

HARYANA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD C-11, SECTOR-6, PANCHKULA



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1. Director, Environment Department, SCO-1, 2 & 3, Sector-17 D, Chandigarh.

2. Director, Urban Local Bodies Department, Bays No. 11 & 12, Sector-4, Panchkula.

3. Director, Industries Department, 30 Bays Building, Secotr-17, Chandigarh.

Sub: Proceedings of 4th Meeting of RRC to be held on 22.1.2019 at 1100 hrs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector 6, Panchkula- reg.

Sir,

Kindly refer to the subject noted above.

In this connection, I have been directed to enclose herewith the proceedings of 4th Meeting of RRC held on 22.01.2019 in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector 6, Panchkula regarding preparation of Action Plan for polluted river stretches as per NGT orders dated 20.09.2018 in the matter OA No. 673 of 2018 titled More River Stretches are now critically polluted: CPCB for information and necessary action please.

DA/As Above

Environment Engineer (HQ) For Member Secretary

Endst. No. HSPCB/ WC- 255/ 5483 - 5508

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A copy of the above is forward to the following for information. They are requested to arrange to send action taken report and future action plan of the department on issues mentioned in the proceedings.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forest, Sector 6, Panchkula.

- Chief Administrator, HSVP, Sector 06, Panchkula.
- MD, HSIIDC, Sector 6, Panchkula.
- Director, Development & Panchayat Department, Plot No. 3, Sector-28-A, Chandigarh.
- Director, Agriculture Department, Krishi Bhawan, Sector 21, Panchkula.
- CEO, GMDA, Gurugram.
- 7. EIC, Irrigation Department, Sinchai Bhawan, Sector 5, Panchkula.
- EIC, Public Health Department, Sector 4, Panchkula.
- Director General, Health Services, Sector 6, Panchkula.
- 10. Pond Development Authority, Panchkula.
- 11. Commissioner, MCG, Gurugram
- 12. Commissioner, MCF, Faridabad
- 11. Regional Officer, HSPCB, Panchkula, Yamuna Nagar, Panipat, Sonipat, Bahadurgarh, Ballabgarh, Faridabad, Gurgaon (N) & (S).
- 12. EE (Waste Management), EE (IT)
- 13. EE (Publicity Cell).14. P.S. to Chairman.
- 15. P.A to Member Secretary.

DA/ As above.

Environment Engineer (HQ) For Member Secretary Proceedings of 4th Meeting of RRC to be held on 22.1.2019 at 1100 hrs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector 6, Panchkula- reg.

The 4th Meeting of RRC was held on 22.01.2019 in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector 6, Panchkula for finalizing the Action Plans for polluted river stretches as per NGT orders dated 20.09.2018 in the matter OA No. 673 of 2018 titled More River Stretches are now critically polluted: CPCB. The list of participants is enclosed as **Annexure-A**.

Member Secretary, HSPCB briefed about the action plan on river Ghaggar and Yamuna. He further emphasized that Chairman, Executing Committee has taken up the matter regarding non submission or incomplete submission of action plan for River Ghaggar very seriously. It was also apprised to the departments that the NGT has passed order dated 19.12.2018 in the matter of OA No. 673 of 2018 More River Stretches are now critically polluted:CPCB. The Hon'ble NGT has directed to submit the revised plan by 31.01.2019, failing which compensation of Rs. 1 crore per month shall be taken from the State till the Action Plan is complete. Further, the Bank Guarantee of Rs. 15 crore for River Ghaggar and Rs. 15 crore for River Yamuna has to be submitted by the State for execution of both the Action Plans. Thereafter, the agenda was taken one by one and the proceeding are given as under:-

- 1. ATR for minutes of meeting held on 03.01.2019 under Chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Haryana regarding the Action Plan for rivers (Yamuna and Ghaggar)
- i. Identification of points for untreated discharge.

