capturing & relocation is awaited from Chief Wildlife Warden Office.

Chairman directed the officials of Department of Forests & Wildlife to complete the task by 1<sup>st</sup> December 2013.

**B2) Sewage from Mahipal Pur and Rangpuri flowing towards airport and accumulates (Action: PWD, DDA, DJB, DIAL)**

DIAL informed that the issue has been resolved.



**C) Issues requiring constant attention & legal Improvement (Garbage) :**

**C1) Garbage Disposal around Dwarka Area (Action: SDMC)**

DIAL informed that DIAL has been doing monitoring in Dwarka area and vicinity. The main issue is regular waste removal and provision of more covered bins.

Chairman directed SDMC to deploy more bins in Dwarka & asked SDMC to remove waste materials and increase the frequency of waste collection and disposal.

**C2) Wastewater logging and solid waste Dumping near Nasirpur and cleaning of drains near DDA Flats Nasirpur ( Action: SDMC, I&FC)**

DIAL informed that I & FC has taken necessary measures to clean the drain & the drain is clean now.

The remaining issue is of Garbage being dumped inside & outside the drain rather than at nearby dhalao. SDMC needs to strengthen waste management in nearby colonies.

Chairman directed SDMC to ensure the materials are not dumped improperly and directed I&FC to place fencing to avoid any further dumping in that locations.

**C3) Garbage dumping in open near Manglapuri Bus Terminal and illegal meat shops in Manglapuri. (Action: SDMC, Delhi Police)**

DIAL informed that new Dhalao has been constructed. Joint surveys are being conducted. There is a need to strengthen waste management in nearby colonies.

Chairman directed SDMC to increase the frequency of waste removal and not to keep waste dumping/segregation open at the location and provide collection bins and Dhalaos around the locations.

Action to be taken against offenders by Delhi Police and SDMC.

**C4) Garbage dump and illegal meat shop at Shahbad Mohammadpur Village (Action: SDMC)**

DIAL emphasized that garbage is scattered in all areas adjacent to airport boundary. There is a need to increase frequency of garbage removal.

Chairman directed SDMC to increase the frequency of waste removal and place the bins/ Dhalaos in the required locations to resolve this issue. Further, Chairman directed SDMC and DDA to have joint visit and identify the place for bins/dhalaos.

## **D) Bird management System & Infrastructural Improvement**

### **D1) Cleaning of drains in Dwarka Zone. (Action: DDA, SDMC)**

DIAL informed that metallic sheet & fencing of drain is completed. However, improper cleaning of drain is resulting into waste accumulation at airport area.

Chairman appreciated the work done by DDA and directed for improvement in regular cleaning and inspection of drains to avoid any waste accumulation.

### **D2) Proper maintenance of waste dump sites (Ghaziipur)**

DIAL informed that site is away from IGI airport but has significant Pariah Kite activity. Proposed use of solid waste in energy plants & redevelopment of site shall help in reducing bird menace.

Chairman directed that the issue be taken up with Urban Department by the Environment Department, GNCTD.

### **D3) Bird Concentration over Sadar Bazar – Regular garbage disposal in Sadar Bazar area & illegal meat slaughtering (Action: SDMC, Police)**

DIAL informed that site is away from IGI airport but has significant Pariah Kite activity.

Chairman directed SDMC to increase the frequency of waste removal and incorporate standard waste management requirements in the license for the collection and disposal of meat waste to all meat/meat processing units at Delhi.

### **D4) Bijwasan Village (Bharthal) (Action: SDMC)**

DIAL informed that no bins are placed due to which garbage/waste is scattered. Frequency of waste removal should be increased.

Chairman directed SDMC to place bins/ dhalao and increase the frequency of waste removal.

### **D5) Removal of animal waste from Pankha road drain (Action: I&FC)**

As informed by officials of I & FC dept., animal waste has been removed from the drain and it has been cleaned.



#### **D6) Bird activity at Cantonment Area**

Chairman directed Officials of Forests & Wildlife Department to look into issue of birds roosting at cantonment area & to ensure that development of tree plantation/ green cover in the airport funnel should be non-conducive to bird attraction. Efforts for greening are being made in that area; however Forest Department to ensure that only those tree saplings are planted that do not produce fruit and attract birds.

#### **E) New Point**

##### **E1) Removal of waste after Socio-Culture events around IGI Airport: DDA Socio Cultural Centre Sector 11: (Action Required: DDA, SDMC)**

DIAL raised issue of waste dumping after social events & requested that a clause of waste removal be incorporated into permissions for such events as the left over waste attracts birds.

Chairman directed all departments to be more vigilant & ensure removal of left over garbage after social functions. DDA and SDMC should ensure that the permission to any socio-culture events around airport to be given with the condition of removing waste immediately after the events.

At the end Chairman concluded by appreciating the efforts of all departments & asked them to continue working to improve the situation

Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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## ANNEXURE I

**Attendance sheet of officials attending the Airfield Environment Management Committee Meeting held on 24.09.2013 at Delhi Secretariat, New Delhi**

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