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Dated: 20.09.2024

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All Regional Officer, HSPCB and Members of SESTFs

Sub: Proceedings of the meeting held 11.09.2024 at 11:00 AM under the Chairmanship of Sh. P. Raghavendra Rao, Chairman, HSPCB with SESTFs.

Please refer to the subjected noted above.

In this connection, I have been directed to enclose herewith the copy of proceedings of the meeting held 11.09.2024 at 11:00 AM under the Chairmanship of Sh. P. Raghavendra Rao, Chairman, HSPCB with SESTFs for information and necessary action please.

DA/ As above

Sr. Env. Engineer (HQ) For Chairman

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A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information please:-

- 1. CEE I and II, HSPCB.
- 2. PS to Chairman, HSPCB.
- 3. PA to Member Secretary, HSPCB.

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Right at the outset, the Chairman welcomed all participants. He exhorted members of SESTF to work in a mission mode towards cleaning of rivers vide order dated 15.09.2018, Hon'ble NGT has given the mandate to SESTFs to prepare action plan for cleaning of rivers. They should identify sources of pollution and also initiate civilian/ criminal proceeding against violators well as those who shield them. Simultaneously, the good activities should be rewarded also. This meeting is being held after a longtime but such meetings should be held on regular basis at level of RRC. Further, a lot of complaints for industrial pollution are being received on Grievance Redressal portal of NMCG which was launched as per NGT directions. In matter of OA No. 673/ 2018 "More River Stretches are critically polluted now". These complaints should spontaneously and immediately be addressed and action should be taken.

Thereafter, the Chairman requested Sh. JP Singh, SEE, HSPCB to take up the agenda one by one. The agenda points were discussed and after the discussions the proceedings are given in coming paras given as under:-

1. Complaints on NMCG Portal

It was briefed that NMCG Govt. of India marked the public grievance complaints to Chief Secretary, Haryana for redressal. The complaints were sent to concerned ROs for action through SESTFs. Most of time the name/ address of violators are not available and accordingly, the action for prosecution/ Environment Compensation is not taken. The violators continue their operation at some other place or same place. In this regard, it was suggested that the name of land owners to be taken as they allow illegal activity on their lands. The officers of Revenue Department and Electricity Department should also be invited for expeditious action. In case, they do not respond positively then matter be reported immediately to DC under intimation to the RRC. The violators should be identified at all cost. Most of the ROs informed that they have sent the ATR for complaints. It was conveyed that, many times, ROs send partial ATR i.e. SCN issued. It was clarified that complete action be taken and then send for disposal of complaints.

2. Offline OMDs of STPs / Industries

The STPs/ Industries are not displaying data. There are around 300 units offline every day. The violators have to be penalised. The SESTFs were advised to

check the no. of offline units on website of the Board and action be taken against offline units.

3. Action Plan for drains

Ministry of Jal Shakti, GOI has pointed out that Haryama State has put most of the infrastructure/ hardware for treatment of effluents but still the situation of drains have not improved. Some of the drains even gone worst with progress of Action Plan. The improvement is not upto desired level for last 6 years inspite of making huge expenditure.

Recently, there was news item for FIR against PSPCB and even the Hon'ble NGT had ordered for prosecution of Chairman/ MSPCB of Chattisgarh State. That is a totally undesirable situation and mostly due to non-performance of field functionaries. It was conveyed that drain wise action plan for all polluting sources has been submitted but it, nowhere address the pollution due to industries though the complaints on NMCG portal are almost about industrial pollution. RO Sonepat informed that action is being taken in case of HSIIDC Industrial area at Barhi, Sonepat. He was advised to look into matter of industrial effluent discharge into storm water drain of the industrial area. It should also be enquired how come a industry succeeds in making a effluent discharge connection into storm water drain. The responsible officer of HSIIDC for storm water drain should be taken action against.

On similar pattern, the drainwise action plan be prepared for river Ghaggar also. It has been sought numerous times in the past.

4. Visit by DC/ ADC

There is no visit by Senior Officers to the site of under construction projects i.e. STPs/ CETPs/ sewerage etc. The most of the project did not get completed in time and timelines keep on extending. The Chairman emphasised that such visits shall make a lot of difference in removing bottle necks and to meet with the targeted timelines for completion of the project.

Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair and also the participants.

Annexure

Sub:-List of participants of the meeting held 11.09.2024 at 11:00 AM under the Chairmanship of Sh. P. Raghavendra Rao, Chairman, HSPCB with SESTFs.