JP Singh, EE, HSPCB informed that the Irrigation Department has given the points where the effluent is being released into drains/ river. But all the towns are yet to be covered and reports have not been submitted by the Irrigation Department for the towns of Kurukshetra, Jind, Fatehabad, Hisar, Panipat, Samalkha, Palwal, Nuh, Beri, Kalanaur, Meham, Sampla, Ganaur, Hathin, Hodal, Sohana, Asandh, Traori, Indri, karnal, Radaur, Chhachhrauli, Nilokheri and Kharkhoda. Irrigation Department was also requested earlier to give the latitude/ longitude of the points for River Ghaggar and River Yamuna alongwith actual quantity of effluent in the Drains/ sub drains. But the report submitted by them is incomplete and the capacity of the Drain has been given istead of actual quantum of effluent. The Nodal Officers were not aware of the reports submitted by them. The Member Secretary directed them to immediately complete the data and send the same so that it could be incorporated in the Action Plans for River Yamuna and Ghaggar.

The effluent at the above mentioned points may be coming from areas of jurisdiction of PHED, HSVP, ULBD, HSIIDC, Panchayats Department and GMDA. It was decided in the meeting that all the HODs may issue directions to their district level officers to prepare the time bound action plan for their respective areas by 25.01.2019 and submit the same to HSPCB. The directions in this regard have already been issued to the District Level Task Forces by the HSPCB.

(Action by Irrigation Department, PHED, HSVP, ULBD, HSIIDC, Panchayats Deptt. and GMDA)

ii. Dredging & de-silting of drains in the cities.

EE, HSPCB informed that the Departments of Irrigation, GMDA and ULBD were advised to give the list with the names of the drains de-silted in a particular month and the drains to be de-silted in coming months may also be indicated, in compliance of the directions of Hon'ble NGT by 10.01.2019 so that the same can be incorporated in the main plan but the same has not been submitted. The officers of GMDA and MCG informed that they have prepared the action plan for de-silting of drains of Gurugram but no plan for the State received from ULBD even after directions from Chief Secretary in the meeting held on 03.01.2019. The officers of GMDA and ULBD were advised to submit the same by 25.01.2019.

Further, the officers of GMDA informed that they have no plan to uncover the drains in Gurugram. The RO, HSPCB, Gurugram South was advised to send the report regarding non-covering of the Drains and GMDA was advised to take up the matter in the Hon'ble NGT alongwith their justification for non-compliance of the directions of Hon'ble NGT in the matter of OA No.454 of 2018- Subhash Gupta Vs UOI & Others.

(Action by HSPCB, ULBD and GMDA)

iii. Tapping of sewage of unapproved colonies to existing sewers.

EE, HSPCB informed that the decision has been taken on 20.09.2018 in the meeting held under Chairmanship of Chief Secretary to tap the effluent/ drains of unapproved colonies and put into the nearest existing sewers leading to the STPs for treatment. Principal Secretary, ULB Department has assured that the monthly action plan or progress reports for diverting/ tapping of sewage from points of release of untreated discharge will be submitted by 10.01.2019 but no plan has been received. The monthly action plan be submitted along with the quantum of sewage diverted and connected to existing sewers urgently so that the same could be included in the main Action Plan by 25.01.2019.

(Action by ULBD)

iv. Action Plan for STPs

The members were informed that the work for STPs/ Sewerage has been delayed and the target work for month of December, 2018 were not achieved in certain cases pertaining to ULBD and the same has been reported in the previous meeting also. ULBD was requested to initiate action to bridge the gap as per action plan and to strictly monitor the progress as per their commitment. The PHED has given monthly plans but the same are incomplete. They were advised to submit the complete plan till the project is finally executed. The ULBD has given quarterly plan instead of monthly. The GMDA and MCG have not submitted monthly targets for the project activities. The Panchayats Department have neither sent the report nor attended the meeting. The HSIIDC was also advised to send the monthly targets regarding CETPs.

It was decided that all the departments shall give their monthly target for under construction STPs/ CETPs and sewerage laying of works by 25.01.2019 as the matter has already been discussed in the previous meeting and delayed.

(Action by PHED, ULBD, GMDA, HSVP, HSIIDC and Panchayats Deptt.)

v. Agriculture Practices:-

The officers of the Agriculture Department did not attend any of the meetings of River Rejuvenation Committee despite prior intimation.

(Action by Agriculture Deptt.)

vi. Disposal of sewage through tankers.

EE, HSPCB informed that MCG has formulated a mechanism for transporting the septage through tanker in Gurugram. ULBD was advised in the previous meeting to prepare an Action Plan for all towns of Haryana after examining the system adopted in MCG and sent the same to Board by 10.01.2019. But no such plan received from ULBD.

