#### HARYANA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD C-11, SECTOR6, PANCHKUL Ph- OI72 -2577870-73 Fax No. 2581201 E-mail: hspcbsolidwaste@gmail.com

#### OFFICE ORDER

# Subject:-Procedure for obtaining authorization under Bio Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 (as amended) by the health care facilities bedded/non-bedded and others.

Whereas the GoI, MoEF& CC, vide notification dated 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2016 has framed the Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016, which applies to all persons who generate, collect, receive, store, transport, treat, dispose, or handle bio medical waste in any form including hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, dispensaries, veterinary institutions, animal houses, pathological laboratories, blood banks, ayush, hospitals, clinical establishments, research or educational institutions, health camps, medical or surgical camps, vaccination camps, blood donation camps, first aid rooms of schools, forensic laboratories and research labs.

Whereas rule 7 of these rules, 2016 says that Bio Medical waste shall be treated and disposed of in accordance with Schedule I of these rules, and in compliance with the standards provided in Schedule II by the Health Care Facilities (HCF) and Common Bio Medical Waste Treatment Facility (CBMWTF). No occupier shall establish onsite treatment and disposal facility, if a service of CBMWTF is available within a distance of 75 Kilometer.

Whereas in view of rule 10 of Bio Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 every occupier or operator handling Bio Medical Waste, irrespective of the quantity shall obtain authorization from Haryana State Pollution Control Board. The authorization shall be one time for non-bedded occupiers and the period of authorization for bedded HCFs and others shall be synchronized with the validity of consents issued by Haryana State Pollution Control Board. The procedure for obtaining authorization under Bio Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 was issued vide office order endst. no. HSPCB/2018/4110 dated 24.05.2018. While providing the information in context to Business Reform Action Plan (BRAP), the said procedure has been examined and after deliberate discussion, it was felt that the existing procedure needs to be modified. Consequently, a new procedure has been framed and in accordance with the new procedure, every occupier or operator of a facility shall apply for obtaining authorization (fresh/renewal) under Bio-Medical Waste Rule through online portal of HEPC at https://investharyana.in/#/ alongwith the documents as per checklist enclosed at Annexure-A. The application for renewal of authorization shall be submitted by every occupier or operator of a facility at least 60 days before expiry period of authorization. Further, the time period for disposal of application shall be 30 days as prescribed under Right to Service Act available on the website of the Board.

Whereas Haryana State Pollution Control Board has framed consent management procedure vide order bearing no. HSPCB/PLG/2020/1767-93 dated 04.12.2020, wherein as per para 1.16 of the above said policy order, it has been prescribed that in case the unit is covered under Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016, E-Waste (Management) Rules, 2016, Plastic Waste Management Rules, 2016 and Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016, it shall simultaneously apply for the grant of authorization/registration under the relevant provisions of these Rules. However, in context to the authorization under Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, the Regional Officers of the Board are already empowered vide agenda item no. 140.5 to grant authorization for the HCFs having bed strength less than 50 numbers. Therefore, Regional Officers of the Board shall exercise their powers already delegated by the Board vide agenda item no. 140.5 for grant/refusal of authorization under BMWM Rules for the HCFs having bed strength less than 50 numbers or non-bedded, and the authorization cases of HCFs having bed strength 50 or more shall be recommended by Regional Officers to HEPC for grant/refusal with detailed facts as per the procedure already defined by the Board vide order no. HSPCB/PLG/2020/1767-93 dated 04.12.2020.

Therefore, in supersession of the existing procedure issued by the Board vide order endst. no. HSPCB/2018/4110 dated 24.05.2018, the above said new procedure is hereby introduced, which shall be applicable with immediate effect.

Dated: Panchkula the 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 (Vineet Garg) IAS Chairman

#### Endst. NO. HSPCB/SWM&PLG/2025/1/265598

Dated: 07 02 2025.

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

- 1. Chief Environmental Engineer I & II.
- 2. All Branch Incharges(HQ). SEE (IT) is requested to upload the above orders on the website of the Board.
- 3. All Regional Officers in the field.
- 4. P.S. to Chairman/PA to M.S. for information of the officers.

(Satinder Pal) SEE SWM & PLG Cell For: Chairman<sub>H</sub>

## Annexure-A

# Checklist for Bedded / Non-Bedded HCFs and others covered under BMW Rules, 2016 (as amended):

- i. Online application form duly filled up complete in all respect.
- ii. Fee required:-Nil.
- iii. Copy of valid CTE/CTO issued by HSPCB (except those covered under white category).
- iv. Copy of agreement executed with CBWTF for collection, treatment and disposal of Bio Medical Waste.
- $v_{\cdot}$  Proof regarding adoption of bar code system.
- vi. Copy of annual return of last preceding year (applicable for renewal of authorization).
- vii. Self-declaration/undertaking as per Annexure- I.

## **Annexure-I**

#### Subject: Self declaration/ undertaking to be submitted for obtaining authorization from HSPCB under Bio Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 (as amended)

I \_\_\_\_\_\_ am the sole Prop. / Partner/ Director and address of facility) \_\_\_\_\_\_ (name and address of do hereby solemnly declare and affirm as under:-

- 1. That above stated Health care Establishment is a (specify type eg. Hospital/ Clinic or Blood Bank or Clinical Laboratory or Research Institute or Veterinary Hospital or any other etc.) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_and having \_\_\_\_\_ no. of bed/beds.
- 2. That we have adopted Barcode System and also made agreement with CBWTF authorized by HSPCB.
- 3. That the entire Bio Medical Waste generated by our facility is being / will be segregated at the source in specified bins and finally handed over to the CBWTF as per agreement executed.
- 4. That my healthcare facility is cover at sr. no. \_\_\_\_\_ of Red/Orange/Green/White categories specified by the Board vide policy order dated 04.12.2020 (as amended from time to time) and having liquid waste treatment facility (ETP/STP/Both).
- 5. That the treated liquid waste is being discharged into public sewer connected with terminal STP/ into public sewer not connected with terminal STP/On land for irrigation or percolation or plantation or green belt etc. \_\_\_\_\_\_,after meeting the standards/norms prescribed under BMW Rules.
- 6. That we will comply with all the applicable provisions of Bio-medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 as amended.
- 7. That we will comply all applicable Rules/Directions/Instructions/ Guidelines issued from time to time by the Board/Govt./CPCB/MoEF/Hon'ble NGT etc.
- 8. That we have provided all the information in the application correct and the statement given above is true to the best of my knowledge and nothing has been concealed therein.

Dated: Place:

(Signature with seal)