Sr. No.	Name and designation
1.	Sh. P. Raghavendra Rao, Chairman, HSPCBin Chair
2.	Sh. Pardeep Kumar, IAS, Member Secretary, HSPCB
3.	Dr. Babu Ram, Technical Expert, HSPCB
4.	Sh. Bhupender Singh, CEE, HSPCB
5.	Sh. Balraj Singh, CEE, HSPCB
6.	Sh. JP Singh, SEE, HSPCB
	Panchkula (through VC)
7.	Sh. Rajesh Punia, SDM, Kalka (Representative of DC)
8.	Sh. Ashish Kumar, HPS, ACP (Representative of SP)
9.	Sh. Manbir Rathi, Advocate, District-Court, Panchkula (Representative of
	Session Judge)
10.	Sh. Ravinder Singh, Sc- B, Panchkula, HSPCB (Representative of RO
	HSPCB)
	Fatehabad (through VC)
11.	Sh. Rashvender Duhan, Naib Tehsiladar Jakhal (Representative of DC)
12.	Sh. Jaswant Singh, S.H.O. Jakhal (Representative of SP)
13.	Sh. Kaushal Mehta, Advocate, Session Court Fatehabad (Representative
-	of Session Judge)
14.	Sh. Deepak, Sc-B, HSPCB Fatehabad Region (Representative of RO
	HSPCB)
	Ambala (through VC)
15.	Sh. Tarun, District Revenue Officer (Representative of DC)
16.	DSP, HQ (Representative of SP)
17.	Advocate Sh. Nitesh Sahni (Representative of Session Judge)
18.	Sh. Ajay Singh, RO Ambala (Representative of RO HSPCB)
	Kaithal (through VC)
19.	Sh. Dr. Vivek Bharti, IAS, DC Kaithal
20.	Sh. Deepak Babulal Karwa, IAS, ADC Kaithal (Representative of SP)
21.	Ms. Reetu, Chief Judicial Magistrate-cum- Secretary, District Legal Service
	Authority, Kaithal (Representative of Session Judge)
22.	Sh. Nipun, RO, Kaithal
	Kurukshetra (through VC)
23.	Sh. Kapil Kumar, SDM Thanesar (Representative of DC)
24.	Sh. Ashok Kumar, DSP (HQ) Thanesar (Representative of SP)
25.	Sh. Roshan Lal Gupta, Advocate (Representative of Session Judge)
26.	Sh. Nitin Mehta, RO, Kurukshetra
27.	Sh. Devender Singh, Sc 'B', Kurukshetra
	Sirsa (through VC)
28.	Sh. Surender Singh, DMC (Representative of DC)
29.	Sh. Aadarshdeep Singh, DSP (Representative of SP)
30.	Sh. Kashi Ram Pilania, Advocate (Representative of Session Judge)

Sr. No.	Name and designation
31.	SDO/ Field Officer, Haryana State Pollution Control Board, Sirsa
	Jind (through VC)
32.	Sh. Ashwani, RO, Jind
	Panipat (through VC)
33.	Sh. Vijender Kumar Dahiya, IAS, DC, Panipat
34.	Sh. Satish Kumar, DSP HQ, Panipat (Representative of SP)
35.	Sh. Sandeep, Deputy Suptd., DLSA (Representative of Session Judge)
36.	Sh. Bhupinder Singh, RO, PNP (Representative of RO HSPCB)
	Karnal (through VC)
37.	Sh. Abhishek Sher, XEN, PHED, Karnal (Representative of DC)
38.	Sh. Omparkash, HPS, DSP, Traffic, Karnal (Representative of SP)
39.	Smt. Iram Hassan, JM-cum-Secretary, DLSA, Karnal (Representative of
	Session Judge)
40.	Sh. Shailender Arora, RO, HSPCB, Karnal
	Nuh (through VC)
41.	Sh. Virender Singh, (Representative of DC)
42.	Sh. Ajaib Singh, DSP (Representative of SP)
43.	Sh. Jamil Ahmed Advocate (Representative of Session Judge)
44.	Sh. Manish Yadav, AEE, HSPCB, Palwal (Representative of RO HSPCB)
	Palwal (through VC)
45.	Sh. Anil Kumar (DSP HQ Palwal) (Representative of SP)
46.	Sh. Ran Singh, Advocate Representative of District Session Judge,
	Palwal (Representative of Session Judge)
47.	Smt. Akansha Tanwar, RO, Palwal
	Yamuna Nagar (through VC)
48.	Sh. Dinesh Gaba, Exective Engineer, PHED Division no. II, Yamunanagar
	(Representative of DC)
49.	Sh. Kawaljeet Singh, HPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Head Quarter,
	Yamunanagar (Representative of SP)
50.	Ms Diksha Dass Ranga, Civil Jugde (Sr. Division), Yamunanagar
	(Representative of Session Judge)
51.	Sh. Abhijeet Singh Tanwar, AEE, HSPCB, Yamunanagar (Representative
	of RO HSPCB)
	Gurugram (through VC)
52.	Sh. Jag Niwas, CEO, Zila Prashid (Representative of DC)
53.	Sh. Jai Singh, HPS, ACP Traffic (West) (Representative of SP)
54.	Sh. Ajay Chaudhary, Advocate (Representative of Session Judge)
55.	Sh. Divyanshu, AEE and Sh. Vikas Grewal, Sc-B (Representative of RO
	HSPCB)
	Rohtak (through VC)
56.	Sh. Narinder singh, Advocate Member DLSA (Representative of Session
	Judge)
57.	Sh. Dinesh kumar, RO, Rohtak
	Sonipat (through VC)
58.	Ms. Ankita Choudhari, (IAS), ADC, Sonipat

Sr. No.	Name and designation
59.	Sh. Malkeet Singh, HPS, ACP Headquater, Sonipat (Representative of SP)
60.	Sh. Pracheta Singh, CJM-cum-Secretary DLSA, Sonipat (Representative
	of Session Judge)
61.	Sh. Pardeep Singh, RO, HSPCB, Sonipat
	Faridabad/ Ballabgarh (through VC)
62.	Sh. Pardeep Kumar, DDPO, Faridabad (Representative of DC)
63.	Sh. Jitesh Kumar, HPS, ACP Tigaon Faridabad (Representative of SP)
64.	Sh. R. C. Gola, Advocate DLSA, SESTF, Faridabad (Representative of
	Session Judge)
65.	Sh. Dinesh Kumar, RO Ballabgarh
	Jhajjar/ Bahadurgarh (through VC)
66.	Sh Ravinder SDM Beri (Representative of DC)
67.	ACP office, Bahadurgarh
68.	Sh Vishal, Secretary DLSA, Jhajjar (Representative of Session Judge)
69.	Sh Shakti Singh, RO, Bahadurgarh Region