The Officer of MCG informed that work flow has been submitted to Board and the work for transporting the sewage has been just started and they will give the detail regarding quantum of sewage collected and disposed by the first week of Feb, 2019.

The MCG was advised to submit the data by 25.01.2019 for whatever progress they have done on ground. The ULBD was advised to send the plan for all the towns by 25.01.2019 as the matter has already been discussed in the previous meeting and delayed.

(Action by ULBD)

vii. Area having no plan for installation of STPs/ CETPs.

EE, HSPCB apprised that there is requirement for plan to treat the effluent of Sector-18, 34, 37, IDC Gurugram and Behrampur Industrial Area but neither HSIIDC nor GMDA owned the responsibility. Similarly, there is no plan for Sector-24, 25, 27-A, B, C and D in Faridabad, where MCG and HSIIDC have to finalize the same. As per directions of the Chief Secretary given in the meeting dated 03.01.2019, the matter was to be resolved within a week by ACS, Industry with PS, ULBD and PS, TCP. The representatives of the Industry Department and ULBD were not aware of the decisions. They were advised to take up the matter immediately and ensure the decisions in this matter as directed by Chief Secretary, Haryana.

Regarding the Action Plan for treatment of effluent from area near Delhi Border in Sonepat, industries Department has already prepared the DPR to HSIIDC and as per decisions of the Chief Secretary, the DPR has been sent to DC, Sonepat for examination and implementation. Therefore, DC, Sonepat has to decide the issue, Sh. JP Singh apprised.

The representative of HSVP informed that they have already submitted time bound proposal for CETP at Sector-25 Part-I and Part-II, Panipat. But they have not

submitted plan for Hathin area so far. All were advised to complete action as per decisions of the meeting of the Chief Secretary.

(Action by Industries Deptt., HSIIDC, GMDA, MCF/ ULBD and HSVP)

viii. Organizing Health Camps

EE, HSPCB informed that the Health Department has submitted the Action Plan for organizing health camps and a committee has been constituted by PGIMS, Rohtak to carry out the epidemiological study for disease profiles of the people in the catchment of Rivers. But Health Department has not invited the Chairman of the Executing Committee for the camps as per decision taken in the previous meetings. The officer of Heath Department was again directed to invite the Chairman of the Executing Committee for the camps to be scheduled in this week. The Officer of Heath Department agreed that he shall persuade with the Department for the same. The authenticated proofs of the health camps organized be submitted.

(Action by Health Department)

ix. Treatment of sewages in villages.

The villages have been found discharging into drains leading to River Yamuna and Ghaggar. The Panchayats Department has to submit the time bound Action Plan to control the pollution. They have to execute the work or get it done through some other Departments.

EE, HSPCB informed that the Panchayats Department was requested to prepare an Action Plan for treating the effluent for each village, discharging the domestic effluent into nearby Drain and arrange to control the pollution and river. The Department was requested to conduct an extensive survey for identification of pollution sources in such villages and submit the Action Plan to the Board latest by 10.01.2019 for incorporating in the main Plan but no plan is received from the Panchayats Department. The Panchayats Department has not even nominated its Nodal Officer despite of several requests. Also the absence of representative from the Panchayats department was noted.

(Action by Panchayats Department)

x. Non submission of ATRs by SESTF and DSTF

MS, HSPCB apprised that the State Govt. has already constituted Special Task Forces in districts along rivers, but the ATRs from the District Level Committee are not being submitted by them regularly as mandated by NGT. As HSPCB has been uploading all such reports on the website, and the same available in public domain as well as regularly reviewed by the Monitoring Committee of NGT, the SESTFs may be sensitized in this regard and the ACS, Environment has advised the Deputy Commissioners concerned to do the needful through a demi-official communication. EE, JP Singh, informed that the performas have been devised and circulated for sending the monthly ATRs by SESTF and DSTF.

(Action by SESTF and DSTF)

2. Regular Inspection of common wall of drain no. 6 and 8 at Sonepat

The representative of Irrigation Deptt. informed that they have constructed the cross bund in the Drain No. 8. Hence, there is no possibility of discharge from drain No. 8 to River Yamuna. The Regional Officer Sonepat has been advised to get the inspection done and submit his report and also place the matter for information of SESTF also.

(Action by Irrigation Department and RO, HSPCB)

3. Ground water

EE, HSPCB informed that the conditions for obtaining permission from CGWA for withdrawal of ground water has to be imposed while granting CTE. The order in this regard shall be issued by the Planning Cell of HSPCB. The latest status regarding incorporation of this mandatory condition is required to be submitted in the updated Action Plan. In the mean time, the Regional Officers should prepare the list of the industries which are already having permission from CGWA along with the quantum permitted to each industry. The CGWB has not sent the action plan for contaminated blocks of ground water in basin of river Ghaggar and Yamuna. They have been requested to give the action plan for the same.

(Action by HSPCB, CGWA)

4. Plan for e-waste management by HSPCB/ULBD.

The Regional Officers and Waste Management Cell were previously advised to submit the action plan on monthly basis to be incorporated in the Action Plan but no plan is received.

(Action by HSPCB)

5. Plan for plastic waste management by HSPCB/ULBD.

EE, HSPCB informed that the ULBD has framed a policy for plastic waste management but the action on ground need to be reported. Action plan for plastic waste management alongwith the quantum of waste generated and the future course of action for waste management was desired from ULBD but no such plan has been submitted by ULBD. The official of ULBD was asked to submit the same by 25.01.2019.

(Action by HSPCB and ULBD)

6. Organizing Health Camps

Already discussed at Agenda Item No. 1 (vii).

(Action by Health Department)

7. Pond Development Authority

EE, JP Singh informed that in the meeting held on 17.01.2019 with DCs regarding Ghaggar action plan, the Chief Secretary has directed that the action

of pond Development Authority should also be integrated in the Ghaggar Action plan. The officer from Pond Development authority was asked to give the mandate of their department and provide the figures of ponds identified in both rural and urban areas and further action plan to increase their charging capacity.

(Action by Pond Development Authority)

8. Action taken on the points of Action Plan for river Yamuna and Ghaggar submitted before the NGT- Annexure- 2 & 3.

It was informed by EE, JP Singh that the performas have been prepared for submitting the monthly action taken report by SESTFs and DSTF constituted at the district level for both river Yamuna and Ghaggar. ROs were requested to submit the ATR on the prescribed performa in time. The Nodal Officers of the departments should also compile the Action Taken Reports of their departments on the performas circulated (Annexure- A & B).

(Action by SESTF, DSTF and all the concerned Departments)

Meeting ended with thanks to all participants.

List of Participants of the 4th Meeting of RRC held on 22.1.2019 at 1100 hrs in conference room of HSPCB, C-11, Sector- 6, Panchkulareg.

Sr. Name and Designation/ Department

No.

- 1. Sh. S Narayanan, IFS, Member Secretary, HSPCB, Panchkula
- 2. Sh. Sujana Ram, MS, Haryana Pond & Waste Water Management Authority
- 3. Sh. KK Verma, CE, PHED, Panchkula
- 4. Sh. JP Singh, EE, HSPCB, Panchkula
- 5. Sh. Satish Goel, XEN, ULBD, Panchkula
- 6. Sh. Shakti Singh, RO, HSPCB, Gurugram South
- 7. Sh. Vikas Malik, XEN, MCG, Gurugram
- 8. Sh. Aditya Sharma, EE, HSVP, Panchkula
- 9. Sh. Vinay Sabharwal, XEN/ YWJ (N), Irrigation Department, Panchkula
- 10. Sh. JK Sorot, XEN II, GMDA, Gurugram
- 11. Sh. PK Garg, Addl. GM(IA), HSIIDC, Panchkula
- 12. Sh. Ranbir Singh, SDE, ULBD, Panchkula
- 13. Dr. Nitin Garg, O/o DGHS, Panchkula
- 14. Sh. Kamaljit Singh, AEE, HSPCB, Panchkula
- 15. Sh. Dinesh Yadav, AEE, HSPCB, Panipat
- 16. Dr. Kirti, Scientist-B, HSPCB, Panchkula
- 17. Sh. Divyansh Dutt, ADE-BWS, Irrigation Department, Panchkula
- 18. Sh. Lalit Malik, AEE, HSPCB, Sonepat
- 19. Sh. Rahul Barel, I&C, Asstt. Director, Industry Department
- 20. Sh. Shashi Bhushan, JEE, HSPCB, Bahadurgarh